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REPORT OF THE OFFICERS

OF THE

TOWN OF LINCOLN

FOR THE YEAR 1951 - 1955

ALSO

THE REPORT OF THE

SCHOOL AND OTHER COMMITTEES

FOR THE YEAR 1951

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ELECTED TOWN OFFICERS FOR 1951

	Term Expires
Moderator	
DONALD P. DONALDSON	1954
Town Clerk	
WILLIAM H. DAVIS	1952
Selectmen and Board of Public Welfare	
JOHN O. WILSON (*Chairman*)	1952
EDMUND W. GILES	1953
HENRY DeC. WARD	1954
Assessors	
DAVID B. YOUNG (*Chairman*)	1952
GEORGE G. TARBELL, JR.	1953
ARTHUR W. RICE	1954
Treasurer	
FREDERICK B. TAYLOR	1952
Collector of Taxes	
WILLIAM H. DAVIS	1953
Auditor	
PEARSON HUNT	1952
School Committee	
MALCOLM L. DONALDSON (*Chairman*)	1953
KENNETH C. FARNSWORTH	1952
LUCY E. BYGRAVE	1954
Water Commissioners	
SUMNER SMITH (*Chairman*)	1953
ROBERT W. SCOTT	1954
HENRY WARNER	1952
Board of Health	
GORDON A. DONALDSON (*Chairman*)	1952
WARREN F. FLINT	1953
NANCY D. HURD	1954
Tree Warden	
JOHN W. GILBERT	1952

Term Expires

Cemetery Commissioners

GEORGE E. CUNNINGHAM (*Chairman*) 1953
ROBERT D. DONALDSON 1954
ELIZABETH H. DOHERTY 1952

Planning Board

WILLIAM T. KING (*Chairman*) 1953
EVELETH R. TODD 1952
ALAN McCLENNEN 1954
HOWARD SNELLING 1955
RICHARD J. EATON 1956

Measurer of Wood and Bark

HAROLD S. COUSINS 1952
JOSEPH R. TRACEY 1952

Commissioners of Trust Funds

CLEMENT C. SAWTELL (*Chairman*) 1952
LEONARD C. LARRABEE 1954
HENRY DeC. WARD 1953

Trustees of Bemis Fund for Free Public Lectures

MABEL H. TODD (*Chairman*) 1953
LEONARD C. LARRABEE 1954
CHRISTOPHER W. HURD 1952

Trustees of Lincoln Library

ROLAND C. MacKENZIE (*Chairman*)
GEORGE G. TARBELL
ALICE G. MERIAM
JOHN O. WILSON (*Chairman Selectmen ex-officio*)
MALCOLM L. DONALDSON (*Chairman School Committee ex-officio*)

deCordova and Dana Museum and Park

A. Directors

CHARLES H. BLAKE 1953
ELIZABETH J. SNELLING 1954
JANE K. VANCE 1955
JOHN Q. ADAMS 1952

B. Directors

RICHARD S. MERIAM — *appointed by Library Trustees* . . 1952
PEARSON HUNT — *appointed by School Committee* . . . 1953
ARTHUR E. THIESSEN — *appointed by Selectmen* . . . 1954

OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES APPOINTED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Term Expires

Clerk of Selectmen

M. ELIZABETH CAUSER 1952

Superintendent of Streets

THOMAS F. COAN (Deceased)
CLIFFORD H. BRADLEY (Acting Supt.) 1952

Chief of Police

LEO J. ALGEO 1952

Police Officer

LAWRENCE P. HALLETT 1952

Constables

LEO J. ALGEO 1952
LAWRENCE P. HALLETT 1952
JOHN J. KELLIHER 1952
GEORGE E. CUNNINGHAM 1952

Dog Officers

LEO J. ALGEO 1952
LAWRENCE P. HALLETT 1952

Sealer of Weights and Measures

LEO J. ALGEO 1952

Special Police

JOHN T. ALGEO
BOB BERNSON
ROBERT H. BOOTH
FLORIY CAMPOBASSO
JOSEPH CAMPOBASSO
JOHN COOK
HENRY J. DAVIS
JAMES DeNORMANDIE
JAMES DIAMOND
WILLIAM DOHERTY
ANDREW J. DOUGHERTY
JOSEPH FRAZIER
JOHN GILBERT
FRANCIS T. GILBERT
FRANK GORDON
HARRY B. KNOWLES
ROBERT H. MORRIS
WARREN RICE
EDWARD D. ROONEY
DANIEL RYAN
SUMNER SMITH
FRANCIS J. SMITH
JOSEPH TRACEY
HENRY WARNER
ORRIN C. WOOD

Term Expires

Fire Engineers

EDMUND W. GILES 1952
ANDREW J. DOUGHERTY 1952
CHARLES K. FITTS 1952

Forest Warden

EDMUND W. GILES 1952

Deputy Forest Warden

JOSEPH TRACEY 1952

Petroleum Inspector

EDMUND W. GILES 1952

Director of Civil Defense

ROBERT H. BOOTH 1952

Building Inspector

NORMAN F. BRISSON (*Resigned*)
NILS SWANSON 1952

Plumbing Inspector

MANNING W. MacRAE 1952

Wiring Inspector

WILLIAM DEAN 1952

Board of Appeals

ELLIOTT V. GRABILL (*Chairman*) 1956
JAMES DeNORMANDIE (*Secretary*) 1955
D. EVERETT SHERMAN, JR. 1952
HENRY B. HOOVER 1953
ANDREW J. O'REILLY 1954

Associate Members

ARTHUR W. RICE 1952
THOMAS B. ADAMS 1954

Registrars of Voters

MANLEY B. BOYCE 1952
ANDREW J. DOUGHERTY 1953
HENRY J. DAVIS 1954
WILLIAM H. DAVIS (*Town Clerk ex-officio*)

Term Expires

Bureau of Old Age Assistance

M. ELIZABETH CAUSER 1952
MARIAN N. OBER 1952
JOHN J. KELLIHER 1952

Member of District Nursing Committee

ALBERTA A. FRADD 1952

Fence Viewers

THOMAS F. COAN (*Deceased*)
JOHN J. KELLIHER 1952

Field Drivers

DAVID B. SPOONER 1952
WILLIAM R. DOHERTY 1952

Surveyor of Cord Wood

HAROLD S. COUSINS 1952

Recreation Committee

ETHAN A. MURPHY (*Chairman*) 1952
WILLIAM DeFORD 1952
ASTRID L. DONALDSON 1952
JOHN B. GARRISON 1952
ROBERT W. GRAY 1952
E. DONLAN ROONEY 1952
SADIE J. SHERMAN 1952
DAVID TODD 1952

Veteran's Agent

EDMUND W. GILES 1952

Caretaker of Town Hall and Library

ORRIN C. WOOD 1952

APPOINTED BY THE TREASURER

Assistant Treasurer

M. ELIZABETH CAUSER 1952

APPOINTED BY THE BOARD OF HEALTH

Term Expires

Community Nurse

MARIAN N. OBER 1952

Burial Agent

WILLIAM H. DAVIS 1952

Inspector of Animals

ANDREW J. DOUGHERTY 1952

APPOINTED BY THE MODERATOR

Finance Committee

F. WINCHESTER DENIO (*Chairman*) 1954
LELAND A. WILDES (*Secretary*) 1954
WILLIAM N. PAGE 1952
THOMAS J. ROUNER 1953
PAUL L. NORTON 1953

Memorial Day Committee

EDWARD D. ROONEY — ELEANOR A. PALLOTTA
BOB BERNSON — ALICE G. MERIAM
REV. CHARLES M. STYRON

Building Code Committee

NORMAN F. BRISSON — WILLIAM M. DEAN
ROBERT BYGRAVE — MANNING W. MacRAE
HENRY B. HOOVER

Union Health Department

NANCY D. HURD — RICHARD K. CONANT
JEAN MURPHY — ELLIOTT R. HEDGE
BRADFORD CANNON

Revision of Town By-Laws

SUMNER SMITH F. WINCHESTER DENIO HENRY WARNER

School Building Needs

JAMES DeNORMANDIE — ANDREW J. DOUGHERTY
PEARSON HUNT — ELIZABETH J. SNELLING
ROBERT M. KIMBALL

CALENDAR

SELECTMEN — Second and fourth Mondays of each month 8 P.M. at the Town House. Lincoln 6–0048.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE — First Tuesday of each month 8 P.M. at the New Elementary School. Lincoln 6–0333.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS — First Monday of each month 8 P.M. Town House. Lincoln 6–0048.

WATER COMMISSIONERS — Meetings by appointment, call Sumner Smith, Lincoln 6–0213.

BOARD OF HEALTH — Meetings by appointment, call Dr. Gordon Donaldson, Lincoln 6–0192.

BOARD OF APPEALS — Meetings by appointment, call James DeNormandie, Clerk. Lincoln 6–0163W.

PLANNING BOARD — Second Wednesday of each month 8 P.M. Town House. Lincoln 6–0048.

Population — 2,339 by 1950 census.

Town Area — 8,572 acres.

1952 Tax Rate — $44.00 per $1,000 valuation.

Annual Town Meeting — First Monday in March — March 3, 1952.

Annual Election of Town Officers — Saturday following Town Meeting — March 8, 1952.

Qualifications for Registration — Twelve months' continuous residence in the State of Massachusetts prior to March 3, 1952, and six months' continuous residence in the Town of Lincoln prior to March 3, 1952.

Town Office open daily 9:00 A.M. to 4:30 P.M., Saturday 9:00 A.M. to 12 noon. Closed Saturdays during June, July and August.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

Monday, March 5, 1951

Pursuant to a Warrant duly served, the meeting was called to order by the Moderator at 7:30 o'clock P.M., the return of the Warrant was read, and the Moderator called attention to Article 1. (Election of Officers).

Article 2. To bring in their votes for any committees, commissioners, trustees and other officers required by law to be elected by ballot or otherwise.

Voted: That Harold S. Cousins and Joseph R. Tracey be elected Measurer's of Wood and Bark for the ensuing year.

Article 3. To hear and act upon the reports of Town Officers, Committees, Commissioners and Trustees.

Voted: That the reports of the Town Officers, Committees, Commissioners and Trustees as printed in the Town Report be accepted.

Article 4. To fix the salaries and compensation of the several elective officers of the Town and to determine whether any Department, Board or Committee shall be authorized to employ for additional compensation any of its members and to fix additional compensation of such members.

Voted: That the salaries of the elected officers of the Town for the current year be fixed at the following amounts respectively:

Selectmen each.....	$200 00	Assessors Chairman	$200 00
Treasurer	200 00	Assessors other members each	175 00
Collector of Taxes..	1,600 00	Auditor	50 00
Town Clerk	300 00	Water Commissioners each..	75 00

and that one or more Cemetery Commissioners be authorized to work on the Cemetery grounds at the rate of $1.00 per hour.

Article 5. To raise and appropriate money for the necessary and expedient purposes of the Town and enact anything in relation to the same.

Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate for General purposes the several sums for the several purposes set forth as Items 1 to 73 inclusive and the notes thereto, as shown on

pages 63 to 68 inclusive in the Town of Lincoln Report for 1950 and read to the meeting except that appropriation Item 52 be increased by $6,300.00 to $70,400.00, Item 54 be increased by $1,306.00 to $28,260.00; Item 55 be increased by $650.00 to $16,388.27; Item 66 be increased by $178.50 to $1,178.50; Item 69 be increased by $135.00 to $3,135.00.

GENERAL GOVERNMENT		
Selectmen		
Salaries	$600 00	
Clerk	1,760 00	
Supplies and Miscellaneous	540 00	$2,900 00
Treasurer		
Salaries	400 00	
Clerical	150 00	
Supplies and Miscellaneous	193 00	743 00
Collector of Taxes		
Salary	1,600 00	
Supplies and Miscellaneous	400 00	2,000 00
Clerk		
Salary	300 00	
Supplies and Miscellaneous	60 00	360 00
Assessors		
Salaries	550 00	
Supplies and Miscellaneous	881 00	1,431 00
Auditor		
Salary		50 00
Legal		
Counsel		500 00
Election and Registration		
Salaries	250 00	
Supplies and Miscellaneous	330 00	580 00
Town House		
Janitor	2,470 00	
Fuel	700 00	
Repairs	600 00	
Supplies and Miscellaneous	753 00	4,523 00
Planning Consultant	150 00	
Supplies and Miscellaneous	200 00	350 00
Finance Committee		
Supplies and Miscellaneous		30 00
TOTAL FOR GENERAL GOVERNMENT		$13,467 00

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY		
Police		
Salaries	6,300 00	
Car	400 00	
Supplies and Miscellaneous	1,825 00	8,525 00
Fire Department		
Salaries	300 00	
Labor at Fires	3,500 00	
Operation of Equipment	2,450 00	
Supplies and Miscellaneous	2,250 00	8,500 00
Tree and Moth Department		
Insect Control	2,000 00	
Dutch Elm Disease Control	1,000 00	
Poison Ivy Control	500 00	3,500 00
Board of Appeals		
Clerical	100 00	
Supplies and Miscellaneous	200 00	300 00
Inspector of Building, Plumbing and Wiring		
Salaries and Transportation	500 00	
Supplies and Miscellaneous	50 00	550 00
TOTAL FOR PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY		$21,375 00
HEALTH AND SANITATION		
Board of Health		
Salaries of Nurses	2,340 00	
Supplies and Miscellaneous	755 00	
Car	750 00	3,845 00
Inspector of Animals		
Salary		100 00
TOTAL FOR HEALTH AND SANITATION		$3,945 00
HIGHWAYS		
Chapter 90	13,000 00	
General Highway		
Wages	12,500 00	
Machinery		
Repairs and Maintenance	3,750 00	
Supplies and Miscellaneous	13,520 00	
Street Lights	5,800 00	
TOTAL FOR HIGHWAYS		$48,570 00

AID TO CITIZENS

Old Age Assistance	26,000 00	
Aid to Dependent Children	500 00	
Public Welfare	500 00	
O.A.A. Administration	400 00	
Veteran's Aid	1,000 00	
TOTAL FOR AID TO CITIZENS		$28,400 00

EDUCATION

Schools

Salaries	70,400 00	
Transportation	13,721 73	
Tuition and Vocational Education	28,260 00	
Equipment, Supplies and Miscellaneous	16,388 27	

Library

Salaries	2,950 00	
Books	800 00	
Supplies and Miscellaneous	850 00	
Repairs	225 00	
TOTAL FOR EDUCATION		$133,595 00

RECREATION

Ball Field and Summer Playground Salaries and Wages	1,200 00	
Supplies and Miscellaneous	700 00	
TOTAL FOR RECREATION		$1,900 00

CEMETERIES

Salaries, Maintenance and Interments	2,550 00	
Supplies and Miscellaneous	117 00	
Permanent Improvements	1,000 00	
TOTAL FOR CEMETERIES		$3,667 00

UNCLASSIFIED

Middlesex County Pension Fund	1,497 00	
Town Reports	1,178 50	
Rent of Dump	200 00	
Insurance	3,700 00	
Rental of Hydrants	3,135 00	
Reserve Fund	5,000 00	
TOTAL FOR UNCLASSIFIED		$14,710 50

TOWN DEBT

Bonds	19,000 00	
Interest on Bonds	5,110 00	
Interest on Tax Notes	350 00	
TOTAL FOR TOWN DEBT		$24,460 00
TOTAL OF ABOVE RECOMMENDATIONS		$294,089 50
WATER WORKS RECOMMENDATIONS		$28,425 00

And that $1,343.00 of the appropriation under Item 30, be taken from the unexpended appropriation balance account of $1,343.00 for Fire Department Equipment; that $9,500.00 of the appropriation under Item 42 be taken from Free Cash and returned thereto when received from the State and County; that $218.01 of the appropriation under Item 55 for School Equipment and Supplies be taken from the $218.01 balance of the Julian deCordova School Equipment account and $17.35 from the account designated "Gift" on the balance sheet; that the entire appropriation of $1,000.00 under Item 64 be taken from the Cemetery fund; that the entire appropriation of $5,000.00 under Item 70 be taken from overlay surplus and further Voted: that the sum of $28,425.00 appropriated for Water Works be taken from Water Works Treasury.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1951, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Voted: That the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1951 and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to conduct services on Memorial Day, the thirtieth of May, appoint a committee raise and appropriate money, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Moderator be authorized to appoint a committee of five to plan and carry out exercises on Memorial Day, the thirtieth of May next and that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of two hundred and twenty-five dollars ($225.00) for the use of such committee in connection with these exercises. Committee appointed: E. Donlan Rooney, Bob Bernson, Eleanor A. Pallotta, Alice G. Meriam and Rev. Charles M. Styron.

Article 8. To see if the Town will erect a memorial to the Dead of World War II appropriate or take any action relative thereto.

Voted: To postpone indefinitely.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,000.00 for the use of the Civil Defence Committee or take any action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of $3,000.00 for the use of the Civil Defence Committee said sum to be taken from Free Cash.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote for the Moderator to appoint a committee of five to investigate and study the provisions of Chapter 662, the Acts of 1949, the act relative to the organization of union health departments, and determine the desirability of Lincoln joining with one or more of the following towns: Acton, Bedford, Carlisle, Concord, Lexington, Maynard, Sudbury and Wayland or others to form a union health department, this committee to report its findings to the next Town meeting; and that $100.00 be appropriated for the use of the committee.

Voted: That the Moderator appoint a committee of five to investigate and study the provisions of Chapter 662, the Acts of 1949, the act relative to the organization of union health departments and determine the desirability of Lincoln joining with one or more of the following towns: Acton, Bedford,

Carlisle, Concord, Lexington, Maynard, Sudbury and Wayland or others to form a union health department, this committee to report its findings to the next Town meeting; and that $100.00 be appropriated for the use of the committee. Committee: Mrs. Nancy D. Hurd, Miss Jean Murphy, Mr. Richard K. Conant, Mr. Elliott R. Hedge and Dr. Bradford Cannon.

Article 11. (The foregoing is a true copy of the main motion moved for adoption at the meeting).

Art. 11. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law by striking out Sections 2 to 23 inclusive, as amended, and substituting therefor the following Sections 2 to 15, inclusive:

Section (2) **Definitions**

In this by-law the following terms shall have meanings as described below:

(a) Structure: An entire building, including appurtenances thereto, or any construction upon which human effort has been expended and which extends more than eight feet in length or breadth and seven feet in height, measuring to the extremities of all parts.

(b) Dwelling: A structure, house, or building which is used or occupied in whole or part for residence.

(c) Family: Any number of persons living together as a single economic unit.

(d) One-Family dwelling: A dwelling designed for one family.

(e) Two-Family dwelling: A dwelling designed for or occupied by two families.

(f) Apartment house: A dwelling occupied by more than two families, or a structure occupied by one or more families above a first floor used for non-residential purposes.

(g) Rooming or boarding house. A dwelling in which the family resident therein provides eating and/or sleeping accommodations for not more than three paying guests.

(h) Hotel or Lodging House: A structure or part thereof, or a group of structures on a single lot, where space is used for sleeping or feeding more than three persons as paying guests, regular or transient.

(i) Lot: The whole area of a single parcel of land under one ownership. Whenever such a parcel is divided on a plan which has been recorded or filed at the Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds the term "lot" as used in this by-law shall mean a lot as shown on such plan; or a lot may be defined as a single parcel on the plot plan accompanying application for a building permit.

(j) Street: A public way, a way opened or dedicated to public use, or a way plotted and laid out for ultimate public use, whether or not constructed.

(k) Street line: The sideline of a street or way, as determined by deeds and plans recorded at the Registry of Deeds; where no line is thus legally established, then a line parallel with and twenty feet distant from the center line of a travelled way.

(l) Use: The act of using land or structures, or where the context permits, the erection, construction, repair, enlargement, or alteration of a structure intended for use.

(m) Accessory use: A use which in the Town of Lincoln is customarily incidental to the principal use to which it is accessory.

(n) Non-conforming use: A legally existing use which does not conform to the zoning regulations for the district in which it is located.

(o) Private garage: Covered space for the housing of motor vehicles, no more than two of which belong to others than the occupants of the lot on which such space is located.

(p) Service station: A structure or lot used for the sale of gasoline and oil or for servicing or storing motor vehicles, other than a private garage.

(q) Automobile repair shop: A shop or garage for the repair of motor vehicles, other than a private garage or service station.

Section (3) **Administration**

(a) The provisions of this by-law shall be administered and enforced by the Inspector of Buildings.

(b) No application of any kind shall be approved unless the plans, specifications and intended use set forth in said application conform in all respects with this by-law, or unless the applicant has secured a written permit from the Board of Appeals, pursuant to Section 11 below.

(c) Any application for a new or altered use of land or structure shall be accompanied by a specific reference to the subject lot as recorded in the Registry of Deeds, or by two copies of a plan of the lot, drawn to scale, showing the entire recorded ownership, all existing structures, all abutting streets, and the exact area and boundaries of the parcel to be assigned to the subject use. A record of such application and plan shall be kept on file.

Section (4) **Zoning Districts**

(a) For the purpose of this by-law the Town of Lincoln is divided into 3 classes of districts, designated as follows:

Single Residence Districts,
General Residence Districts,
Commercial Districts.

(b) Said districts are established as shown, defined and bounded on the map accompanying this by-law, entitled Zoning Map of Lincoln, Mass., dated February 1, 1951, and filed with the Town Clerk. Said map and all explanatory matter thereon are herby made a part of this by-law.

Section (5) **Single Residence Districts**

In a single residence district no lot shall be used, and no structure shall be erected, maintained, altered, or used for any purposes other than the following, including accessory uses:

(a) One-Family detached dwelling, provided that there shall be only one such dwelling per lot.

(b) Rooming or boarding house.

(c) Church, parish house, religious or denominational school, not conducted for profit.

(d) Publicly operated building, school, park or area dedicated to municipal use or service.

(e) Farm, greenhouse, nursery, truck garden; stand for sale of farm produce by a resident of Lincoln, provided that a major proportion of all products sold shall have been raised within the Town and provided further that space for customers' cars is available off the right-of-way of the street.

(f) Office or studio operated or maintained by a person resident in the structure, or a customary home occupation conducted in a dwelling structure or accessory building by a resident, provided that not more than one person not resident in the structure is employed therein. In such cases one sign of not more than two square feet in area may be displayed.

(g) Accessory uses, including private garage, private stable, or farm buildings used as part of the operation of a farm.

(h) Subject to permission of the Board of Appeals, as provided in Section 11 below, the following:

Private school, cemetery, hospital, sanatarium, nursing home, or charitable institution; use of land or structure by a public utility; community club not conducted for profit; conversion of a one-family dwelling existing at the time this by-law was originally adopted into a two-family dwelling, provided that the exterior appearance be not significantly altered, and provided further that the lot appurtenant to said dwelling have an area of at least 60,000 square feet.

(i) Subject to permission of the Board of Appeals, as provided in Section 11 below, a sand or gravel pit or the removal of soil, loam, sand or gravel from a property not in public use. In granting a permit therefor the Board shall specify such limitations and safeguards as it may deem appropriate. This provision shall not limit the removal of excess material from a property when such removal is incidental to the construction of an approved structure or street.

Section (6) **General Residence Districts**

Uses permitted in a general residence district shall be the following, and no others:

(a) Any use permitted in a single residence district subject to the same restrictions as are prescribed therein.

(b) Two-family dwelling, provided that there shall be only one detached dwelling per lot.

Section (7) **Commercial Districts**

Uses permitted in a commercial district shall be the following, and no others:

(a) Any use permitted in a general residence district, including as a right those uses listed in Section 5h, and including subject to permission of the Board of Appeals those uses listed in Section 5i.

(b) Apartment house, hotel or lodging house.

(c) Retail store or service establishment.

(d) Business or professional office; bank.

(e) Restaurant or other place for serving food.

(f) Place of business of caterer, confectioner, decorator, dressmaker, optician, mortician, craftsman, or member of a building trade, and similar uses.

(g) Service station, provided that repairs shall be limited to minor changes and adjustments, and provided that gasoline pumps and equipment shall be so located that vehicles can not be serviced unless they are entirely on the service station lot.

(h) Automobile salesroom, provided that no display of vehicles for sale shall be permitted closer to the street line than the major structure on the same lot.

(i) Sign or display advertising goods or services available on the lot, provided that no sign or display shall project beyond the street line, shall be illuminated other than by indirect white light, or shall have a gross area of more than 30 square feet.

(j) Subject to permission of the Board of Appeals, as provided in Section 11 below, the following:

Theatre, moving-picture house, bowling alley, skating rink or similar commercial amusement place, but not including outdoor moving picture or dancing establishments; Lumber, fuel, feed, or ice establishment; yard for the keeping of materials or equipment by contractor, landscape constructor, or landscape gardener; automobile repair shop.

Light manufacturing and similar activities, provided that such proposed activities will not be offensive, injurious or noxious because of noise, vibration, smoke, fumes, dust, odors, danger of fire or explosion, or other characteristics detrimental to a dominantly residential town.

Any permit granted under this subsection (j) shall be subject to the provision that no storage of materials appurtenant thereto shall be permitted between the street line and the front line of structures on the subject lot, or if there be no structure, within 40 feet of the street line.

Section (8) **Height Regulations**

(a) The maximum height of any structure in a single residence district shall be 35 feet or three stories.

(b) The maximum height of any structure in a general residence or commercial district shall be 30 feet or two and one-half stories.

(c) In determining the height of structures any floor level shall be counted as a story if it is to be used in part for sleeping rooms, or if it is higher than three feet below the average ground level around the exterior walls of the structure. A half-story is that portion of a structure under a sloping roof, the cubic contents of which are never more than half of those of the story below; if the cubic contents are greater than half, it shall be deemed a story. Limitations of height shall not apply to chimneys, ventilators, skylights, towers, spires, tanks, silos and other features usually carried above roofs, if such features are in no way used for living purposes.

Section (9) **Area and Yard Regulations**

(a) Except as hereinafter specified, there shall be provided for each dwelling or other main structure or use a lot with a minimum area as follows:

	Area
In single residence districts	40,000 sq. ft.
In general residence districts	12,000 sq. ft.
For dwellings in commercial districts	12,000 sq. ft.

Under no conditions shall there be less than 6,000 square feet of lot area for each family to be housed on said lot.

(b) Except as hereinafter specified, there shall be provided for each dwelling in any district and for each main non-residential structure in a residential district a lot having at least 80 feet of frontage on a street, at least 80 feet from side lot line to side lot line between said street and such structure and the shortest distance taken through such structure, from side lot line to side lot line, shall be at least 120 feet.

(c) The provisions of paragraphs "a" and "b" shall not prevent the use of lots, legally established at the time these provisions were first adopted, which are non-conforming as to width or area, but no such lot shall be changed as to size or shape so as to decrease its area or width.

(d) No more than 25 percent of the area of any lot may be covered by structures.

(e) No structure or part thereof in any district shall be so located as to extend within 40 feet of a street line, except that this shall not apply to uncovered steps.

(f) No structure or part thereof in a residential district, and no dwelling or part thereof in a commercial district, shall extend within 20 feet of a side or rear lot line. This restriction shall not apply to accessory buildings in residence districts, provided that the distance from any part of such structures to the lot line shall exceed its height above the ground level.

(g) No accessory or main building shall at any points be less than 10 feet apart unless they conform to building code regulations relative to fire safety.

Section (10) **Non-Conforming Uses**

(a) Nothing in this by-law shall prevent the continuation of a non-conforming use of lot or structure.

(b) No increase in the extent of the non-conforming use of a structure or lot may be made.

(c) Wherever a non-conforming use has been changed to a more restricted use, it shall not again be changed to a less restricted use.

(d) Wherever a non-conforming use has been abandoned for a period of more than one year it shall not be re-established and any future use shall conform to this by-law.

(e) Wherever a structure, or part thereof, put to a non-conforming use is destroyed or damaged, it may be reconstructed substantially as it existed prior to such destruction or damage and may continue to be used for the same or a more restricted use; provided that reconstruction is in fact commenced within a year following the date of such destruction or damage.

Section (11) **Board of Appeals**

(a) A Board of Appeals is hereby established in accordance with Section 30 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws, as amended. Said Board shall consist of five members each appointed by the Board of Selectmen for a term of five years provided that only one term shall expire each year; there shall be two Associate Members, each appointed by the Board of Selectmen for a period of four years, one term to expire every second year, to serve on said Board of Appeals in case of a vacancy, inability to act, or interest on the part of a member.

(b) The Board of Appeals shall adopt such rules of procedure and exercise such powers and duties as are consistent with paragraphs 3 through 9 of Section 30 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws, as amended. Said rules of procedure shall include provision for submission of petition in writing, for advertising and holding hearings, for keeping records of proceedings, for recording the vote of each member upon each question, for setting forth the reason or reasons for each decision, and for notifying the parties at interest, including the Building Inspector and the Planning Board, as to each decision. The powers and duties of the Board of Appeals shall include the power to determine action in the cases set forth in paragraphs "c", "d", and "e" below.

(c) The Board of Appeals shall hear and decide appeals taken by any person aggrieved by reason of his inability to obtain a permit from the Building Inspector acting as enforcement officer under this by-law.

(d) The Board of Appeals shall hear and decide requests for special permits as provided in sections 5h, 5i, and 7j of this by-law.

(e) The Board of Appeals shall hear and decide requests for variance from the terms of this by-law where, owing to conditions especially affecting the lot or use in question, a literal enforcement of the provisions of the by-law would involve substantial hardship to the appellant, and where the desired relief may be granted without detriment to the public good and without substantially derogating from the intent or purpose of this by-law.

(f) In carrying out the provisions of paragraphs (d) and (e) above, the Board may impose, as a condition of its decision, such restrictions as to manner and duration of use as will in its opinion safeguard the legitimate use of the property in the neighborhood and the health and safety of the public, and conform to the intent and purpose of this by-law, such restrictions to be stated in writing by the Board and made a part of the permit.

(g) No petition considered under paragraphs (d) or (e) above which has been unfavorably acted upon by the Board of Appeals shall be again considered on its merits by said Board within two years after the date of such unfavorable action, except with the written consent of all members of the Planning Board.

Section (12) **Amendments**

The Planning Board may, or upon written petition of ten citizens shall, initiate proceedings for the amendment of this by-law or map, pursuant to the provision of Section 27 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws as amended.

Section (13) **Conflict of Laws**

Where this by-law imposes a greater restriction upon the use, height, and area of structures or the use of premises than is imposed by other by-laws, the provisions of this by-law shall control. The invalidity of any section or provision of this by-law shall not invalidate any other section or provision hereof.

Section (14) **Penalty**

Whoever violates any provision of this by-law shall be punished by a fine not exceeding twenty dollars for each offense. Each day or portion thereof that such violation continues shall constitute a separate offense.

Section (15) **Effective Date**

This by-law shall take effect as provided by Section 32 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws as amended.

Voted: To amend the main motion by striking out from the last clause of Section (2) paragraph (i) the words "lot may be defined as" and inserting in their place the words " 'lot' "shall mean" so that the last sentence shall read: "Whenever such a parcel is divided on a plan which has been recorded or filed at the Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds, the term "lot" as used in this by-law shall mean a single parcel on the plot plan accompanying application for a Building Permit."

Voted: To amend the main motion by adding to the end of Section 5, paragraph (f) the following clause: "but there shall be no other signs or display of goods visible from the street," so that the last sentence of the paragraph shall read: "In such cases one sign of not more than two square feet in area may be displayed, but there shall be no other signs or display of goods visible from the street."

Voted: To amend the main motion by inserting in Section 9, paragraph (b) after the second occurrence of the words "eighty feet" the phrase, "in any direction" so that the paragraph shall read: "Except as hereinafter specified there shall be provided for each dwelling in any district and for each main non-residential structure in a residential district a lot having at least 80 feet of frontage on a street, at least 80 feet in any direction from side lot line to side lot line between said street and such structure, and the shortest distance taken through such structure from side lot line to side lot line shall be at least 120 feet."

Voted: To amend the main motion by adding to the word "building," the fifth word in Section 9, paragraph (g) the letter "s" so that the paragraph shall read: "No accessory or main buildings shall at any points be less than 10 feet apart unless they conform to building code regulations relative to fire safety."

Voted: To amend the main motion by adding to Section 10, paragraph (e) the following clause, "and the reconstruction is completed and the structure occupied within a reasonable time thereafter," so that the entire section (e) shall read: "Wherever a structure, or part thereof, put to a non-conforming use is destroyed or damaged, it may be reconstructed substantially as it existed prior to such destruction or damage and may continue to be used for the same or a more restricted use: provided that reconstruction is in fact commenced within a year following the date of such destruction or damage, and the reconstruction is completed and the structure occupied within a reasonable time thereafter."

The Main motion as amended above was then voted on and unanimously adopted.

At this point Mr. Henry Warner made a few remarks regarding the splendid work done by the Planning Board and highly commended them. Loud and prolonged applause.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $467.03 to pay the following un-paid 1950 bills:

Highway Department	White Motor Company	$229 31
School Department	Boston Edison Company	176 77
Town of Arlington		12 00
General Heat and Appliance Company		48 95

Voted: That the Treasurer be authorized to pay the following unpaid 1950 bills:

Highway Department	White Motor Company	$229 31
School Department	Boston Edison Company	176 77
Town of Arlington		12 00
General Heat and Appliance Company		48 95
Fire Department Tracey's Service Station		66 80
		$533 83

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a committee to revise the Town By-laws, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Moderator appoint a Committee of three to study the existing general by-laws of the Town and make recommendations for revisions prior to the next Annual Town Meeting and that the sum of $150.00 be appropriated for the use of the Committee, said sum to be taken from Free Cash. Committee appointed: Sumner Smith, F. Winchester Denio and Henry Warner.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to accept Chapter 820 of the Acts of 1950, which provides for an increase in the annual amounts of certain pensions, retirement allowances, annuities and other benefits payable by the Commonwealth and its political subdivisions to certain former employees and persons claiming under them, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Town accept the provisions of Chapter 820 of the Acts of 1950 of the Massachusetts Legislature.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to take any action on House Bill No. 157 which is, "An act restricting the use of lands abutting the highway now known as Route 2 in the towns of Belmont, Arlington, Lexington, Lincoln and Concord."

Voted: That the Town instruct the Selectmen to support Senate Bill No. 157 which is, "An act restricting the use of lands abutting the highway now known as Route 2 in the towns of Belmont, Arlington, Lexington, Lincoln and Concord.

Article 16. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of $5,000.00 to be used by a committee appointed by the Moderator to study further the building needs of the Lincoln schools, said sum to be supplied from free cash, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Town appropriate $5,000.00 to be used by a committee appointed by the Moderator to provide rough plans and specifications and to obtain estimates of costs for an Assembly Hall — Gymnasium and four class rooms to be added to the new school buildings, said sum to be taken from free cash. Committee: James DeNormandie, Pearson Hunt, Andrew J. Dougherty, Elizabeth Snelling and Robert M. Kimball.

The Meeting adjourned at 10:15 P.M.

WILLIAM H. DAVIS, *Town Clerk.*

ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION

Saturday, March 10th, 1951

In accordance with Article 1 of the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting, the meeting was called to order by the Moderator, the ballot box was inspected, the following ballot clerks duly sworn, Helena A. Dee, Bertha V. Bowles, Joseph Frazier, Manley B. Boyce, William O. Causer and David B. Spooner. The polls were declared open at 12 o'clock noon, and closed at 8 o'clock P.M., with the following results: Total vote 886.

MODERATOR (3 years)

Donald P. Donaldson	824
Scattering	1
Blanks	61

TOWN CLERK (1 year)

William H. Davis	825
Blanks	61

SELECTMAN AND BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE (3 years)

Edward Donlan Rooney	122
D. Everett Sherman, Jr.	358
Henry DeC. Ward	402
Blanks	4

ASSESSOR (3 years)

Arthur W. Rice, Jr.	602
Ehlert William Seeckts	236
Blanks	48

TREASURER (1 year)

Frederick B. Taylor	777
Scattering	1
Blanks	108

AUDITOR (1 year)

Pearson Hunt	757
Blanks	129

SCHOOL COMMITTEE (3 years)

Lucy Elliott Bygrave	742
Scattering	8
Blanks	136

WATER COMMISSIONER (3 years)

Robert W. Scott	721
Scattering	1
Blanks	164

BOARD OF HEALTH (3 years)

Nancy D. Hurd	739
Blanks	147

TREE WARDEN (1 year)

John W. Gilbert	792
Scattering	1
Blanks	93

COMMISSIONER OF TRUST FUNDS (3 years)

Leonard C. Larrabee	748
Blanks	138

TRUSTEE OF BEMIS FUND FOR FREE PUBLIC LECTURES (3 years)

Leonard C. Larrabee	748
Blanks	138

CEMETERY COMMISSIONER (3 years)

Robert D. Donaldson	774
Blanks	112

PLANNING BOARD (5 years)

Richard J. Eaton	404
Anthony Faunce	401
Blanks	81

DIRECTOR OF DeCORDOVA-DANA MUSEUM AND PARK (4 years)

Jane K. Vance	753
Scattering	3
Blanks	130

WILLIAM H. DAVIS, *Town Clerk.*

March 19th, 1951.

A recount of votes cast for the office of Planning Board was held in the Town Hall on the above date with the following result:

PLANNING BOARD (5 years)

Richard J. Eaton	406
Anthony Faunce	398
Blanks	82

WILLIAM H. DAVIS, *Town Clerk.*

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

June 11th, 1951

Pursuant to a Warrant duly served the meeting was called to order by the Moderator at 7:30 o'clock P.M. The return of the Warrant was read and the following business transacted:

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to increase the following Department and Committee Budgets.

Election and Registration
Town House
Civil Defense
Building Code Committee
Highway Department
Legal
Schools

or take any action relative thereto.

Voted: (Unanimously). That the sum of $2,525.00 be appropriated for the following Departments and Committees:

Town House, repairs	$1,375 00
Election and Registration (Supplies and Miscellaneous)	50 00
Building Code Committee	500 00
Highway Department (Supplies and Miscellaneous)	200 00
Schools Transportation	400 00

and that said sum be taken from Free Cash.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to speed-zone several roads in the Town, or take any action relative thereto.

Voted: That the sum of $1,000.00 be appropriated for speed-zoning, with the assistance of the Department of Public Works, such road or roads as the Board of Selectmen may designate. Said sum to be taken from Free Cash. A motion duly seconded "That Article 8 be taken up at this time" was lost.

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate not exceeding $65,000 to construct a new 16-inch cement lined cast iron water supply main from the pumping station to the reservoir, and determine whether the money shall be raised by taxation, borrowing, transfer of available funds in the treasury, or otherwise, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: To pass over the Article.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate not exceeding $230,000 for the acquisition of land and the development therein of a well field including wells, pipes and pumping stations (both buildings and original equipment) and for the construction of water mains of 16 inches or more in diameter, and determine whether the money shall be raised by taxation, borrowing, transfer of available funds in the treasury or otherwise, or take any other action relating thereto.

A motion duly seconded, "That $70,000.00 is hereby appropriated for the acquisition of about ten acres of land situated east of Fairhaven Bay and north of South Great Road which the Board of Water Commissioners is hereby authorized to acquire on behalf of the Town, and the development therein of a well field including wells, pipes and pumping stations (both buildings and original equipment), and to meet the said appropriation, the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, is authorized to issue from time to time $70,000.00 in bonds or notes of the Town payable within fifteen years from their respective dates, and $130,000.00 is hereby appropriated for the purchase and construction of water mains of 16 inches or more in diameter, cement lined and coated, and to meet the said appropriations the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen is authorized to issue from time to time $130,000.00 in bonds or notes of the Town payable within twenty-five years from their respective dates." was lost. The following amendment to the main motion was then voted: (For 247, Against 90). "That the main motion be amended by substituting for the body thereof the following: "That the Water Commissioners be authorized to make surveys of lands suitable for a well field and report to the next annual meeting and appropriate $1,000.00 therefor, said sum to be taken from the Water Works Treasury."

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to install a new 1500 gallon per minute capacity pump in the pumping station, make the necessary changes to the power line and suction pipe, raise and appropriate the necessary sum of money, borrow same, use available funds in the Treasury, or take any action relative thereto.

Voted: To postpone indefinitely.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to install a new 8-inch transit water pipe on Page Road from the corner of Trapelo Road to the beginning of the new 8-inch pipe by the Osborne barn, a distance of about 1900 feet, raise and appropriate the necessary sum of money, borrow same, use available funds in the Treasury, or take any action relative thereto.

Voted: That $4,000.00 is hereby appropriated for the construction of an 8-inch transit water main on Page Road from the corner of Trapelo Road to the beginning of the new 8-inch pipe by the Osborne barn, and to meet said appropriation, the sum of $4,000.00 be taken from Water Works surplus.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be used to preserve and micro film Town Records and to purchase equipment therefor, or take any action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Selectmen be instructed to make provision for the safe keeping, preservation, and copying or otherwise duplicating the early records of the Town, and that $150.00 be appropriated for the purposes to be taken from Free Cash. It being understood that the enactment of this motion authorizes the Selectmen if they deem it wise, to deposit the records for safe-keeping outside the limits of the Town.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of constructing and originally equipping and furnishing an addition to the elementary school, to include six classrooms and a multi-purpose assembly-gymnasium, and determine how the appropriation will be raised, by transfer from available funds, borrowing, or otherwise, or take any action relative thereto.

Voted: (For 271, Against 16). That the sum of $385,000.00 be raised and appropriated for the purpose of constructing and originally equipping and furnishing an addition to the new elementary school to include six classrooms and a multi-purpose assembly-gymnasium, and to meet said appropriation, that the sum of $50,000.00 be appropriated from available funds in the Treasury, and that the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow the sum of $335,000.00 and to issue bonds or notes of the Town therefor; $250,000.00 of the loan hereby authorized is under the authority of and in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 356 of the Acts of 1951 and $85,000.00 of the said loan is under the authority of and in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44 of General Laws; and that the Committee appointed by the Moderator in accordance with the vote of the Town under Article 16 at the annual meeting on March 5, 1951 is hereby continued and is hereby authorized and empowered to enter into contracts and to do all things necessary to construct and equip and furnish said addition; and if a vacancy should occur on said Committee the Moderator is hereby authorized to fill such vacancy.

Meeting adjourned at 11:30 P.M.

WILLIAM H. DAVIS, *Town Clerk.*

JURY LIST, 1951

Name	Occupation
Thomas B. Adams	Executive
Harold T. Ashworth	Radio Engineer
Paul Brooks	Publisher
George A. Cunningham	Fireman
Richard J. Eaton	Trustee
Harry Cook	Farmer
Laurence Cousins	Plant Superintendent
Sherman H. Davis	Farmer
James Diamond	Police Work
Edward Danosky	Farmer
Anthony Faunce	Insurance
Charles K. Fitts	Buyer
Thomas T. Giles	Garage Superintendent
Frank Gordon	Milkman
Thomas A. O. Gross	Electrical Engineer
Arthur T. Howard	Printer
Merrill Hunt	Executive
Karl F. Lahnstein	Museum Work
Louis E. Paddock	Industrial Engineer
Robert Pellandini	Pay Roll Clerk
Roland W. Robbins	Painting Contractor
Ehlert W. Seeckts	Assistant Manager
Frederic M. Spooner	General Man
John B. Tew	Investment Analyst
Frederick P. Walkey	Museum Director

Appointed June 25th, 1951

WILLIAM H. DAVIS,
Town Clerk.

LICENSES

Total number of Dog Licenses issued during the year 1951, 397; namely, 227 Male, 60 Female, 107 Spayed Female and 3 Kennel for which the sum of $933.60 has been paid to the Treasurer.

Sporting, etc., issued during the year 1951 — 69 Fishing, 58 Hunting, 56 Sporting, 22 Minor Fishing, 1 Non-resident Fishing and 1 Non-resident Hunting, for which the sum of $423.50 has been paid to the Division of Fisheries and Game.

WILLIAM H. DAVIS, *Town Clerk.*

VITAL STATISTICS

57 Births, 27 Marriages and 26 Deaths were recorded during the year 1951.

Births

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Names of Parents
Dec. 8, 1950	Robert Livingstone Niles, Jr.	Robert L. and Virginia Niles
Dec. 16, 1950	William Norton	Paul L. and Margaret H. Norton
Dec. 25, 1950	Bruce Curtis Beal	Harold B. and Shirley A. Beal
Dec. 27, 1950	George Bunsen Henderson, 2nd	Gerard C. and Edith M. Henderson, Jr.
Jan. 3, 1951	Steven Douglas Torode	Herbert L. and Lorraine S. Torode
Jan. 4, 1951	Janice Diane Ziman	Albert F. and Dorothy E. Ziman
Jan. 5, 1951	Lydia Staniford Adams	John Q. and Lucy F. D. Adams
Jan. 8, 1951	John Allenwood Fletcher	Walter B. and Helen F. Fletcher
Jan. 15, 1951	Caroline Eddy Emmons	A. Bradlee and Judith R. Emmons
Jan. 25, 1951	Pamela Christie Lawson	Raymond P. and June M. Lawson
Jan. 26, 1951	Robert Dean Smiley	Kenneth H. and Ann B. T. Smiley, Jr.
Jan. 27, 1951	Leslie Marie Hallinan	Arthur J. and Lorraine T. S. Hallinan
Feb. 1, 1951	Constance Ayer	Richard B. and Emily C. M. Ayer, Jr.
Feb. 3, 1951	Douglas Lawrence Roy	Eugene U. and Nancy J. C. Roy
Feb. 4, 1951	Margaret Lyman Parson, 2nd	Stephen P. and Esther M. Parson
Feb. 6, 1951	Peter Fayssoux Billings	Bruce H. and Sally W. Billings
Feb. 8, 1951	Brian Patrick Cassidy	Harry J. and Verna E. C. Cassidy
Feb. 10, 1951	Susan Lee Algeo	John T. and Catherine R. B. Algeo
Feb. 19, 1951	Elizabeth Ann Cook	Harry and Kathleen G. M. Cook
Feb. 20, 1951	Gerald Mosher Browning	George U. and Marjorie E. M. Browning
Mar. 2, 1951	Helen Judson Clark	William Van Alan and Mary F. H. Clark
Mar. 7, 1951	John Martin Coffey	John B. and Wilma L. H. Coffey
Mar. 21, 1951	Steven Frederick Mickle	Frederick W. and Mary E. D. Mickle
April 12, 1951	Alden Hallock Woodhull	Dean H. and Martha D. G. Woodhull
April 21, 1951	Deborah Dunham Lothrop	John W. and Ellen D. P. Lothrop

Births — *Continued*

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Names of Parents
April 21, 1951	June Ellen Clarke	Richard J. and Edna S. Clarke
April 22, 1951	Robert James Westcott	Vernon C. and Mary-Alice C. Westcott
May 19, 1951	Anthony Packard Church	Robert and Priscilla S. Church
May 25, 1951	Jan Healy Warner	John B. and Barbara L. K. Warner
May 26, 1951	Thomas Joseph Rando	Felice S. and Josephine H. M. Rando
June 11, 1951	Geoffrey Lincoln Davis	Henry R. and Jean K. Davis, Jr.
June 14, 1951	Mary Alice Tripp	R. Maurice and Catherine G. B. Tripp
June 15, 1951	Corby Woolston Moore	Herbert L. and Sylvia H. W. Moore
June 16, 1951	Robert Loomis Grabill	Elliott V. and Martha L. Grabill
July 16, 1951	Lisa Soderberg	C. Richard and Nancy T. Soderberg, Jr.
July 21, 1951	Nathan Lord Wilbur	Richard P. and Charlotte H. W. Wilbur
Aug. 7, 1951	Joanne Malloy	Robert J. and Terese A. D. Malloy
Aug. 14, 1951	D. Bradford Davis, Jr.	D. Bradford and Barbara E. G. Davis
Aug. 15, 1951	Jean Louise Murphy	William F. and Ruth M. Murphy
Aug. 31, 1951	Sandra Anne Justice	Norman E. and Helen J. J. Justice
Sept. 13, 1951	George Arthur Snow	Clayton R. and Carolyn L. S. Snow
Sept. 25, 1951	Jean MacGregor England	Albert C. and Priscilla S. England
Sept. 27, 1951	Alice Beverly Spooner	Frederic M. and Arletta L. Spooner
Oct. 10, 1951	Sara Graham Mann	Robert C. and Evelyn L. D. Mann
Oct. 23, 1951	Newton Prouty DeNormandie	James and Martha B. P. DeNormandie
Oct. 25, 1951	Kate Brooks	Paul and Susan M. Brooks
Oct. 26, 1951	Robert Crosby Bygrave	Robert and Lucy E D. Bygrave
Oct. 29, 1951	William Wineow Lord, Jr.	William W. and Mary L. P. Lord
Nov. 8, 1951	Donald Robert Murphy	Edward W. and Marjorie A. M. Murphy
Nov. 17, 1951	Shirley Ann York	Norman E. and Muriel York
Nov. 24, 1951	Amanda Morgan	Henry M. and Gwen Morgan
Dec. 1, 1951	Susan Diane Street	Earle B. and Janet H. Street
Dec. 5, 1951	Sarah Margaret Kingsbury	Roy S. and Ann Elizabeth B. Kingsbury
Dec. 17, 1951	Charles Herbert Booth	Lloyd and Elizabeth F. Booth, Jr.
Dec. 17, 1951	Virginia Todd	David and Geraldine F. Todd
Dec. 31, 1951	Elizabeth Jean Grinnell	William L. and Virginia E. Grinnell
Dec. 31, 1951	Roland Chester Mackenzie, Jr.	Roland C. and Ethel L. Mackenzie

Marriages

Date of Marriage	Names	Residence
Jan. 4, 1951	John Farrar Giles Mary Cecelia Magurn	Lincoln Concord
Jan. 13, 1951	Adrian Nionial Hewett Virginia Roberta Pellandini	Anchorage, Alaska Lincoln
Jan. 27, 1951	Frank Joseph Daniels, Jr. Claire Maria Manning	Watertown Lincoln
Jan. 27, 1951	William L. Harrington, Jr. Ethel Mildred Andersen	Lincoln Concord
Jan. 28, 1951	Stephen Alfred Scarpitti Virginia Lincoln Sorenson	West Concord Lincoln
Feb. 3, 1951	William Graham Savage Virginia Valentine	Lincoln Concord
Feb. 14, 1951	Frank Wallace Peterson Mary Elizabeth Giles	Concord Lincoln
Feb. 24, 1951	David Howard Russell Lester Alice Louise Hoffman	Schenectady, N. Y. Lincoln
Apr. 12, 1951	James F. Burke, Jr. Catherine Cecile Murphy	Litchfield, Conn. Lincoln
Apr. 19, 1951	Gordon Ellis Barnes Alice Marie Silva	Pennsylvania Lincoln
Apr. 21, 1951	Roman Slominski Janina S. Rudzki	Lincoln Lincoln
May 16, 1951	John L. Rockwell Charlotte A. Browning	Framingham Lincoln
May 19, 1951	Peter Anthony Bator Mary Crawford Bigelow	New York, N. Y. Lincoln
June 3, 1951	Albert William Hanlon, Jr. Virginia Lorette Manter	Lincoln Concord
June 23, 1951	William Heywood Penn Ann Farrar Giles	Moosup, Conn. Lincoln
June 23, 1951	John Robbins Rand Sally Ann Wallace	Lincoln Lunenburg
June 30, 1951	Donald E. Guay Lena M. Young	Lincoln Lincoln
July 21, 1951	Sewell Douglas Winslow Virginia Richings Cullen	Wollaston Lincoln

Marriages — *Continued*

Date of Marriage	Names	Residence
Aug. 19, 1951	Helmut A. Zander Annemarija F. Fogels	Lincoln Lincoln
Aug. 15, 1951	John T. Kennedy Virginia Troupe	Lincoln Acton
Aug. 24, 1951	Miles Lee Cain Gloria Jean Sorensen	San Angelo Lincoln
Sept. 1, 1951	Leon Aznive, Jr. Charlotte Wheeler Gale	Stoneham Lincoln
Aug. 31, 1951	James M. Neville Jeanne Belle	Lincoln Concord
Sept. 15, 1951	James Lawrence Gormley Norma Esther Sorli	Lincoln West Newton
Sept. 22, 1951	Albert Paine Everts, Jr. Lucy R. Abbot	Newton Lincoln
Nov. 11, 1951	Charles Albert Myott Helen Marie Coan	Somerville Lincoln
Nov. 17, 1951	Carl A. Carlson Constance Helen Moszka	Winchester Lincoln

Deaths

Date of Death	Name	Age Y.	Age M.	Age D.
Jan. 2, 1951	John P. Boyce	70	—	—
Feb. 4, 1951	Lula Geralda Adams	80	2	10
Feb. 20, 1951	Margaret M. Corrigan	74	1	11
Feb. 28, 1951	Fritz Cunnert	65	10	19
Feb. 26, 1951	Madeline Alice Rice	81	—	—
May 1, 1951	Sanford Saylor Winchell	4	0	28
May 5, 1951	Louisa Robbins	90	0	16
May 20, 1951	Bertha Farnsworth	86	2	8
May 15, 1951	Anthony J. Doherty	78	8	27
June 26, 1951	Fridolin Hagmann	70	0	0
June 4, 1951	Fred Elmer Cousins	87	0	29
June 11, 1951	Michael Ciraso	63	4	6
July 14, 1951	Waldo Emerson Palmer	52	2	14
July 30, 1951	Margaret Elizabeth Allen	88	1	13
Sept. 7, 1951	Mary E. B. Hupper	92	11	26
Aug. 30, 1951	Thomas F. Coan	63	8	16
Sept. 13, 1951	Willa Anne Duncanson	90	6	25
Sept. 29, 1951	Charles Ora Preble	72	0	3
Oct. 19, 1951	George Marshall Crawford	45	0	5
Nov. 17, 1951	William Bolio	70	3	27
Nov. 20, 1951	John Hugh Rogers	76	0	14
Nov. 16, 1951	Margaret Lahnstein	40	11	4
Nov. 11, 1951	Mary A. Murphy	68	0	0
Nov. 20, 1951	Mary Murnaghan	75	11	11
Dec. 7, 1951	Tryphena M. Coane	78	—	—
Dec. 25, 1951	Thomas John Dee	75	5	28

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

The Police, Highway and Fire Departments deserve special comment because of changes which have taken place or which are recommended for action at the 1952 Annual Town Meeting.

Police

Chief Algeo and Officer Hallett have done commendable work throughout the year. The Report of the Police Department appended hereto gives the record of arrests but does not cover such activities as checking vacant houses, responses to calls where no arrest follows, protection of the school children, and hours of patrolling.

With the population of the Town increasing rapidly there are more people and more property to protect. Normal driving speed of automobiles is clearly increasing and more cars are on the highways. The city is moving out this way, bringing some disruptive elements. It is the opinion of the Selectmen that the police force should now be increased to keep it abreast of local conditions. The recommendation is for one additional officer and an additional cruising car which would give the Town much greater coverage during certain hours each day. In this connection it should be pointed out that during the past few years there has been a steadily increasing use of special police and that without an additional regular officer this trend would continue.

The cost of the additional officer and car for 1952 would be about $5,000 which includes salary for nine months, a new car and all original equipment for both. Thereafter, the cost is estimated at $4,650 less perhaps $400 to $500 saving in pay for special police. The Police budget as reported by the Finance Committee is based on this recommendation.

Highway

The death on August 30, 1951 of Thomas F. Coan who had been Superintendent of Streets for the past eight years and had worked for the Town for many years before that, was a heavy

loss to the Town as a whole. Mr. Coan was one of those loyal citizens, of whom we have had many, who gladly give of their time and energy for the common good. Clifford Bradley, who had worked with Mr. Coan, was appointed Acting Superintendent in the spring of 1951 and has continued in that capacity. He may be reached at LI6–0263J or at the Town Garage, LI6–0398W.

Chapter 90 construction work for 1952 will include the completion of Bedford Road between Routes 2 and 2A. Following conversations with the Planning Board, the Selectmen have recommended to the County Commissioners that one of the roads leading from Route 2A to the airport should be rebuilt in order to take care of the impending increased traffic.

Fire

The Selectmen are in agreement with the Fire Engineers on their recommendation that the Town acquire land for a fire station in the vicinity of the intersection of Route 2 and Bedford Road. Although the present building in that area rented from Joseph R. Tracy is adequate for the next few years, a larger building on a larger lot owned by the Town is desirable and probably necessary at some time in the not too distant future. It is anticipated that an article will appear in the warrant, for the March 1952 or some subsequent meeting, to acquire land for this purpose.

Speed Zoning

Acting on authority of the vote at the June 1952 Town Meeting, the Selectmen engaged Sgt. John Foster of Concord to survey the traffic conditions of the Town and make recommendations for speed zones. His work has been completed and approved with modifications by the Selectmen. The Department of Public Utilities and the Registry of Motor Vehicles have not acted as yet.

The Town vs. Boston Edison Company

Late in 1951 the Department of Public Utilities directed the Boston Edison Company to construct its high tension line connecting Framingham and Waltham by the use of overhead lines

on the Boston & Maine Railroad right-of-way on the Central Massachusetts Branch. This route avoids Lincoln entirely, passing from Waltham through Weston into Wayland. In spite of this fact, Lincoln is continuing to support the bill again introduced in the new legislature to force the Company to construct an underground line. A great deal of money has been spent on this case since 1948, Lincoln's share being in excess of $1,800.00, including the amount requested under the special deficiency article this year. Complete success cannot be claimed until the precedent of underground lines is established.

Pending State Legislation

In addition to the proposed legislation on underground lines, the Town is interested in House Bills Nos. 1525 and 1803 which renew the question of zoning Route 2 for residential purposes from the foot of Belmont Hill to the Concord Reformatory. The bills are similar to those introduced last year which were defeated. The Selectmen and Planning Board were recorded in favor of the new bills at the Committee hearing in January, 1952.

Comment has been made before on the Town's loss in the death of Thomas F. Coan. The year 1951 took from us four other citizens who lived here all their lives and contributed generously to the Town's welfare:

Anthony J. Doherty, who in the course of his active participation in Town affairs, served as Selectman, member of the School Committee, and as one of the original members of the Board of Appeals.

John H. Rogers, who for many years, served as Town Counsel.

Thomas J. Dee, Assessor and active member of the Fire Department for many years, who was better known to the younger generation as driver of the school bus.

Fritz Cunnert, Cemetery Commissioner and an original member of the Board of Appeals.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN O. WILSON, *Chairman*,
EDMUND W. GILES,
HENRY DeC. WARD.

REPORT OF THE BUREAU OF OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Although there have been many changes during the year 1951, the case load in Old Age Assistance is the same as at the close of 1950. During the year budgets were increased in October, as required by law, due to an over-all increase in the cost of living. In December new legislation was passed relating to Old Age Assistance and additional budget increases will be made in January of 1952.

During the year six cases were added and six were closed, three because of death, one transfer to another town and two because of increased income. At the close of the year there were forty-two cases settled as follows: Lincoln twenty-nine, other cities and towns seven, no settlement six.

Gross cost of Old Age Assistance	$39,130 94
Federal Government	$15,975 00
Commonwealth of Massachusetts	19,262 06
Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Meals Tax	629 14
Other Cities and Towns	640 46
Cost to Town of Lincoln	5,468 34
	$41,975 00
Balance in Federal Grants account, reserved for O.A.A.	2,844 06
	$39,130 94

The amount of $28,000, requested for 1952 allows for a normal increase in cases, estimated budget increases required by law and increased cost to the Town due to elimination of reimbursement for L.T.A. by the Commonwealth. The State's share, estimated somewhat in excess of $20,000, will be refunded leaving the net cost to the Town approximately $8,000. Although the Town must appropriate the total sum of $28,000, an allowance is made for the amount to be refunded by the State in determining the tax rate.

It is estimated that approximately $16,000 will be received from the Federal Government, making the estimated expenditures for the year nearly $44,000. The Federal Government contribution does not have to be appropriated by the Town but may be used as received.

Respectfully submitted,

M. ELIZABETH CAUSER,
MARIAN N. OBER,
JOHN J. KELLIHER.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS OF THE deCORDOVA AND DANA MUSEUM AND PARK

Review of 1951

For all of us connected with the Museum, 1951 was a successful and busy year. We claim many major exhibition triumphs but realize there is still much to be accomplished. The new activities which were undertaken such as concerts, motion pictures, and lectures were satisfying but not wholly successful in attracting public interest.

The Museum presented two chamber music series and will continue to do so as no similar opportunity exists locally. The Museum auditorium has proved to be outstanding both for the performers and the audience. This type of program while not a familiar one is very logical for it provides the finest music which the seating capacity of the hall will afford, and we are certain that the excellence of the performing musicians will soon bring support from a greater number of patrons.

The two lectures were by artists of great distinction, but their local reputations were not sufficient to interest our gallery goers. Because we must continue to pursue an educational program to assist the public in its understanding of modern art, we shall continue to present from time to time other distinguished speakers in this field.

The Lincoln Film Society presented a number of classic motion pictures in the Museum Auditorium. This type of program has been well received in surrounding communities, and appeared to be a natural for the Lincoln audience. Attendance, however, has been sporadic, but that does not deter the Society from presenting still another series during the first quarter of 1952. All the Film Society movies were presented free to the children at matinee performances.

The first major exhibition held at the Museum was "Moods and Movements — Boston 1951." It included twenty of Boston's most prominent painters, each represented by three canvasses. The public response to this exhibition was gratifying, and was recognition of the fact that this was the most

important show of its kind ever held in Greater Boston. During this exhibition, the Lincoln Garden Club held its annual Spring Flower Show at the Museum, attracting visitors from many parts of the State.

In the fall of 1951, a second major exhibition was presented. The Executive Director conceived the novel idea of presenting sculpture in a natural setting. Wherever possible, three pieces from America's outstanding living sculptors were chosen and exhibited in conjunction with modern furniture loaned to the exhibition by Paine's Furniture Company of Boston and The Architect's Collaborative of Cambridge. Approximately 450 people attended the opening. The reputation of "Three-Dimensional for Modern Living" spread, attracting an estimated 3000 visitors to the Museum during its five week duration.

The program of exhibitions continued on its previously established course of emphasizing regional art. Sixteen new or relatively unknown artists were introduced in one-man or two-man shows. In all, twenty exhibitions were held in 1951, covering graphic arts, water colors, oil paintings, ceramic, drawings and sculpture. The Museum, in one year, has moved to the forefront as a major cultural force in greater Boston. Planned exhibitions for the future include such previously neglected fields as photography, American glass, handicrafts, and more comprehensive displays of decorative arts.

The educational program of the Museum developed to such proportions that Mr. Joseph Hodgson was appointed Director of Education on a three day a week basis. The fees for all classes have been kept as low as possible, consistent with the standards of instruction demanded by the Museum Directors. This has resulted in a loss for the year of approximately $1,000 which has been made up from the limited funds of the trust income. The attendance for the final quarter of 1951 to the classes reached its highest peak: 245 children and 170 adults.

To serve the artist, the Museum sells from exhibitions but takes no commissions from the sales. This policy is judicious, for there is no competition with the commercial galleries. It has gained for the Museum much good will and the complete cooperation of both the artist and the dealer. During 1951, fourteen paintings, seven prints and five pieces of sculpture were sold.

The Directors proceeded with the invitation to friends of the Museum to become "Associates" as announced in last year's report. We have been pleased to welcome 82 Associates, 10 Sustaining Associates, and 17 Professional Associates as supporters of the Museum program. Their generous contributions have enabled us to present a much more varied program than would have been possible otherwise. Every week we gain new associates, especially from the people enrolled in the adult classes.

The *Newsletter* which is published once a month is the primary method for publicizing the Museum. The circulation to about 2000 interested visitors who have requested these notices would have been impossible without the volunteer assistance of the many ladies of Lincoln who have answered our call. To them and to the ladies who served so graciously as pourers and hostesses at Museum openings we give our thanks.

Respectfully submitted,

The Directors,
JOHN QUINCY ADAMS, *President*,
JANE K. VANCE, *Vice President*,
PEARSON HUNT, *Treasurer*,
ELIZABETH J. SNELLING, *Clerk*,
CHARLES H. BLAKE,
RICHARD MERIAM,
ARTHUR THIESSEN.

deCORDOVA AND DANA MUSEUM AND PARK

Treasurer's Report

Comments on the Table

deCordova and Dana Museum and Park receives funds under various limitations, which are described below. Consequently, receipts and expenditures have been classified to show that all authorizations have been observed. Only the A and B trusts can be expected to supply income on an annually recurring basis.

Column 1. *A. Trust Purposes:* For the upkeep, maintenance and improvement of the museum and park.

Column 2. *B. Trust Purposes:*

(1) For the upkeep, maintenance and improvement of the museum and park.

(2) For additions to the art and other collections in the museum.

(3) For educational and recreational purposes.

(4) None may be used for demolition of gallery and residence nor for buildings to replace either.

Column 3. *For Alterations:* In 1949 and 1950, with the consent of the deCordova Trustees and the approval of the Court, the sum of $80,413.41 from the principal of the B Trust was paid over for alterations, repairs, and improvements to the gallery and residence.

In addition, the deCordova trustees have turned over $15,148.93, from current income over which they had discretion, and loaned $46,000.00 to the Corporation to assist in the completion of alterations. A further grant of $3,964.42 received in 1951, completed this assistance of the trustees for alterations.

The total cost of alterations, including payments in 1951, is $207,390.70.

Column 4. *Sale of Property.* This sum represents the proceeds of sales of art objects, books, and miscellaneous items. Although part of this sum has been used for alterations to the buildings, it is the intention of the directors to restore the total in later years, to be used for additions to the permanent collections of the museum.

deCORDOVA AND DANA MUSEUM AND PARK

Funds Accounting

January 1 through December 31, 1951

	(1) *A Trust Purposes*	(2) *B Trust Purposes*	(3) *For Alterations*	(4) *Sale of Portions of Collection*		*Totals*
RECEIVED						
Accountable balance forwarded	.....	.....	.....	$13,087 60		$13,087 60
On account of 1950 income	.....	$ 9,250 32	$ 3,964 42	.....		
On account of 1951 income	$5,185 00	20,783 16	.....	.....		40,704 50
Associates	.....	1,080 00	.....	.....		
Contributions	.....	222 55	.....	.....		
Sales by order of Directors	.....	.....	.....	1 00		
Income from Investments	.....	218 05	.....	.....		
Totals Received	$5,185 00	$31,554 08	$3,964 42	$13,088 60		$53,792 10
EXPENDED						
School, Programs and Services (net)	.....	$966 95	.....	.....		$966 95*
Other Ordinary Expenditures	$5,185 00	24,674 78	.....	.....		29,859 78†
Alterations	.....	5,912 35	$3,964 42	$45 02		9,921 79
	$5,185 00	$31,554 08	$3,964 42	$45 02		$40,748 52
ACCOUNTABLE BALANCE	.....	.....	.....	$13,043 58		$13,043 58
Funds on hand, December 31, 1951						
Checking Account					$1,482 48	
Imprest Funds					1,075 00	
Savings Account					10,486 10	
						$13,043 58

* Schedule A.
† Schedule B.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE FOR ANNUAL TOWN MEETING 1952

The Finance Committee recommends that the Town appropriate for general purposes $345,100 for the several specific amounts enumerated in the schedule attached.

This $345,100 recommendation compares with similar appropriations of $296,773 at the two Town meetings held in 1951 and with expenditures of $286,978 under those appropriations. The increase over last year's appropriations is $58,377 or 19.6%, and the increase over last year's expenditures is $68,122 or 23.7%.

The recommended appropriation for the Water Department is $33,779 which compares with the 1951 appropriation of $32,425 and with expenditures in 1951 of $30,653.

Comparing actual expenditures for general purposes in 1951 with the recommendations for 1952, the following is a summary of all increases of more than $500 in budgeted items:

	1951	1952	Increase	% Increase
Schools (Bonds and Interest)	$19,550	$43,150	$23,600	120.7
Schools (Operations)	127,490	145,732	18,242	14.3
Police	8,811	14,119	5,308	60.24
Aid to Citizens	27,571	31,100	3,529	12.8
Insurance	4,197	6,816	2,619	62.4
Highways	33,818	36,320	2,502	7.4
Library	4,339	5,200	861	19.8
Total of Above Items	$225,776	$282,437	$56,661	25.096

On a similar basis the major decreases were as follows:

Civil Defense	$1,900
Town House Repairs	1,469
Health and Sanitation	700
Fire Department	483
Board of Health	708
Cemetery	235
	$5,495

The remainder of the decreases were in smaller amounts.

Each $5,000 of additional appropriation will represent approximately $1 in the tax rate.

As of course was contemplated, the largest increase is for bonds and interest for the addition to the school, which requires $23,600 more than last year. Over the life of the bonds the State will reimburse the Town for approximately twenty to twenty-five percent of the cost of the buildings. If the requirement for school bonds and interest due in 1952 are added to the increased operating expenses, the appropriations in this field will amount to approximately fifty-five percent of the Town's budget. The full impact of the step-rate salary program for teachers has not yet been reached and the appropriations in this year's budget of course do not reflect a full year of operation of the school addition. We recommend the appropriation of $25,000 from free cash to meet part of the School Bond payments due in 1952.

The Supreme Court of Massachusetts saved us from the much larger appropriations for Old Age Assistance which would have been compulsory if the law had not been declared invalid and for which no appropriation had been made.

The transfers made from the Reserve Fund during the year were as follows:

Town House	$279 37
Finance Committee	11 25
Police Department	420 29
Tree and Moth	101 51
Inspectors	39 46
Civil Defense	400 00
Highway Machinery	2,745 00
Veterans Aid	111 48
Insurance	497 67
Total	$4,606 03
Balance returned to overlay surplus account	393 97
Total appropriation	$5,000 00

The Town Officers, Departments and Committees have, we believe, been judicious in the use of their appropriations.

The Town has been in a very generous mood at its more recent meetings. The tax rate is getting close to $50 per thousand of our valuation, which is double the rate ten years ago. Many of the expenses seem to be required and show little hope of reduction. Until we are willing to forego some of the things that are desirable but not really essential, the rapid rate of increase in our tax rate and burden will not be stopped.

The increased tax receipts that would normally be expected from new construction will be practically offset by the reduced receipts resulting from the new $5,000 exemption from taxation of personal effects.

We have recommended the use of a total of $34,500 of Free Cash out of the approximately $90,000 which is expected to be certified by the Commissioner of Corporations and Taxation as available on January 1, 1952.

We are of the opinion that the Town business is being carried on competently, that the control of expenditures after appropriations are made are being well handled, and that the recommended appropriations made entirely adequate provision for carrying on the public business of the Town for the year 1952.

Respectfully submitted,

F. WINCHESTER DENIO, *Chairman*,
LELAND A. WILDES, *Secretary*,
WILLIAM N. PAGE,
THOMAS J. ROUNER,
PAUL L. NORTON,
Finance Committee.

SCHEDULE OF RECOMMENDATIONS FOR 1952, WITH EXPENDITURES IN 1951

GENERAL GOVERNMENT	Expended 1951		Recommended 1952	
Selectmen				
1. Salaries	$600 00		$600 00	
3. Clerk	1,760 00		1,760 00	
3. Supplies and Miscellaneous	533 81	$2,893 81	395 00	$2,755 00
Treasurer				
4. Salaries	400 00		400 00	
5. Clerical	60 00		250 00	
6. Supplies and Miscellaneous	172 13	632 13	288 00	938 00
Collector of Taxes				
7. Salary	1,600 00		1,600 00	
8. Supplies and Miscellaneous	377 53	1,977 53	400 00	2,000 00
Clerk				
9. Salary	300 00		350 00	
10. Supplies and Miscellaneous	16 50	316 50	60 00	410 00
Assessors				
11. Salaries	550 00		550 00	
12. Clerical			325 00	
13. Supplies and Miscellaneous	630 33	1,180 33	569 00	1,444 00

Auditor				
14. Salary		50 00		50 00
Legal				
15. Counsel		500 00		500 00
Election and Registration				
16. Salaries	248 00		450 00	
17. Supplies and Miscellaneous	290 71	538 71	505 00	955 00
Town House				
18. Janitor	2,538 00		2,620 00	
19. Fuel	803 71		900 00	
20. Repairs	2,069 36		600 00	
21. Supplies and Miscellaneous	766 30	6,177 37	1,308 00	5,428 00
Planning Board				
22. Consultant			150 00	
23. Supplies and Miscellaneous	90 52	90 52	150 00	300 00
Finance Committee				
24. Supplies and Miscellaneous		41 25		15 00
TOTAL FOR GENERAL GOVERNMENT		$14,398 15		$14,795 00
PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY				
Police				
25. Salaries	6,720 29		8,845 00	
26. Car	326 61		1,800 00	
27. Supplies and Miscellaneous	1,764 84	8,811 74	3,474 00	14,119 00

Recommendations for 1952, with Expenditures in 1951 (*Continued*)

	Expended 1951		Recommended 1952	
Fire Department				
28. Salaries	300 00		300 00	
29. Labor at Fires	2,227 50		3,500 00	
30. Operation of Equipment	2,352 65		1,900 00	
31. Supplies and Miscellaneous	2,238 35	7,118 50	925 00	6,625 00
Tree and Moth Department				
32. Insect Control	2,069 86		2,000 00	
33. Dutch Elm Disease Control	1,031 65		1,000 00	
34. Poison Ivy Control	500 00	3,601 51	500 00	3,500 00
Board of Appeals				
35. Clerical	12 50		100 00	
36. Supplies and Miscellaneous	139 26	151 76	200 00	300 00
Inspectors of Building, Plumbing and Wiring				
37. Salaries and Transportation	521 96		500 00	
38. Supplies and Miscellaneous	67 50	589 46	50 00	550 00
Civil Defense				
39. Clerical			260 00	
40. Supplies and Miscellaneous		3,399 98	1,240 00	1,500 00
TOTAL FOR PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY...		$23,672 95		$26,594 00
HEALTH AND SANITATION				
Board of Health				
41. Salaries of Nurses	*2,339 92		*2,340 00	
42. Supplies and Miscellaneous	639 04		680 00	
43. Car	750 00	3,728 96		3,020 00

Inspector of Animals				
44. Salary		100 00		100 00
TOTAL FOR HEALTH AND SANITATION		$3,828 96		$3,120 00
*$460 paid by School Department in 1951 not included.				
*$560 to be paid by School Department in 1952 not included.				
HIGHWAYS				
45. Chapter 90		12,991 20		*13,000 00
General Highways				
46. Wages	10,754 17		13,500 00	
47. Machinery, Repairs and Maintenance	6,457 02		3,550 00	
48. Supplies and Miscellaneous	11,899 68		13,375 00	
49. Street Lights	4,707 62	33,818 49	5,895 00	36,320 00
TOTAL FOR HIGHWAYS		$46,809 69		$49,320 00
*State and County Share of $9,500.00 to be taken from Free Cash and returned to Free Cash when received.				
AID TO CITIZENS				
50. Old Age Assistance	26,000 00		28,000 00	
51. Aid to Dependent Children			500 00	
52. Aid to Disabled			250 00	
53. Public Welfare	60 28		250 00	
54. O.A.A. Administration	400 00		600 00	
55. Veteran's Aid	1,111 48	27,571 76	1,500 00	31,100 00
TOTAL FOR AID TO CITIZENS		$27,571 76		$31,100 00

Recommendations for 1952, with Expenditures in 1951 (*Continued*)

	Expended 1951		Recommened 1952	
EDUCATION				
Schools				
56. Salaries	69,884 42		85,085 00	
57. Transportation	12,824 73		13,705 00	
58. Tuition and Vocational Education	25,665 12		29,666 00	
59. Equipment, Supplies and Miscellaneous	19,115 77	127,490 04	17,276 00	145,732 00
Library				
60. Salaries	2,419 20		3,870 00	
61. Books	845 28		800 00	
62. Supplies and Miscellaneous	829 79		934 00	
63. Repairs	245 11	4,339 38	496 00	*5,200 00
TOTAL FOR EDUCATION		$131,829 42		$150,932 00
*Appropriation needed in addition to Dog Tax and Trust Funds.				
RECREATION				
Ballfield and Summer Playground				
64. Salaries and Wages	1,099 80		1,250 00	
65. Supplies and Miscellaneous	447 40	1,547 20	610 00	1,860 00
TOTAL FOR RECREATION		$1,547 20		$1,860 00
CEMETERY				
66. Salaries, Maintenance and Interments	2,548 51		2,550 00	
67. Supplies and Miscellaneous	92 38		117 00	
68. Permanent Improvements	*261 80	2,902 69		2,667 00
TOTAL FOR CEMETERY		$2,902 69		$2,667 00
*$261.80 taken from Cemetery Fund.				

UNCLASSIFIED				
69. Middlesex County Pension Fund	1,497 00		1,546 00	
70. Town Reports	1,178 50		1,200 00	
71. Rent of Dump	200 00		375 00	
72. Insurance	4,197 67		6,816 00	
73. Rental of Hydrants	3,135 00		3,135 00	
74. Reserve Fund (1951 Transfers in above expenses)	4,606 03	10,208 17	*4,000 00	17,072 00
TOTAL FOR UNCLASSIFIED		$10,208 17		$17,072 00
*To be taken from Overlay Surplus.				
TOWN DEBT				
75. Bonds	19,000 00		*37,000 00	
76. Interest on Bonds	5,110 00		10,640 00	
77. Interest on Tax Notes	108 89	24,218 89		47,640 00
TOTAL FOR TOWN DEBT		$24,218 89		$47,640 00
*$25,000 to be taken from Free Cash.				
TOTAL OF ABOVE EXPENDITURES		$286,987 88		
TOTAL OF ABOVE RECOMMENDATIONS				$345,100 00
WATER WORKS RECOMMENDATIONS				*33,779 00
*To be taken from Water Works treasury.				

ASSESSORS' REPORT

The Board of Assessors submit the following report for the year 1951.

Computation of Tax Rate

Total Town appropriation to be raised by taxation	$306,312 32	
Total appropriations to be taken from available funds in 1951	27,754 68	
State Parks and Reservations	557 46	
State Audit of Municipal Accounts	628 09	
County Tax	10,907 41	
Tuberculosis Hospital Assessment	1,976 63	
Overlay of current year	5,069 59	
Gross amount to be raised		$353,206 18

Estimated Receipts and Available Funds

Income Tax	$19,255 77	
Corporation Taxes	11,195 60	
Reimbursement on account of State owned land	539 35	
Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise	18,000 00	
General Government	500 00	
Protection of Persons and Property	350 00	
Health and Sanitation	350 00	
Charities	1,000 00	
Old Age Assistance	12,000 00	
Old Age Tax (Meals)	550 83	
Cemeteries	350 00	
Water	28,425 00	
Interest	1,000 00	
State Assistance for School Construction	3,500 00	
City of Cambridge Tax	700 00	
Miscellaneous	917 35	
Amount voted to be taken from Free Cash	27,754 68	
Overestimates of previous year	2,710 81	
Total Estimated Receipts and Available Funds		$129,099 39

Net Amount to be raised by Taxation

Poll Tax	$ 1,488 00	
Personal Property Tax	22,318 91	
Real Estate Tax	200,299 88	
		$224,106 79

Table of Aggregates

Number of Persons Assessed:		
On Personal Estate only		36
On Real Estate only		385
On both Real and Personal Estate		320
Total Number of Persons Assessed		741
Number of Polls Assessed		744
Value of Assessed Personal Estate:		
Stock in Trade	$217,150 00	
Machinery	38,855 00	
Live Stock	48,643 00	
All other Tangible Personal Property	202,600 00	
Total Value of Assessed Personal Estate		$507,248 00
Value of Assessed Real Estate:		
Land	$1,055,225 00	
Buildings	3,497,045 00	
Total Value of Assessed Real Estate		$4,552,270 00
Total Valuation of Assessed Estate		5,059,518 00
Tax Rate per $1,000 00	$44 00	
Number of Live Stock Assessed:		
Horses (1 year or over)	32	
Cows (1 year or over)	195	
Bulls	4	
Heifers	60	
Steers	60	
Swine (6 months old or over)	448	
Sheep	7	
Fowl	4,490	
Number of Acres of Land Assessed		8,270 91
Number of Dwelling Houses Assessed		657

DAVID B. YOUNG, *Chairman*,
GEORGE G. TARBELL, JR.,
ARTHUR W. RICE.

VALUATION LIST, JANUARY 1, 1951

Name of Taxpayer	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Tax on Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real Estate
Abbott, John A. and Diana B.	$250	$11 00	$7,050	$310 20
Adams, John	200	8 80		
Adams, John Quincy	800	57 86		
Adams, John Q. and Lucy D.			40,050	1,762 20
Adams, Ramelle C.	550	24 20	10,500	462 00
Adams, Thomas B.	200	8 80		
Adkins, Archibald W. and Dorothea G.	600	26 40	10,000	440 00
A'Hearn, Marian E.			3,150	138 60
Albano Bros.			300	13 20
Algeo, John T. and Catherine R.			4,000	176 00
Algeo, Mary A.			4,600	202 40
Anderson, Alfred F., Jr.	100	4 40	5,250	231 00
Anderson, Lawrence B. and Rosina DuP.	900	39 60	13,300	585 20
Antinarelli, Joseph J. and Helen J.			500	22 00
Appleby, Richard B.			4,500	198 00
Aptt, Harry S. and Etta E.			3,250	143 00
Arnold, S. Leonard and Anna M.			4,000	176 00
Aruda, Manuel J.			250	11 00
Ashworth, Harold T. and Irma D.	350	15 40	7,000	308 00
Avery, Abigail D.	350	15 40	7,500	330 00
Ayer, Richard B., Jr. and Constance M.	500	22 00	9,200	404 80
Aylward, Claire M.			1,000	44 00
Baggs, Arthur E., Jr. and Marion S.			1,200	52 80
Baker, Frederick L.	1,000	44 00		
Baker, John C. and Elizabeth E.			2,000	88 00
Baker, Lulu G.			4,580	201 52
Baker, Margaret C.			5,000	220 00
Banks, Harland F.			1,200	52 80
Baker, Elliot R.			1,500	66 00
Barnaby, John M. and Charlotte B.	100	4 40	4,600	202 40
Barthel, Walter			5,050	222 20
Bartlett, Theodore			1,650	72 60
Baxter, Charles O.	100	4 40		
Bean, Anna K.	200	8 80	6,000	264 00
Bean, Elmer A.	200	8 80		
Bean, Elmer A. and Henry N.			3,075	135 30

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Beebe, Alice W.	$3,700	$162 80	$47,000	$2,068 00
Beggs, Sidney A.	900	39 60	16,000	704 00
Belanger, Walter E. and Mary F.	400	17 60	7,400	325 60
Bergen, Kenneth	400	17 60		
Bernson, Bob	400	17 60	2,400	105 60
Bernson, Bob and Edith J.			5,500	242 00
Bernson, Edith A.	500	22 00	18,000	792 00
Berry, Albert R. and M. Beatrice			3,250	143 00
Bertolami, Leo F. and Rose M.	150	6 60	4,700	206 80
Bertolami, Paolina			400	17 60
Bigelow, Dr. Barry	900	39 60		
Billings, Bruce H. and Virginia M.	350	15 40	7,280	320 32
Billings, James B. and Marion	350	15 40	10,650	468 60
Bingham, Elizabeth A.			9,250	407 00
Bingham, Elizabeth P. B.			250	11 00
Bingham, George C.			500	22 00
Bishop, Fern W. and Marjorie B. Sharpe	600	26 40	10,200	448 80
Black, Everett A. and Anne E.	1,659	72 99	32,000	1,408 00
Blake, Charles H. and Helen L.	600	26 40	10,500	462 00
Blake, Donald D. and Alicia B.			4,050	178 20
Blake, Rose	200	8 80	5,700	250 80
Bliss, Charles A.	100	4 40		
Boch, Victor and Margaret			1,000	44 00
Bogner, Walter F. and Edith	500	22 00	9,200	404 80
Bonia, Walter J.	150	6 60	5,100	224 40
Booth, Robert H.	900	39 60	14,300	629 20
Boston Consolidated Gas Co.	75,000	3,300 00		
Boston & Maine R.R.	900	39 60		
Boston Edison Co.	132,500	5,830 00		
Bowles, Clifford	150	6 60	7,000	308 00
Bowles, Mildred W.	225	9 90	12,150	534 60
Bowles, William	1,050	46 20	4,000	176 00
Boyce Brothers	3,750	165 00	12,000	528 00
Boyce, Manley B.			3,000	132 00
Boyce, Manley B. and Alice M.			2,500	110 00
Boyce, Michael J.	100	4 40	4,500	198 00
Bradford, Robert L. and Martha A.	150	6 60	5,300	233 20
Bradley, James and Mary E.	100	4 40	4,550	200 20
Bradshaw, Fred and Julia S.	10	0 44	5,000	220 00
Bradshaw, Sally B. Davis	600	26 40	10,500	462 00

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Briggs, Susan L.	$700	$30 80	$13,500	$594 00
Brisson, Norman T.	375	16 50	100	4 40
Brooks, Albert S. and Maude M.			5,400	237 60
Brooks, Paul	400	17 60	9,750	429 00
Brown, Elizabeth G.	900	39 60	14,000	616 00
Brown, Marion I. and Bernice I. Stevens			3,000	132 00
Brown, Robert P. and Polly F.	150	6 60	5,900	259 60
Browning, Edgar C. and Katherine A.			4,950	217 80
Browning, George U.	2,510	110 44	6,000	264 00
Buerger, Martin J. and Lila	600	26 40	12,000	528 00
Burgess, Aubrey W. and Rebecca M.			3,250	143 00
Burgess, Catherine M.			1,500	66 00
Burke, Thomas D.			3,000	132 00
Burns, Melvin P.			3,050	134 20
Busfield, Gibson L. and Marilyn A.	200	8 80	5,000	242 00
Butcher, Charles R.			1,950	85 80
Butcher, Henry A., Jr. and Margaret V.			2,100	92 40
Butcher, Ralph E.	450	19 80	4,300	189 20
Buthman, Fred A. and Ednah E.			500	22 00
Butler, William H. and Mary G.			4,750	209 00
Buttrick Company, David	2,500	110 00	10,100	444 40
Buxton, David and Lois Pardee	200	8 80	6,000	264 00
Byrne, Myrtle Stocher			1,000	44 00
Calkins, Ramona T. and Whittier			4,500	198 00
Campbell, Coburn A. L. and Louise J.			4,200	184 80
Campbell, Fannie S. and Adeline S.	250	11 00	9,220	405 68
Campobasso, Anthony B. and Dorothy M.			3,100	136 40
Campobasso, Ethel			1,500	66 00
Canella, Calagero and Francesca, d/b/as Lincoln Auto Service	1,100	48 40	3,800	167 20
Cannon, Ellen DeN. and Bradford	1,150	50 60	22,800	1,003 20
Carman, Eleanor T.	600	26 40	10,300	453 20
Carney, Florence T.			3,575	157 30
Carstensen, Warren	400	17 60		

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Cassidy, Henry J. and Verna E..			$3,650	$160 60
Cassidy, Patrick J. and Edith...			1,300	57 20
Catoia, Angelo and Mary J.....			3,100	136 40
Catoia, Anthony J. and Lucy M. A.....			2,850	125 40
Causer, William O.....			3,300	145 20
Chapin, Robert C. and Margaret E.....			3,500	154 00
Chapin, Louise B. and Bertha L..	$150	$6 60	11,500	506 00
Chapman, James S.....			4,775	210 10
Chapman, Lily T.....			750	33 00
Chase, Ann O.....	650	28 60	11,300	497 20
Chipman, Robert Hennessy.....			4,000	176 00
Chisholm, Edward C. and Margaret F.....	150	6 60	4,900	215 60
Chu, Chauncey C. and Margaret.			1,000	44 00
Church, Robert T. and Priscilla Schirmer.....	600	26 40	11,200	492 80
Churchill, J. Stanley and Ednah G.....	900	39 60	16,500	726 00
Churchill, Robert R. and June D.	100	4 40	5,400	237 60
Cibel, Stanley A. and Thelma W.	200	8 80	6,300	277 20
Ciraso, Michael and Amelia.....			3,650	160 60
Clark, George A.....	45	1 98	3,650	160 60
Clark, Lester M.....			1,000	44 00
Clark, W. Van Alan, Jr. and Mary H.....	100	4 40	5,900	259 60
Clarke, Richard J.....	100	4 40		
Coan, James P.....	100	4 40	3,250	143 00
Coan, Thomas F.....			3,350	147 40
Coane, John H.....			3,750	165 00
Coane, John H., Jr.....			2,100	92 40
Coburn, Edward S.....	1,185	52 14	6,200	272 80
Codman, Dorothy S. F. M.....	100	4 40	5,000	220 00
Codman, Thomas N., *et al* Trustees.....	1,950	85 80	67,300	2,961 20
Cole, Edwin M. and Lucy F.....	650	28 60	11,200	492 80
Cole, Nancy W.....	450	19 80	8,800	387 20
Comey, Arthur C. and Elizabeth P.....	350	15 40	7,500	330 00
Community Store.....	1,500	66 00		
Comstock, Joan B.....	300	13 20	7,350	323 40
Conant, Lily R.....	300	13 20	9,000	396 00

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Conary, Frances P.			$4,500	$198 00
Concannon, Marian E.			5,000	220 00
Condit, Robert P. and Phyllis	$100	$4 40	5,000	220 00
Conlin, James J. and Winifred Irene			250	11 00
Connors, Ann F.			1,300	57 20
Conti, Bartolomeo B.			6,750	297 00
Cook Brothers	600	26 40		
Cook, Harry and John F.			4,950	217 80
Corcoran, Francis J.			3,000	132 00
Corey, Robert H., Jr. and Sara P.			6,200	272 80
Cormey, Henry J.	50	2 20		
Cormey, Henry J. and Illione W.			900	39 60
Corrigan, Edward D.			3,500	154 00
Corrigan, John F. and May			7,000	308 00
Corrigan, Martin, Jr.			2,400	105 60
Corrigan, Mary K.			1,500	66 00
Corrigan, Patrick F.			2,300	101 20
Corrigan, Phillip K. and Muriel			3,400	149 60
Costello, John D.			100	4 40
Costello, William B.			1,800	79 20
Cotoni, Joseph	2,475	108 90		
Cotoni, Nicholas			4,600	202 40
Coughlan, Christina B.			5,000	220 00
Cousins, Ashley B.			2,400	105 60
Cousins, Fred E.			3,400	149 60
Cousins, Harold S.			19,250	847 00
Cousins, Laurence B. and Jeanne B.	50	2 20	4,400	193 60
Cousins, Willis N.			3,650	160 60
Cowles, Addison and Alexandra C.	159	7 00	5,150	226 60
Crane, Charles E. and Hazell G.	1,000	44 00	15,000	660 00
Crawford, John D. and Joanna W.	100	4 40	5,000	220 00
Crawford, Marshall	150	6 60	6,250	275 00
Creelman, Gilmore B. and Alice M.	50	2 20	3,550	156 20
Crider, John H. and Maxine R.	400	17 60	8,600	378 40
Croft, Robert	100	4 40	4,600	202 40
Crook, Russell G.			3,000	132 00
Crowley, Timothy J.			2,000	88 00
Crowson, Leslie W. and Madeline W.	250	11 00	6,800	299 20

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Culver, Perry J. and Kate S.			$3,000	$132 00
Cunnert, Estate of Fritz	$1,000	$44 00	6,500	286 00
Cunningham, Elizabeth A.			500	22 00
Cunningham, Elizabeth A. and Edward B.			3,700	162 80
Cunningham, George E.			4,915	216 26
Cunningham, Harold L. and Corrine			3,600	158 40
Cunningham, Robert M.			2,900	127 60
Cushing, Gustave			4,500	198 00
Dahl, Thyra	200	8 80	5,800	255 20
Damico, Louise			2,350	103 40
Damico, Ralph P.	50			
Danosky, Edward A.	370	16 28	1,150	50 60
Danosky, Edward A. and Mary C.			3,600	158 40
Danosky, Stephania	1,000	44 00	9,650	424 60
Davenport, Robert H., Jr.			4,300	189 20
Davis, Alfred M.	1,250	55 00	4,750	209 00
Davis, D. Bradford and Barbara G.	600	26 40	10,200	448 80
Davis, E. Russell	1,300	57 20	19,000	836 00
Davis, Francis J. and Shirley H.	100	4 40	5,100	224 40
Davis, H. R., Jr.	150	6 60		
Davis, Prescott L.	2,130	101 64	9,100	400 40
Davis, Saville R. and Anita V.	300	13 20	7,500	330 00
Davison, Archibald T.	600	26 40	13,000	572 00
Davison, Everett H.			2,600	114 40
Davol, George	150	6 60		
Dean, Emma W.			3,200	140 80
Dean, Lewis W.	1,250	55 00	9,800	431 20
Dean, William M.			1,000	44 00
Dean, William M. and Lorraine C.			3,000	132 00
Dee, Helena A.			2,000	88 00
Dee, Thomas J.			2,200	96 80
DeFord, William and Elinor S.	200	8 80	7,100	312 40
Denehy, Edward J. and Bernadetta J.			5,800	255 20
Denio, F. Winchester			3,500	154 00
DeNormandie, Alice W.	900	39 60	34,500	1,518 00
DeNormandie, James	9,875	434 50	3,000	132 00
DeNormandie, James and Martha			9,950	437 80

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DeNormandie, James and Robert L.			$33,550	$1,476 20
DeNormandie, Robert L.			22,075	971 30
DePavla, Dominick			500	22 00
Diamond, James E.			900	39 60
Dodge, Orien B.			2,850	125 40
Doherty, Anthony J.			5,500	264 00
Doherty, Josephine C.	$550	$24 20	11,000	484 00
Doherty, Mary E., Margaret A., Marjorie J.			2,000	88 00
Doherty, Matthew H., d/b/as Doherty's Garage	1,600	70 40		
Doherty, Matthew H. and Elizabeth H.			9,800	431 20
Dole, Gertrude E.			2,880	126 72
Dominichello, Frank and Mattie M.	485	21 34	3,500	156 20
Donaldson, Estate of Charlotte H.			8,000	352 00
Donaldson, Gordon A. and Elizabeth A.			7,000	308 00
Donaldson, Malcolm D.	400	17 60	8,250	363 00
Donaldson, Robert D.			67,600	2,974 40
Donaldson, Robert D., Jr.			6,500	28 00
Donnelly, Bernard F. and Josephine B.			1,500	66 00
Dorian, Paul and Newart			3,750	165 00
Dougherty, Andrew J.	2,710	119 24	6,350	279 40
Dougherty, Dennis M.			2,900	127 60
Dresser, Charles N. and Ruth C.	200	8 80	6,200	272 80
DuBois, Anson M. and Olive S.			5,100	224 40
DuBois, Eliot and Barbara			250	11 00
Eaton, Gertrude S.	300	13 20	7,500	330 00
Ehlert, Heirs of Ellen			5,625	247 50
Eldridge, Hudson S. and Barbara H.			1,250	55 00
Emerson, Beatrice W. and Dorothy W. Boulet			1,300	57 20
Emerson, Heirs of Edward W.			500	22 00
Emerson, Heirs of Ralph W.			500	22 00
Emmons, A. B.	100	4 40		
Erickson, Leonard V. and Martha F.	150	6 60	5,000	220 00
East, John A. and Edla A.			3,500	154 00

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Fairbanks, Rollin	$900	$39 60	$14,500	$638 00
Farley, Louis C., Jr. and Isabel K.			4,500	198 00
Farnsworth, Kenneth C. and Marguerite M.	900	39 60	15,500	682 00
Farrar, Estate of Edward R.			3,500	154 00
Faunce, Anthony	550	24 20		
Fedock, Metro and Hazel A.			2,650	116 60
Fernald, Alvin E.	200	8 80	5,900	259 60
Fillmore, Bruce R. and Eleanor L.	100	4 40	4,400	193 60
Fillmore, Ernest C.	300	13 20	6,800	299 20
Fitts, Charles K. and Gertrude W.	1,100	48 40	16,500	726 00
Flanagan, James and Wilhelmina G.			700	30 80
Fleck, Richard C. and Frances R.	600	26 40	10,600	466 40
Fletcher, Walter B. and Helen F.	300	13 20	6,750	297 00
Flint, Edward W., Ex. u/w Ephraim B. Flint			1,900	83 60
Flint, Henry R.	500	22 00		
Flint, Josephine R.	150	6 60	11,000	484 00
Flint, Warren F.	3,675	161 70	13,000	572 00
Floyd, Olive B.			4,500	198 00
Flynn, Frank J.			400	17 60
Flynn, Helen C.	450	19 80	8,700	382 80
Foley, Harold F. and Rita E.			1,300	57 20
Forbes, Annabel Otis	200	8 80	5,500	242 00
Ford, Katherine Morrow			9,250	407 00
Fradd, Norman W.	250	11 00	7,500	330 00
Frazier, Joseph G. and Harriet E.			4,200	184 80
Fryatt, Thomas F.	100	4 40	5,200	228 80
Fuller, Ernest L. and Doris O.	500	22 00	9,300	409 20
Garland, Joseph and Mira C.			2,500	110 00
Gary, John E. and Maida F.	300	13 20	7,000	308 00
Geary, Edward T. and Katherine E.			8,300	365 20
Gertz, George L. and Edith A.			4,200	184 80
Giblin, Mary E. and Ruth E.	300	13 20	6,630	291 72
Giddy, Osman & Helen M.	350	15 40	8,000	352 00
Gilbert, John W. and Josephine L.			2,000	88 00
Gilbert, Mary J.			2,500	110 00

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Gilboy, Glennon and Elizabeth W.	$600	$26 40	$10,000	$440 00
Giles, Edmund W.	1,350	59 40		
Giles, Edmund W. and Muriel H.			7,100	312 40
Giles, Muriel			5,100	224 40
Giles, Thomas T.	1,925	84 70		
Giles, Thomas T. and Stella A.			10,000	440 00
Gilfoy, Donald A. and Helen B.			13,200	580 80
Gill, Mary			9,500	418 00
Glazier, L. Gordon and Gertrude.	1,400	61 60	19,000	836 00
Goodfellow, Daniel R. and Eleanora A.	100	4 40	4,800	211 20
Gordon, Marie C.			4,200	184 80
Grabill, Elliott V. and Martha L.	650	28 60	11,000	484 00
Graf, Malcolm			2,000	88 00
Grason, Rufus L. and Edna B.			700	30 80
Graves, Helen P.	250	11 00		
Gray, Robert W.	300	13 20	6,600	290 40
Greco, Louis and Katherine T.; Silvia U. and Antonia DiStefano			600	26 40
Greene, Frederick H., Jr. and Helen H.	500	22 00	10,500	462 00
Griffin, Harriet S.	350	15 40	7,000	308 00
Grinnell, William L. and Virginia B.	300	13 20	7,000	308 00
Gropius, Walter and Ilse	900	39 60	14,500	638 00
Gross, T. A. O., and Judith C. F.	150	6 60	5,300	233 20
Gustafson, Edwin Anton and Doris Margaret			3,500	154 00
Haden, Russell L. and Constance J.			4,000	176 00
Hagerty, Julia C.			3,000	132 00
Hagmann, Fridolin			8,500	374 00
Hagmann, Otto	150	6 60		
Haley, Arthur E.			1,500	66 00
Hamilton, Bessie E.	150	6 60	4,800	211 20
Hammer, Sarah J.	300	13 20	6,900	303 60
Hanlon, Albert W.	100	4 40	5,000	220 00
Harding, Catherine			2,500	110 00
Harling, Ernest J.			4,500	198 00
Harnish, Ezra W. and Eugenia D.			4,300	189 20
Harrington, Estate of F. Frank			1,750	77 00

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Harrington, Katherine A.			$2,000	$88 00
Harrington, Winthrop W.			4,100	180 40
Hart, Joseph S.			8,500	374 00
Hart, Frederick R.			200	8 80
Hart, William E. and Isabella C.	$500	$22 00	9,200	404 80
Hartman, Henry F.			3,700	162 80
Hartwell Farm	1,800	79 20		
Hatheway, Louise A.	6,760	297 44	133,950	5,893 80
Hayden, Nellie B.			300	13 20
Healey, Harry R., Jr. and Jeanne C.			5,200	228 80
Heck, Stanley and Mary H.	2,200	96 80	33,800	1,487 20
Hedge, Mary A.	550	24 20	10,500	462 00
Helburn, Peter and Margaret			700	30 80
Henderson, Ernest	2,450	107 80		
Henderson, Gerard C. and Edith M.	100	4 40	5,000	220 00
Henderson, Mary S.			46,700	2,054 80
Henley, Archibald and Lottie			4,640	204 16
Henley, Archie E. and Wilfred B.			4,500	198 00
Henley, Merrill J. or Ida			200	8 80
Henry, Hall M. and Addie McAllister	600	26 40	10,000	440 00
Herlihy, Maurice K. and Jean E.			3,300	145 20
Herman, Edwards W.	600	26 40	12,200	536 80
Herman, John E. and Anne B.			700	30 80
Herthel, Stephen W. and Evelyn S.	550	24 20	13,650	600 60
Hess, Kenneth W. and Alice B.	550	24 20	9,500	418 00
Hewes, Charles A. and Annie F.			3,500	154 00
Hills, H. Bigelow and Florence R.	1,100	48 40	16,000	704 00
Hinds, Evelyn W.	200	8 80	8,000	352 00
Hoar, George W. and Norman W.			250	11 00
Hollingsworth, Lowell M. and Florence S.	300	13 20	7,000	308 00
Holmes, William — d/b/as Lincoln Hardware	1,500	66 00		
Hoover, Henry B. and Lucretia J.	350	15 40	7,300	321 20
Hornor, Townsend and Barbara G.	250	11 00	6,000	264 00
Houghton, John J. and Lillian			3,800	167 20
Howard, Elizabeth	400	17 60	16,100	708 40
Howard, Esther T.	500	22 00	9,400	413 60

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Hoyt, Harrison and Shirley J.			$2,700	$118 80
Hunt, Lewis E.			4,000	176 00
Hunt, Merrill	$500	$22 00	15,000	660 00
Hunt, Pearson and Merrill T.	250	11 00	6,500	286 00
Hunt, William F. and Julia Pearson			400	17 60
Hunter, Heirs of Euphemia J.			9,600	422 40
Hunter, Robert R.	1,000	44 00		
Huntley, George F. and Lottie D.			4,700	206 80
Huntley, Medford E. and Blanche L.			3,700	162 80
Huntley, Oland F. and Alberta T.	50	2 20	2,900	127 60
Hurd, Nancy Dabney	350	15 40	7,150	314 60
Hutchinson, James	100	4 40		
Hyde, Benjamin D. and Mildred B.	400	17 60	8,000	352 00
Jackson, Dorothy W.	800	35 20	12,000	528 00
Jacobs, May L.	900	39 60	15,000	660 00
Jenney, Charles J. and Katrina C.	150	6 60	5,500	242 00
Jensen, Holgar J. and Grace A.			3,100	136 40
Johansen, Rose May			1,500	66 00
John, DeWitt H. and Morley			1,700	74 80
Johnson, Ernest L. and Grace M.	800	35 20	12,000	528 00
Johnson, Fern A.			3,000	132 00
Jones, Chester L. and Anne B.	150	6 60	5,000	220 00
Keene, Clifton R.	150	6 60	5,000	220 00
Keily, Delbar P. and Gertrude E.			3,900	171 60
Keizer, Harold			1,500	66 00
Kelliher, John J.			3,800	167 20
Kennedy, Albert E.			5,800	255 20
Kennedy Brothers	500	22 00		
Kennedy, John T. and Albert E.			150	6 60
Kidd, Wilmot			1,000	44 00
Killoran, Martha			3,850	169 40
Kimball, Robert M. and Barbara P.	500	22 00	9,100	400 40
Kindleberger, Charles P. and Sarah M.	150	6 60	5,450	239 80
King, Abigail A.	700	30 80	12,000	528 00
King, William T.	1,050	46 20	15,800	695 20
Kinney, Robert C.			2,000	88 00
Kinsler, Herman F. and Louise M.	10	0 44	5,500	242 00

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Kirkpatrick, David W. and Margaret M.	$100	$4 40	$5,000	$220 00
Kistiakowsky, George B. and Irma E.	600	26 40	11,500	506 00
Knowles, Harry B., Jr.	100	4 40		
Knowles, Wilma E.			5,000	220 00
Kolyshkin, George			3,030	133 32
Kubik, Charles S. and Emily K.	100	4 40	6,000	264 00
Ladd, Edward H., Jr. and Agnes E.	150	6 60	5,250	231 00
Lahey, Heirs of James			1,500	66 00
Lahnstein, Karl F. and Margaret A.			3,200	140 80
Langille, Claire M.	250	11 00		
Langton, William G.	300	13 20	7,000	308 00
Larrabee, Leonard C. and Peggy S.	159	6 60	5,900	259 60
Lavrakas, Fofo			2,150	94 60
Lawson, Harold E.	1,500	66 00	7,450	327 80
Lawton, John J. and Beatrice G.			2,100	92 40
Leary, Edward B.			350	15 40
Leavitt, Donald P. and Christine P.	500	22 00	9,000	396 00
LeBlanc, Alphonse J. and Alice M.			2,500	110 00
LeBlanc, Philias and Lena	250	11 00	5,850	257 40
Lee, Edwin John			8,800	387 20
LeMann, John			2,850	125 40
Lennon, James V. and Elin			3,800	167 20
Leslie, Maurice A. and Annie M.			4,340	190 96
Liddick, Harold S. and Virginia D.	150	6 60	5,200	228 80
Ligda, Myron G. H. and Evelyn D.			2,900	127 60
Lincoln Beauty Salon	450	19 80		
Lincoln, Kenneth C. and Virginia			3,000	132 00
Linscott, Donald A., Jr. and Grace M.	100	4 40	4,400	193 60
Litte, Rudolph, James B. McMillin, Lloyd R. Allen			1,500	66 00
Livengood, Eleanor C. H.			3,800	167 20
Lorrey, Mildred J.	100	4 40	5,575	245 30
Lothrop, John W. and Ellen D.	500	22 00	10,500	462 00

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Loud, John F. and Mary L.	$600	$26 40	$10,000	$440 00
Lovejoy, Evelene T.	600	26 40	10,250	451 00
Lummus, John W. and Ann A.			4,050	172 20
Lunt, Heirs of Charles			2,600	114 40
Lustwerk George and Julia			4,500	198 00
Lutnicki, Victor A.	150	6 60		
Lynch, Edward H., Jr.			3,600	158 40
Lyon, Edward B. and Constance R.			3,800	167 20
Lyon, Ruth			3,700	162 80
Lyons, Winifred A.			4,130	181 72
MacFarland, Charles C. and Phyllis M.			2,250	99 00
MacFarland, Ernest H.	150	6 60	6,000	264 00
MacInnis, Daniel A., Jr. and Francis Clarke			3,300	145 20
Mackenzie, Roland C.	800	35 20	12,000	528 00
Maclaurin, Richard Colin and Ellen	450	19 80	10,100	444 40
MacLaurin, Rupert and Elfrieda C.			1,000	44 00
MacLean, Heirs of Hector J. — M. Arnold MacLean, Adm.			4,350	191 40
MacLeod, Edward and Hester M.			2,850	125 40
MacLeod, Edward, Jr. and Mary M.			1,100	48 40
MacRae, Manning W.	350	15 40	5,500	242 00
Mahan, Russell P.			3,000	132 00
Mahar, Raymond and Gertrude M.			3,200	140 80
Mallett, Herbert A. and Eva M.			2,600	114 40
Manges, Andrew J.	100	4 40		
Mann, David W. and Iva S.	7,050	310 20	22,900	1,007 60
Mannarino, Heirs of Anna			1,500	66 00
Manning, Joseph J. and Catherine L.	100	4 40	4,700	206 80
Marchetti, John W. and Sarah G.	450	19 80	8,000	352 00
Martin, Fred and Marie	100	4 40	5,000	220 00
Martin, Wilhelmina W.	400	17 60	9,500	418 00
Mascari, Leonard E. and Grace B.	300	13 20	11,000	484 00
Matthews, Ida Lucille W. and Marion Clark			3,500	154 00

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McClennen, Alan and Louise H..	$750	$33 00	$12,500	$550 00
McCune, William J. and Elizabeth	350	15 40	8,300	365 20
McHugh, Katherine			500	22 00
McHugh, Mary L			6,000	264 00
McPherson, Paul and Margaret M			3,150	138 60
McShane, Nellie			100	4 40
Meade, Edmund J. and Eleanor H			3,500	154 00
Melanson, Leonard J. and Mary.			4,000	176 00
Meriam, Richard R. and Alice G.	650	28 60	12,350	543 40
Meyer, Robert V	150	6 60	5,300	233 20
Michel, Jules J. and Marie C	450	19 80	10,040	441 76
Militzer, Raymond E. and Martha B			4,000	176 00
Miller, Henry D. and Mary E	400	17 60	8,300	365 20
Miller, Mary G	200	8 80	6,000	264 00
Mills, Cecil R. and Lillian M			2,500	110 00
Monks, Caroline T	100	4 40	5,750	253 00
Monks, John P. and Ann S	4,100	180 40	48,900	2,151 60
Moody, Charles P. and Josephine G	250	11 00	6,100	268 40
Moore, Herbert L., Jr. and Sylvia W	600	26 40	10,200	448 80
Moore, Paul			100	4 40
Morgan, Daniel J. and Angelina M			350	15 40
Morgan, Henry M. and Gwen G.	200	8 80	7,000	308 00
Morris, Milliage E. and Beatrice M	135	5 94	1,500	66 00
Morris, Robert E. F. and Clara D			3,700	162 80
Morris, Robert H. and Irene S			4,500	198 00
Morrissey, Elizabeth Ann			1,900	83 60
Morrissey, John Joseph	600	26 40	4,500	198 00
Morse, Thomas R	700	30 80	12,300	541 20
Moses, John P. and Alice W	250	11 00	6,700	294 80
Moszka, Stanley E. and Anna			2,800	123 20
Mount Auburn Cemetery			2,500	110 00
Mukhitarian, Samuel and Stephanie			3,050	134 20
Murphy, Bridget	100	4 40	4,500	198 00

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Murphy, Cyrus W. and Persis S..			$2,950	$129 80
Murphy, Edward W.....	$150	$6 60	5,000	220 00
Murphy, Heirs of Jeremiah.....			3,500	154 00
Murphy, Mina Dorothea.....			3,500	154 00
Murphy, Otis W. and Patricia...			50	2 20
Murphy, William F.....	450	19 80	10,750	473 00
Neary, Patrick J. and Alice B....			4,200	184 80
Nelson, Albert E. and Marjorie E.....	150	6 60	5,400	237 60
Nelson, Erik J.....			1,000	44 00
Nelson, W. Newton and Eleanor R.....			9,000	396 00
Neumann, Ernest P. and Sylvia.	400	17 60	8,250	363 00
Neville, Heirs of Ellen M.....			900	39 60
Neville, Mary A. and Delia M...	2,425	106 70	4,400	193 60
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.....	60,800	2,675 20	4,000	176 00
Newell, Joseph S. and Lena M...			8,500	374 00
Newton, Harland B. and Ethel H.	250	11 00	7,300	321 20
Newton, Hazel H.....	200	8 80	5,800	255 20
Nichols, Geraldine M. and Harold F.....	350	15 40	7,500	330 00
Niles, Robert I. and Virginia M..	250	11 00	6,700	294 80
Norton, Paul L.....	200	8 80	6,500	286 00
Norton, Thomas F., Trustee			1,500	66 00
Nystrom, Foster H. and Edna C.	200	8 80	5,900	259 60
Ober, Clyde.....	100	4 40		
Ockels, Theodore S. and Rosemarie G.....			300	13 20
Ogden, Warren G., Jr.....	150	6 60	5,650	248 60
O'Reilly, Andrew J. and Josephine M.....	100	4 40	5,000	220 00
O'Reilly, Joseph J. and Camilla M.....			3,800	176 20
Orton, Floyd E. and Ora Mae...			2,500	110 00
Osborne, Gordon and Freda W...	800	35 20	21,440	943 36
O'Sullivan, William J. and Mary E.....	1,750	77 00	35,000	1,540 00
Paddock, Louis E. and Anne E...	350	15 40	7,000	308 00
Page, Elliott F. and Emily R....			3,800	167 20
Page, William N. and Elizabeth J.....	400	17 60	8,000	352 00
Paine, Charles H.....			200	8 80
Pallotta, Henry and Eleanor A...	100	4 40	4,500	198 00

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Palmer, Waldo E. and Eleanor M.	$300	$13 20	$7,500	$330 00
Panetta, Pasquale and Mary	585	25 74	4,030	177 32
Parker, Francis B. and Joanne B.			1,750	77 00
Parker, Jackson			2,500	110 00
Parker, William J., Jr.			3,625	159 50
Parks, Henry A. and Harriett A.			2,300	101 20
Pattinson, Mary I.			6,600	290 40
Pavlo, Samuel G.			400	17 60
Pazzano, Charles H., Jr. and Mary R.			250	11 00
Peck, Mildred E.			3,850	169 40
Pederson, Sarah A.			1,100	48 40
Peirce, Harriet T.			5,000	220 00
Pellandini, Robert T. and Virginia A.	100	4 40	4,700	206 80
Peloquin, Roy J. and Alice M.			4,300	189 20
Pertzoff, Constantin A. and Olga	3,700	162 80	38,740	1,704 56
Pertzoff, Olga			3,000	132 00
Peterson, Edward H. and Virginia			750	33 00
Peterson, John R. and Mary Virginia			2,000	88 00
Peterson, Roy C.			3,300	145 20
Phillips, Henry B. and Charlotte T.	1,100	48 40	16,250	715 00
Pierce, Charles Eliot and Dora Redway	550	24 20	12,500	550 00
Place, Daniel N.			1,150	50 60
Poinier, Donald and Roberta	100	4 40	4,900	215 60
Pollard, Frederick H., *et al.*			13,000	572 00
Poole, Ruth E. and Frederick			3,500	154 00
Poor, Jane H. and Marion A. Fitch			12,500	550 00
Potter, Howard L. and Barbara V.	250	11 00	6,000	264 00
Preston, Jean W.	1,700	74 80	26,500	1,166 00
Primak, John and Lena	735	32 34	10,300	453 20
Prouty, C. Newton			1,000	44 00
Quarton, Gardner and Frances			8,030	353 32
Queen, Robert C. and Hester M.			4,500	198 00
Rand, Janet G.	200	8 80	6,000	264 00
Rand, Lucy K.			21,500	946 00
Rand, William	1,500	66 00		

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Rando, Giovanina			$4,850	$213 40
Rando, Thomas	$500	$22 00		
Rasmussen, Robert F. and Doris A. Bardsley			2,500	110 00
Rice, Arthur W., Jr. and Pauline K.	800	35 20	12,200	536 80
Rice, Richard B. and Grace W.	30	1 32	3,300	145 20
Rice, Warren A. and Ruth H.	1,750	77 00	9,100	400 40
Richardson, Howard C.			200	8 80
Richardson, Lyle M.			2,250	99 00
Riley, Allston and Marion	150	6 60	10,400	457 60
Roach, James L. and Dora J.			300	13 20
Robbins, Roland W. and Geraldine			3,000	132 00
Roberti, Norbert F.			4,250	187 00
Robichaud, George V. and Emma	100	4 40	4,500	198 00
Robinson, Dora J.			3,500	154 00
Robinson, Morris R.	100	4 40		
Robus, Tamzin K.			2,500	110 00
Rodiman, Mildred M.			1,000	44 00
Rogers, Edward H.	1,010	44 44	19,000	836 00
Rogers, John H.	200	8 80	7,000	308 00
Rollins, Elmer A., Trustee			800	35 20
Rood, Allan and Jane	250	11 00	6,100	268 40
Rooney, Edward D. and Elizabeth M.	150	6 60	5,300	233 20
Rooney, John J. and Margaret C.			1,500	66 00
Rooney, Leonard A. and Helen L.			3,000	132 00
Root, Harriet E.			600	26 40
Root, Lily Frederica			2,100	92 40
Rouner, Thomas J. and Doris J.	325	14 30	8,250	363 00
Rowe, Lawrence L. and Mildred M.			1,000	44 00
Rowe, Standish S.			5,500	242 00
Rudzki, Jan A. and Mary	5	0 22	4,150	182 60
Russes, Anthony L.	100	4 40		
Russes, Frances			2,900	127 60
Ryan, Heirs of Anastasia			2,400	105 60
Ryan, Frank A.			100	4 40
Ryan, James R.	100	4 40		
Ryan, Lawrence			3,500	154 00
Ryan, Mary J.			4,000	176 00
Santangelo, Laura B. and John			350	15 40

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Sargent, Francis B.			$10,000	$440 00
Savage, Orrin T.	$200	$8 80		
Sawtell, Clement C. and Adelaide I.	150	6 60	6,000	264 00
Schaal, Albert A. and Zelpha M.			200	8 80
Schlaifer, Robert	100	4 40		
Schofield, Mary A.	250	11 00		
Schumacher, August			2,220	97 68
Schumacher, August and Mary L.			1,000	44 00
Schwann, William and Sonya	300	13 20	7,450	327 80
Scott, Herman H.	350	15 40	7,500	330 00
Scott, Robert W.	1,200	52 80	30,400	1,337 60
Sears, Olga O.			1,000	44 00
Secora, Julia			2,000	88 00
Seeckts, Marion E.			4,000	176 00
Seeckts, Marion E. and Ehlert			500	22 00
Shank, Maurice E. and Virginia L.			1,200	52 80
Shaw, Alice DeS.	1,350	59 40	20,000	880 00
Shea, Heirs of Cornelius T.			5,900	259 60
Sheffield, William E. and Marion L.	100	4 40	4,600	202 40
Shepard, Paul F.			4,650	204 60
Sherman, Daniel E.			9,800	431 20
Sherman, Daniel E., Jr.	550	24 20	5,250	231 00
Sherman, Mary J.			150	6 60
Sherwin, Edward V.			1,500	66 00
Short, William P. and Priscilla L.	400	17 60	8,200	360 80
Shumway, Herbert L. and Violet A.	300	13 20	7,200	316 80
Siler, William C. and Barbara Jean			4,400	193 60
Silva, Heirs of Manuel			21,500	946 00
Silva Mary	5,525	243 10		
Simonds, Anthony J.			300	13 20
Sims, Mildred A.			1,700	74 80
Small, William A. and Dolina N.	200	8 80	6,200	272 80
Smith, Carl D. and Florence C.	150	6 60	5,500	242 00
Smith, John E. and Helen M.	150	6 60	5,000	220 00
Smith, Sumner	2,125	93 50	55,700	2,450 80
Smith-Peterson, Helda D.			2,150	94 60
Snelling, Caroline	100	4 40	4,500	198 00
Snelling, Charles A.			4,100	180 40

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Snelling, Dorothy R.			$4,300	$189 20
Snelling, Howard and Elizabeth.	$100	$4 40	4,500	198 00
Snider, Joseph L. and Greta W.	200	8 80	7,650	336 60
Snow, Clayton R.			1,800	79 20
Soderberg, C. R., Jr.	100	4 40		
Sorenson, Heirs of Hans			4,050	178 20
Sorenson, J. Oscar			4,250	187 00
Spence, Robert A. and Helen M.	150	6 60	6,000	264 00
Spooner, Lily T.			4,250	187 00
Sterner, John and Janice M.	250	11 00	7,400	325 60
Stevens, Kimball C. and Eleanor G.	100	4 40	5,500	242 00
Stewart, Blanche L.			600	26 40
Stockellburg, Arthur A. and Jennie L.			1,500	66 00
Stone, Edith C.			300	13 20
Stratton, Katherine W.	500	22 00	12,100	532 40
Street, Earle B. and Janet H.			3,500	154 00
Stuart, Edward T.			1,500	66 00
Sturgis, Alanson H., Jr. and Anne H.	100	4 40	4,550	200 20
Sullivan, Winifred P.			800	35 20
Swanson, Alfred and Alma	375	16 50	7,450	327 80
Swanson, Arthur W. and Helen K.	425	18 70	7,600	334 40
Swanson Pontiac, Inc.			3,500	154 00
Swift, Orlando B. and Janice B.	400	17 60	7,650	336 60
Swinconeck, John J.			1,600	70 40
Taillacq, Elsie			4,000	176 00
Tarbell, Charles L.			1,000	44 00
Tarbell, George G., *et al.* u/w of George G. Tarbell	800	35 20	20,700	910 80
Tarbell, George G., Jr.	400	17 60	8,000	352 00
Tasker, Eliza J.			3,500	154 00
Taylor, Beulah A.	150	6 60	5,050	222 20
Taylor, Edward S. and Constance R.	150	6 60	7,150	314 60
Taylor, Frederick B.	300	13 20		
Taylor, Harold F. and Edward P			2,400	105 60
Teabo, Eugene R. and Alice M.			900	39 60
Tead, John C. and Doris F.			1,500	66 00
Tead, Stanley H. and Eleanor K.	350	15 40	7,000	308 00
Tew, John B.	1,000	44 00	15,400	677 60

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Thiessen, Arthur E. and Laura	$700	$30 80	$13,500	$594 00
Thoma, Henry F. and Mary Alice	150	6 60	5,000	220 00
Thompson, Ann B.			1,000	44 00
Thorpe, Margaret M.			5,750	253 00
Thorson, Robert H. and Kathryn F.	200	8 80	7,100	312 40
Todd, Mabel H.	1,200	52 80	18,500	814 00
Todd, Pauline E., Adm. u/w C. Lee Todd	1,600	70 40	26,900	1,183 60
Tonseth, Didrick and Phoebe			1,850	81 40
Torode, Herbert L. and Lorraine S.			3,000	132 00
Townsend, John B. and Helen A.			500	22 00
Tracey, Elizabeth C.			8,300	365 20
Tracey, Joseph and Elizabeth C.	600	26 40	500	22 00
Tracy, John W. and Gertrude G.			2,830	124 52
Trenholm, Charles E. and Harriet M.			725	31 90
Tripp, Maurice R.	150	6 60		
Trull, Sybill Shaw, Ex.			200	8 80
Tyler, Ethel A., Adm. Est. of Fred Tyler			2,700	118 80
Tyler, Heirs of Watson			2,700	118 80
Umbrello, Francis and Virginia	5,700	250 80	8,950	393 80
Vance, Jane K.			16,000	704 00
Vance, L. Alexander	900	39 60		
Van Leer, Hans L.	4,400	193 60	900	39 60
Van Leer, Hans L. and Mary K.			11,000	484 00
Van Wart, Walter L. and Mary A.			1,600	70 40
Victor's Market	1,500	66 00		
Waible, Wendell J. and Florence E.			5,700	250 80
Walker, A. Bruce			250	11 00
Waller, Ervin S.			500	22 00
Ward, Henry DeC. and Janet G.	700	39 80	12,500	550 00
Warner, Henrietta S.			9,500	418 00
Warner, Henry	600	26 40		
Warner, Henry E.	1,000	44 00	20,050	882 20
Warner, John Burton and Barbara K.	650	28 60	10,700	470 80
Warren, Wallace G.			5,150	226 60

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Washburn, Mabel L. and Rachel W.			$4,400	$193 60
Washburn, Rachel W.			100	4 40
Watt, Norman B. and Martha E.			3,000	132 00
Webb, John F.	$500	$22 00	9,000	396 00
Webb, Rosella			5,500	242 00
Weiner, Julis W., *et al.* d/b/as Wyner Realty Company			4,600	202 40
Wellman, Bertram and Cora B.	150	6 60	5,200	228 80
Wells, George and K. W.	400	17 60	8,200	360 80
Westcott, A. E.			3,700	162 80
Westcott, Charles W. C. and Mary	10	0 44	3,350	147 40
Westcott, Vernon C. and Mary Alice	200	8 80	5,700	250 80
Western Union Tel. & Tel.	2,800	123 20		
Weston, Georgianna H.			4,500	198 00
Wheeler, Elizabeth, Ann H., Mary L. and Ruth A. Gale	250	11 00	17,150	754 60
Whitcomb, Sarah I.	300	13 20	10,000	440 00
White, John	800	35 20		
Whittemore, Lester	100	4 40		
Whittier, Charles F. and Ramona Calkins	70	3 08	2,200	96 80
Whittleesey, Stephen M. and Marjorie T.			3,500	154 00
Wilber, Harold T. and Inez			4,100	180 40
Wilbor, John S. and Anne F.			5,500	242 00
Wilbur, Richard P. and Charlotte W.	100	4 40	4,600	202 40
Wildes, Leland A. and Irene E.	150	6 60	6,000	264 00
Wilfert, Fred J. and Eleanor M.	200	8 80	5,400	237 60
Wilfert, Walter A. and Eleanor A.			200	8 80
Wilfert, Walter A. and Fred J.			600	26 40
Wiley, G. Arnold and Helen			4,500	198 00
Wilkie, Earl L. and Virginia A.	100	4 40	4,500	198 00
Wilkins, John H. and Aida S.	1,900	83 60	16,000	704 00
Wilkshire, Alice E.			100	4 40
Willard, Henry L. and Helen S.	350	15 40	8,000	352 00
Williams, Edwin L., Jr.			3,200	140 80
Williamson, Elizabeth R.			1,300	57 20
Wilson, John Otis	450	19 80	9,100	400 40
Wilson, Montgomery S. and Mary Ann	100	4 40	4,750	209 00

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Wilson, William A. and Eleanor L.	$500	$22 00	$9,200	$404 80
Winchell, Guilbert	990	43 56		
Winchell, Guilbert and Evelyn			25,000	1,100 00
Winchell, Guilbert S.			1,800	79 20
Wineman, Robert J.	100	4 40		
Witham, Arthur B. and Margaret F.	150	6 60	3,100	136 40
Witherton, John R. and Elizabeth P.	200	8 80	5,800	255 20
Wolff, Otto E.			12,500	550 00
Wood, Frank H. and Jeanne R.	400	17 60	8,200	360 80
Wood, James and Lizzie			4,000	176 00
Woodhull, Dean H. and Martha.	50	2 20	3,475	152 90
Woodland Trust			420	18 48
Worcester, Alice E., *et al.*			2,000	88 00
Young, Charlotte Wales			3,850	169 40
Young, David B. and Cora S.			3,150	138 60
Zander, Helmut A.			4,300	189 20
Ziegler, Elmer H. and Hilda M.	150	6 60	5,000	220 00

REPORT OF THE COLLECTOR OF TAXES

		Committed	Paid	Abated	Outstanding 12–31–1951
1951					
Poll		$1,488 00	$1,244 00	$236 00	$8 00
Personal		22,318 91	21,862 19	143 00	313 72
Real Estate		200,299 88	192,359 00	1,276 00	6,664 88
Excise		29,703 93	27,238 50	595 01	1,870 42
1950					
Personal balance, January 1, 1951		1,190 72	402 72	10 00	778 00
Real Estate balance, January 1, 1951		7,628 80	4,858 52	611 00	2,159 28
Excise balance, January 1, 1951	$4,719 26				
Commitment, February 1, 1951	355 36	5,074 62	3,018 82	1,867 57	188 23
1949					
Personal balance, January 1, 1951		476 00	411 20	64 80	None
Real Estate balance, January 1, 1951		2,571 00	1,997 00	574 00	None

Interest and Costs

1951	$17 00
1950	122 92
1949	145 20

WATER

	Committed	Paid	Deductions and Abatements	Outstanding 12–31–1951
1951	$24,343 93	$20,320 78	$3,260 57	$762 58
1950 balance, January 1, 1951	905 06	757 03	48 03	100 00
1949 balance, January 1, 1951	77 27	60 77	16 50	None

WILLIAM H. DAVIS, *Collector of Taxes.*

TREASURER'S REPORT, CALENDAR YEAR, 1951

January 1, Balance	$134,988 38

Receipts

Anti-Rabies Dog Clinic	76 50
Board of Appeals	63 50
Board of Health	525 25
Borrowed in anticipation of Tax Receipts	35,000 00
Borrowed per Article 8, Special Town Meeting	
Bonds Issued	335,000 00
Premium Received	2,676 65
Accrued Interest Received	423 40
Cemetery Fund Income	151 21
Transfer	1,000 00
Cemetery, Repairs to Graves	253 25
Digging Graves	290 00
City of Cambridge, Taxes	714 16
Collector of Taxes	253,400 95
Interest and Costs	285 12
Concord Court Fines	331 38
deCordova School Equipment Trust Fund Income	646 75
Highways, Local	25 00
Machinery	821 20
Insurance, Dividend	16 38
Storm Damage	992 65
Inspectors, Building, Plumbing and Wiring	370 00
Interest on Deposits	1,645 85
Library Fines	222 00

Massachusetts, Commonwealth of:		
Chapter 90, 1950	$5,999 42	
Income Tax	15,756 78	
Corporation Tax	17,593 35	
Highways, Snow Removal	65 00	
Licenses	6 00	
Old Age Assistance	19,262 06	
a/c Loss of Taxes	618 82	
Meals Tax	629 14	
School Aid, Ch. 70	9,802 38	
H. S. Transportation	9,224 38	
Tuition of Children	726 98	
Veteran's Benefits	341 00	
		80,025 31

Miscellaneous, Licenses, etc.	90 73
Middlesex County, Dog Tax	599 74
Highways, Chapter 90, 1950	2,500 00
New England Telephone & Telegraph Co. Refunds	175 62
Old Age Assistance Refunds	640 46
Recovery	40 00
Planning Board	20 00
Schools, Grammar School Fund Income	29 63
Tuition and Transportation	165 00
Damage	14 75
Miscellaneous	15 21
Retirement Refund	80 32
Town Clerk, Dog Licenses	947 40
Town Hall Rentals	119 00
U.S.A. Old Age Assistance	15,875 35
U.S.A. Old Age Assistance Administration	601 05
	$871,859 15

Payments

Selectmen's Orders (see detail)	$331,649 40
Massachusetts, Commonwealth of:	
State Parks and Reservations	403 23
Auditing Municipal Accounts	587 53
Middlesex County:	
1951 Tax	11,365 85
Dog Licenses	966 60
Tuberculosis Hospital	2,502 70
Tax Anticipation Note Paid	35,000 00
	$382,475 31
Balance in Banks and U. S. Bills at cost	489,383 84
	$871,859 15

DETAIL OF 1951 DISBURSEMENTS

	1951 Income Reserved for Special Purposes	Carried Forward from 1950	Appropriated in 1951	Transfer from Reserve	Total Available for Expenditure	Amount Expended in 1951	Balance Accruing to Surplus	Balance Carried Forward to 1952
GENERAL GOVERNMENT								
Selectmen								
Salaries of Selectmen			$600 00		$600 00	$600 00		
Salary of clerk			1,760 00		1,760 00	1,760 00		
Supplies and Miscellaneous			540 00		540 00	533 81	$6 19	
Preservation of Town records			150 00		150 00			$150 00
Gazette		$60 08			60 08			60 08
Treasurer								
Salaries, Treasurer and Assistant			400 00		400 00	400 00		
Clerical expense			150 00		150 00	60 00	90 00	
Supplies and Miscellaneous			193 00		193 00	172 13	20 87	
Collector of Taxes								
Salary			1,600 00		1,600 00	1,600 00		
Supplies and Miscellaneous			400 00		400 00	377 53	22 47	
Town Clerk								
Salary			300 00		300 00	300 00		
Supplies and Miscellaneous			60 00		60 00	16 50	43 50	

Detail of 1951 Disbursements (*Continued*)

	1951 Income Reserved for Special Purposes	Carried Forward from 1950	Appropriated in 1951	Transfer from Reserve	Total Available for Expenditure	Amount Expended in 1951	Balance Accruing to Surplus	Balance Carried Forward to 1952
Assessors								
Salaries			550 00		550 00	550 00		
Supplies and Miscellaneous			881 00		881 00	630 33	250 67	
Auditor								
Salary			50 00		50 00	50 00		
Legal								
Counsel fees			500 00		500 00	500 00		
Election and Registration								
Salaries			250 00		250 00	248 00	2 00	
Supplies and Miscellaneous			380 00		380 00	290 71	89 29	
Town House								
Janitor's salary			2,470 00	68 00	2,538 00	2,538 00		
Fuel			700 00	103 71	803 71	803 71		
Repairs			1,975 00	94 36	2,069 36	2,069 36		
Supplies and Miscellaneous			753 00	13 30	766 30	766 30		
Planning Board								
Consultants			150 00		150 00		150 00	
Supplies and Miscellaneous			200 00		200 00	90 52	109 48	
Research Project		1,000 00			1,000 00	1,000 00		
Finance Committee								
Supplies and Miscellaneous			30 00	11 25	41 25	41 25		

War Memorial Committee	50 00			50 00		50 00
Building Code Committee	37 00	500 00		537 00	45 00	492 00
Revision of Town By-Laws		150 00		150 00		150 00
Memorial Day Committee		225 00		225 00	195 65	29 35
TOTAL FOR GENERAL GOVERNMENT				$17,354 70	$15,638 80	
PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY						
Police Department						
Salaries		6,300 00	420 29	6,720 29	6,720 29	
Car		400 00		400 00	326 61	73 39
Supplies and Miscellaneous		1,825 00		1,825 00	1,764 84	60 16
Fire Department						
Salaries		300 00		300 00	300 00	
Labor at fires		3,500 00		3,500 00	2,227 50	1,272 50
Operation of equipment		2,450 00		2,450 00	2,352 65	97 35
Supplies and Miscellaneous		2,250 00		2,250 00	2,238 35	11 65
Tree and Moth Department						
Insect Control, Storm Damage		2,000 00	69 86	2,069 86	2,069 86	
Dutch Elm Disease control		1,000 00	31 65	1,031 65	1,031 65	
Poison Ivy control		500 00		500 00	500 00	

Detail of 1951 Disbursements (*Continued*)

	1951 Income Reserved for Special Purposes	Carried Forward from 1950	Appropriated in 1951	Transfer from Reserve	Total Available for Expenditure	Amount Expended in 1951	Balance Accruing to Surplus	Balance Carried Forward to 1952
Board of Appeals								
Clerical services...			100 00		100 00	12 50	87 50	
Supplies and Miscellaneous.....			200 00		200 00	139 26	60 74	
Building, Plumbing, Wiring Inspectors								
Fees and transportation.....			500 00	21 96	521 96	521 96		
Supplies and Miscellaneous.....			50 00	17 50	67 50	67 50		
Speed Zoning Project.....			1,000 00		1,000 00	300 00		700 00
Civil Defense.....			3,000 00	400 00	3,400 00	3,399 98	02	
TOTAL FOR PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY.....					$26,336 26	$23,972 95		
HEALTH AND SANITATION								
Board of Health								
Salaries of nurses..			2,340 00		2,340 00	2,339 92	08	
Supplies and Miscellaneous.....			755 00		755 00	639 04	115 96	
Car.....			750 00		750 00	750 00		

Inspector of Animals								
Salary.....			100 00		100 00	100 00		
Union Health District								
Committee....			100 00		100 00			100 00
TOTAL FOR HEALTH AND SANITATION.....					$4,045 00	$3,828 96		
HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT								
Chapter 90 Construction and Maintenance.....			13,000 00		13,000 00	12,991 20	09	8 71
Highway Machinery Fund.....	821 20	2,069 96			2,891 16			2,891 16
General Highway								
Wages.....			12,500 00		12,500 00	10,754 17	1,745 83	
Machinery upkeep and operation...			3,750 00	2,745 00	6,495 00	6,457 02	37 98	
Supplies and Miscellaneous.....			13,720 00		13,720 00	11,899 68	1,820 32	
Street Lights.....			5,800 00		5,800 00	4,707 62	1,092 38	
Highway Equipment Bldg. construction...		117 83			117 83			117 83
Building equipment.....		65 93			65 93			65 93
TOTAL FOR HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT					$54,589 92	$ 46,809 69		

Detail of 1951 Disbursements (*Continued*)

	1951 Income Reserved for Special Purposes	Carried Forward from 1950	Appropriated in 1951	Transfer from Reserve	Total Available for Expenditure	Amount Expended in 1951	Balance Accruing to Surplus	Balance Carried Forward to 1952
AID TO CITIZENS								
Old Age Assistance								
Federal grants....	15,875 35	99 65			15,975 00	13,130 94		2,844 06
Appropriation.....			26,000 00		26,000 00	26,000 00		
Aid to Dependent Children								
Federal grants....		121 93			121 93			121 93
Appropriation.....			500 00		500 00		500 00	
Public Welfare....			500 00		500 00	60 28	439 72	
O.A.A. Administration								
Federal Grants....	601 05	35 23			636 28	595 13		41 15
Appropriated.....			400 00		400 00	400 00		
Veterans Aid			1,000 00	111 48	1,111 48	1,111 48		
TOTAL AID TO CITIZENS.....					$45,244 69	$41,297 83		
EDUCATION								
School Department								
Salaries.....			70,400 00					
Transportation....			14,121 73					
Tuition and Vocational Education			28,260 00		129,170 00	127,490 00	1,679 96	
Equipment, supplies, miscellaneous.....			16,388 27					

deCordova Fund income	646 75			646 75			646 75
Grammar School Fund Income	29 63	55 92		85 55			85 55
Replacing Center School Boiler		4,000 00		4,000 00	4,000 00		
New School Construction		365 33		365 33			365 33
New School addition							
Committee expenses and construction			390,000 00	390,000 00	21,370 32		368,629 68
Public Library							
Salaries			2,950 00	2,950 00	2,419 20		
Books			800 00	800 00	845 28		
Supplies and Miscellaneous			850 00	850 00	829 79	485 62	
Repairs			225 00	225 00	245 11		
TOTAL FOR EDUCATION				$529,092 63	$157,199 74		
RECREATION							
Summer Playground program							
Wages			1,200 00	1,200 00	1,099 80	100 20	
Supplies and Miscellaneous			700 00	700 00	447 40	252 60	
Resurfacing Tennis Courts		236 54		236 54	226 01		10 73
TOTAL FOR RECREATION				$2,136 74	$1,773 21		

Detail of 1951 Disbursements (*Continued*)

	1951 Income Reserved for Special Purposes	Carried Forward from 1950	Appropriated in 1951	Transfer from Reserve	Total Available for Expenditure	Amount Expended in 1951	Balance Accruing to Surplus	Balance Carried Forward to 1952
CEMETERY								
Wages, Maintenance, Interments			2,550 00		2,550 00	2,548 51	1 49	
Supplies and Miscellaneous			117 00		117 00	92 38	24 62	
Cemetery Fund Income	151 21	247 58			398 79			398 79
Permanent Improvements		147 22	1,000 00		1,147 22	261 80		885 42
TOTAL FOR CEMETERY					$4,213 01	$2,902 69		
TOWN DEBT								
Bond Maturities			19,000 00		19,000 00	19,000 00		
Interest on Bonds			5,110 00		5,110 00	5,110 00		
Interest on Tax Notes			350 00		350 00	108 89	241 11	
Bond Sale Premium, Expense	2,676 65				2,676 65	868 85		1,807 80
Accrued Interest Received	423 40	352 92			776 32			776 32
TOTAL FOR TOWN DEBT					$27,912 97	$25,087 74		

UNCLASSIFIED

Unpaid 1950 Bills..			533 83		533 83	533 83		
Middlesex County Pension Fund...			1,497 00		1,497 00	1,497 00		
Printing 1950 Town Report.....			1,178 50		1,178 50	1,178 50		
Rent of Dump....			200 00		200 00	200 00		
Insurance.....			3,700 00	497 67	4,197 67	4,197 67		
Rental of hydrants.			3,135 00		3,135 00	3,135 00		
Refunds: Excise Taxes ...	1,072 39				1,072 39	1,072 39		
Real Estate Taxes	1,314 80				1,314 80	1,314 80		
Poll and Personal.	8 60				8 60	8 60		
TOTAL UNCLASSIFIED.....					$13,137 79	$13,137 79		
GRAND TOTALS....	$23,621 03	$9,063 32	$686,773 33	$4,606 03	$724,063 71	$331,649 40	$11,015 09	$381,399 22

FREDERICK B. TAYLOR,
Treasurer.

GENERAL FUND

Assets

Concord National Bank	$47,071 95
Day Trust Company	64,850 34
First National Bank of Boston	3,708 82
Arlington Five Cents Savings Bank	4,501 96
Belmont Savings Bank	4,160 39
Beverly Savings Bank	4,289 64
Boston Five Cents Savings Bank	4,034 96
Brockton Savings Bank	4,457 40
Brookline Savings Bank	2,262 13
Cambridge Savings Bank	4,695 34
Charlestown Savings Bank	5,000 00
East Bridgewater Savings Bank	4,464 70
Franklin Savings Bank	4,580 70
Home Savings Bank	4,546 83
Institution for Savings in Roxbury	4,496 23
Lowell Institution for Savings	2,217 67
Lynn Five Cents Savings Bank	4,520 36
Malden Savings Bank	2,241 42
Natick Five Cents Savings Bank	1,149 20
Newton Savings Bank	4,580 73
North Avenue Savings Bank	2,283 64
Warren Institution for Savings	1,794 24
Whitman Savings Bank	4,610 75
On Deposit	$190,519 40
U. S. Treasury Bills due 1/24/52	49,939 33
U. S. Treasury Bills due 2/21/52	49,867 11
U. S. Treasury Bills due 3/27/52	199,058 00
	$489,383 84
Taxes, Interest to be Added	$11,982 53
Accounts Receivable:	
State and County, Chapter 90	9,991 20
Commonwealth of Massachusetts, O.A.A.	3,204 33
U.S.A. Old Age Assistance	122 76
Total Assets	$514,684 66

Liabilities and Surplus

Dog Licenses Due County	$1 80
Road Machinery Fund	2,891 16
O.A.A. Administration	41 15
O.A.A.	2,844 06
Aid to Dependent Children	121 93
deCordova School Equipment Fund 1951 Income	646 75

Grammar School Fund Income		85 55
Bonds Sale Premium, Expense		1,807 80
Accrued Interest Received		776 32
Overlay Reserves: 1950	$926 36	
1951	2,819 58	
		3,745 94
Unexpended Appropriation Balances:		
Preservation of Town Records		150 00
Gazette Committee		60 08
War Memorial Committee		50 00
Building Code Committee		492 00
Revision of Town By-Laws		150 00
Speed Zoning		700 00
Union Health District Committee		100 00
Chapter 90, Construction and Maintenance		8 71
Highway Building Construction		117 83
Highway Building Equipment		65 93
New School Construction		365 33
New School Addition		368,629 68
Resurfacing Tennis Courts		10 73
Cemetery Fund Income		398 79
Cemetery Permanent Improvements		885 42
Surplus:		
Overlay Surplus	$14,196 13	
General Funds	115,341 57	129,537 70
		$514,684 66

OUTSTANDING DEBT

$170,000	School Building Loan, 1¾%, due $10,000 each December 1, 1952–1968, issued under Chapter 208, Acts of 1948.
75,000	School Building Loan, 1¾%, due $5,000 each December 1, 1952–1958, and $4,000 each December 1, 1959–1968, issued under Chapter 44, General Laws as amended.
28,000	Highway Equipment Building Loan, 1¾%, due $4,000 each December 1, 1952–1958, issued under Chapter 44, General Laws as amended.
250,000	School Building Loan, 1¾%, due $13,000 each December 1, 1952–1961, and $12,000 each December 1, 1962–1971, issued under Chapter 356, Acts of 1951.
85,000	School Building Loan, 1¾%, due $5,000 each December 1, 1952–1956, and $4,000 each December 1, 1957–1971, issued under Chapter 44, General Laws as amended.

SCHOOL MILK FUND

Receipts	$1,182 00
Payments	1,006 48
December 31, 1951, Balance on Deposit	$175 52

SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Receipts	$407 78
Payments	278 71
December 31, 1951, Balance on Deposit	$129 07

WATER DEPARTMENT REPORT

For the Year Ending December 31, 1951

1951		
January 1, Balance		$9,974 25
Receipts		
Operating:		
Rates, 1949	47 00	
Meter, 1949	13 77	
Rates, 1950	697 00	
Meter, 1950	61 03	
Rates, 1951	19,100 44	
Meter, 1951	1,220 34	
Water Connections	1,875 00	
Rent of Hydrants	3,135 00	
Sale of Pipe	458 64	
Miscellaneous	165 70	
		26,773 92
		$36,748 17
Expenses		
Operating:		
Legal and Research	$10,635 84	
Power	2,537 29	
Salaries	1,125 00	
Maintenance and Repairs	12,297 96	
Construction	4,057 00	
		$30,653 09
December 31, Balance on Deposit		6,095 08
		$36,748 17

CEMETERY INVESTMENT FUND

Cash Account

Receipts of 1951:		
Proceeds of sale of cemetery lots		$1,595 00
Interest on savings bank deposit		151 21
		$1,746 21
Deduct: 1951 income paid to General Funds of Town of Lincoln	$151 21	
Deposited in Middlesex Institution for Savings	595 00	
Paid to General Funds of Town of Lincoln, per appropriation at 1951 Town Meeting	1,000 00	1,746 21

Savings Deposit at December 31, 1951

Middlesex Institution for Savings	$6,615 99

FREDERICK B. TAYLOR,
Treasurer.

CEMETERY PERPETUAL CARE FUNDS

Funds deposited in Middlesex Institution for Savings:	Principal	Income Accumulated in Prior Years	1950 Care Paid in 1951	1951 Income	Dec. 31, 1951 Balance
Samuel Hartwell	$300 00	$25 15	$8 00	$7 97	$325 12
Orila J. Flint	300 00	74 10	8 50	9 19	374 79
Annie A. Ray	300 00	75 85	6 50	9 27	378 62
Maria L. Thompson	500 00	150 55	8 50	16 16	658 21
John H. Pierce	500 00	78 24	18 25	14 07	574 06
George F. Harrington	100 00	6 61	2 50	2 61	106 72
Francis Flint	250 00	88 03	5 00	8 37	341 40
William W. Benjamin	500 00	192 48	11 00	17 12	698 60
Abijah Jones	300 00	20 43	15 00	7 67	313 10
Ellen F. Whitney	100 00	2 39	2 00	2 51	102 90
E. H. Rogers	250 00	18 27	6 50	6 57	268 34
Ellen T. Trask	200 00	97 08	2 50	7 41	301 99
Thomas Huddleston	200 00	5 82	2 50	5 10	208 42
Joa Pacewicz	400 00	30 58	4 50	10 72	436 80
Mary Susan Rice	87 27	7 65	.....	2 38	97 30
Julia A. Bemis	300 00	7 17	7 17	7 54	307 54
Donald Gordon	300 00	119 66	5 00	10 42	425 08
Elizabeth G. Chapin	300 00	59 69	4 50	8 93	364 12
Sarah J. Browning	200 00	9 13	4 00	5 15	210 28
Agnes S. Brown	300 00	24 13	9 50	7 91	322 54
Lewis W. Woodworth	150 00	3 78	2 00	3 80	155 58
Robert B. Chapin	300 00	7 58	4 00	7 63	311 21
Gardner Moore	300 00	10 54	5 25	7 67	312 96

Mary James Scripture	500 00	14 23	11 50	12 64	515 37
Charles P. Farnsworth	350 00	10 88	6 00	8 92	363 80
Helen O. Storrow	2,000 00	99 29	61 00*	51 79	2,090 08
Elizabeth S. Wheeler	200 00	12 64	4 00	5 24	213 88
John H. Wilkins	675 00	34 41	7 00	17 67	720 08
L. B. and A. E. Thiessen	500 00	.....	.....	12 58	512 58
Paul Dorian	150 00	.....	.....	1 56	151 56
Raymond E. Haggerty	150 00	.....	.....	1 56	151 56
Funds deposited in Suffolk Savings Bank:					
J. Waldo Smith	300 00	14 50	4 50	7 79	317 79
Charles S. Smith	300 00	15 87	4 00	7 83	319 70
Edward R. Farrar	300 00	6 62	5 00	7 57	309 19
Anne D. Pollard	300 00	6 12	5 50	7 55	308 17
	$12,162 27	$1,329 47	$251 17	$328 87	$13,569 44

* Includes $41.00 for 1951 Care.

REPORT OF TOWN AUDITOR

Special Note

The Treasurer's report on the financial condition of the Town, as reported for the end of 1951, *understates the resources of the Town in one important respect.* At December 31, 1951, the Town had due from the State of Massachusetts three annual installments of "State Aid" on the cost of the school building erected in 1948. The State Building Assistance Commission has admitted the State's liability for assistance in the amount of 25.22% on the cost of this project. At the time of going to press the Town's figures, which indicate a cost of about $370,000, were being checked before final transmittal. Certain minor elements of cost may be disallowed, but it appears that the Town will probably collect in 1952 a sum approximating $18,660, being four annual installments (of twenty to be paid) of $4,665 each.

When these funds are received, they will be added to the Town's "Free Cash" which according to the Treasurer's figures already amounted to $90,041 at the end of 1951. When it is recalled that the Town's ordinary revenue normally exceeds expenses, it seems very important that the Town consider what action to take with regard to the unusual addition to Surplus which is expected in 1952. In this connection, attention is called to the Finance Committee's recommendation that $25,000 of Free Cash be used for the payment of Town indebtedness coming due in 1952.

Report

The routine duties of the Town Auditor comprise: making a survey of the financial records and of the financial assets of the Town, to determine whether the records have been kept adequately and if the various assets exist as stated in Town Reports. It is also commonly considered the duty of an auditor to point out where the risks of handling funds could be reduced, to comment on the efficiency of record-keeping methods, and to suggest ways in which financial reports can be made

more understandable to the reader. The following report covers all of these topics in the order named.

The Town records were checked as follows:

(1) A review was made of the Audit Report prepared by the Division of Audits and Accounts of the State Government. This audit covered the year 1950, and a similar audit for 1951 will be prepared early in 1952. The State Auditor made a review of all transactions of the year, and discovered no defects or irregularities. Therefore the Town Auditor had nothing to follow up from this source.

(2) The Town Auditor selected at random two months of 1951 for detailed review of all expenditure records, to determine that each payment was properly authorized by the necessary Town Officers, and that each had been charged to the proper accounts. The months chosen were April and November. The auditor's review leads to the conclusion that the records are being kept adequately and honestly.

(3) It is the Town Auditor's intention, when the State Audit for 1951 begins, to discuss with the State Auditor his plans and procedures, and to be present with the State Auditor at times when the Town Auditor feels that important matters are being reviewed. It is expected that this work can be reported on orally, if desired, at Town Meeting.

The only questionable matter discovered, and this has not been frequent, is the practice of correcting in pencil the amounts of the signed Selectmen's Orders when it is discovered that there is some error in the amount of payment already approved. In all but one of the instances, the penciled amount was less than the typed one, and the check drawn was in an amount equal to the lower figure. In the case where the correction increased the authorized payment, the Auditor requested and obtained the approval of the Selectmen for the increased amount.

In view of the unquestioned competence and honesty of the Town officers at the present time, it was decided, with the con-

sent of these officers, to call to the attention of the Selectmen certain ways in which the Town could be more adequately protected against loss. The Auditor recommended and the Selectmen adopted a more extensive program of fidelity bonding, with higher limits on certain officers and more people covered. The small additional cost is included in the Selectmen's request for appropriations.

Some further subdivision of bank accounts is being considered by the Treasurer, in order that the reserve funds of the Town can be separately controlled, apart from the smaller sums needed for withdrawal for current purposes.

During his work at the Town Hall, the Auditor was able to make minor suggestions which may reduce the time taken in record keeping. The Auditor believes that over a period of time, if attention is given to the matter, the amount of time spent in keeping adequate records of the Town's affairs can be substantially reduced. For instance, further savings of time seem possible, in connection with the payment of wages and the associated withholdings.

Finally, the Auditor feels that the financial aspects of the Town Report can be made more understandable to members of the Town if further consideration is given to the manner of their presentation. For instance, attention is called to improvements in the reports of the Treasurer and the Commissioners of Trust Funds which appear in this Report. Further study of this matter by a special committee is recommended. Consideration of this matter can be taken under an Article in the Warrant submitted by the Town Auditor.

PEARSON HUNT.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Department of Corporations and Taxation
Division of Accounts
State House, Boston 33

April 27, 1951.

To the Board of Selectmen:
Mr. John O. Wilson, *Chairman*,
Lincoln, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith my report of an audit of the books and accounts of the Town of Lincoln for the year ending December 31, 1950, made in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44, General Laws. This is in the form of a report made to me by Mr. Herman B. Dine, Assistant Director of Accounts.

Very truly yours,

FRANCIS X. LANG,
Director of Accounts.

Mr. Francis X. Lang
Director of Accounts
Department of Corporations and Taxation
State House, Boston

Sir:

In accordance with your instructions, I have made an audit of the books and accounts of the Town of Lincoln for the year ending December 31, 1950, and submit the following report thereon:

An examination and verification was made of the financial transactions as recorded on the books of the several departments receiving or disbursing money for the town or committing bills for collection.

The appropriation accounts as kept by the Board of Selectmen were analyzed and checked with the Town Clerk's records of appropriations and with the Finance Committee's record of reserve fund transfers. Ledger accounts were compiled, and a balance sheet, which is appended to this report, was prepared showing the financial condition of the Town on December 31, 1950.

The books and accounts of the Town Treasurer were examined and checked in detail. The receipts, as recorded, were analyzed and compared with the records of the departments collecting money for the Town and with other sources from which money was paid into the Town treasury. The payments were checked with the Selectmen's warrants authorizing the disbursement of Town funds. The cash book additions were verified, and the cash balance on January 22, 1951 was proved by reconciliation of the bank balances with statements furnished by the banks of deposit and by examination of the savings bank books.

The payments made for maturing debt and interest were compared with the cancelled securities and coupons on file and with the amounts falling due.

The savings bank books and securities representing the investment of the several trust and investment funds in the custody of the Town Treasurer, the Trust Fund Commissioners, and the directors and trustees of the DeCordova and Dana Museum and Park Funds were examined and listed. The income was proved, the disbursements were verified, and all cash balances were proved by reconciliation with statements furnished by the banks in which these funds are deposited.

The records of tax titles held by the Town were examined and checked. The taxes transferred to the tax title account were checked with the Collector's records and the redemptions were verified by comparison with the Treasurer's recorded receipts.

The books and accounts of the Tax Collector were examined and checked. The tax and excise accounts outstanding at the time of the previous examination and all subsequent commitments were audited and compared with the assessors' warrants issued for their collection. The payments to the Treasurer were verified, the abatements as recorded were compared with

the Assessors' records of abatements granted, the transfers to the tax title account were proved, and the outstanding accounts were listed and proved.

The records of the departmental and water accounts were examined and checked. The payments to the Treasurer were verified, the water discounts and abatements were proved, and the outstanding accounts were listed and proved.

Verification of the outstanding tax, excise, departmental, and water accounts was obtained by mailing notices to a number of persons whose names appeared on the books as owing money to the Town, the replies received thereto indicating that the accounts, as listed, are correct.

The financial accounts of the Town Clerk were examined and checked. The recorded receipts from dog and sporting licenses were checked with the record of licenses issued. The payments to the Town Treasurer and to the Division of Fisheries and Game were verified, and the cash on hand on January 22, 1951 was proved by actual count.

The surety bonds of the various officials required to furnish them for the faithful performance of their duties were examined and found to be in proper form.

The accounts of the boards of selectmen and health, of the wire, plumbing, and building inspectors, and of the library department, as well as of all other departments collecting money for the Town or committing bills for collection, were examined and checked, the payments to the Treasurer being checked with the Treasurer's recorded receipts.

Appended to this report, in addition to the balance sheet, are tables showing a reconciliation of the Treasurer's and the Collector's cash, summaries of the tax, excise, tax title, departmental, and water accounts, as well as tables showing the transactions and condition of the trust and investment funds.

While engaged in making the audit cooperation was received from the various Town officials, for which, on behalf of my assistants and for myself, I wish to express appreciation.

Respectfully submitted,

HERMAN B. DINE,
Assistant Director of Accounts.

TOWN OF LINCOLN

Balance Sheet — December 31, 1950

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

Assets

Cash:		
General	$134,988 38	
Water	9,974 25	
		$144,962 63
Accounts Receivable:		
Taxes:		
Levy of 1949:		
Personal Property	$476 00	
Real Estate	2,571 00	
Levy of 1950:		
Personal Property	1,190 72	
Real Estate	7,604 60	
		11,842 32
Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise:		
Levy of 1950		4,789 54
Tax Titles		20 00
Departmental:		
Schools		77 60
Water Rates:		
Levy of 1949	$77 27	
Levy of 1950	905 06	
		982 33
Aid to Highways:		
State	$6,000 00	
County	2,500 00	
		8,500 00
Underestimates 1950:		
State Parks and Reservation Assessment	$96 81	
State Audit Assessment	40 56	
		137 37
		$171,311 79

Liabilities and Reserves

Road Machinery Fund		$2,069 96
Proceeds of Dog Licenses		21 00
Gift for Schools		17 35
Trust Funds Income:		
Julian DeCordova School Equipment Fund	$218 01	
Grammar School Fund	55 92	
Cemetery Investment Fund	247 58	
		521 51
Overestimates 1950:		
County Hospital Assessment	$567 69	
County Tax	2,143 12	
		2,710 81
Premium and Accrued Interest on Loan		352 92
Federal Grants:		
Aid to Dependent Children:		
Administration	$6 62	
Aid	115 31	
Old Age Assistance:		
Administration	35 23	
Aid	99 65	
		256 81
Unexpended Appropriation Balances:		
Planning Board Research	$1,000 00	
Building Code Committee	37 00	
Fire Department Equipment	1,343 00	
Highway — Town Barn	117 83	
Highway Building Equipment	65 93	
Schools — Boiler	4,000 00	
Elementary School Construction	365 33	
Cemeteries	147 22	
Gazette	60 08	
Tennis Courts — Repair	236 74	
War Memorial	50 00	
		7,423 13
Reserve Fund — Overlay Surplus		17,857 52
Overlay Reserve for Abatement of Taxes:		
Levy of 1949	$3,047 00	
Levy of 1950	3,414 93	
		6,461 93

Revenue Reserved Until Collected:		
Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise	$4,789 54	
Tax Title	20 00	
Departmental	77 60	
Water	982 33	
Aid to Highways	8,500 00	
		14,369 47
Surplus Revenue:		
General	$109,275 13	
Water	9,974 25	
		119,249 38
		$171,311 79

DEBT ACCOUNTS

Net Funded or Fixed Debt	$292,000 00	
		$292,000 00
Highway Loan		$32,000 00
Schoolhouse Loans		260,000 00
		$292,000 00

TRUST AND INVESTMENT ACCOUNTS

Trust and Investment Funds:		
Cash and Securities:		
In Custody of Town Treasurer		$19,212 73
In Custody of Commissioners		204,554 12
In Custody of Directors		13,165 95
In Custody of Trustees		1,623,997 74
		$1,860,930 54
Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds	$13,191 74	
Cemetery Investment Fund	6,020 99	
		$19,212 73
John H. Pierce Hospital and Park Fund	$38,638 04	
Bemis Lecture Fund	32,355 55	
Julian DeCordova School Equipment Fund	25,001 50	
Donald Gordon Recreation Fund	5,383 81	
Grammar School Fund	1,217 52	
Abbie J. Stearns Silent Poor Fund	2,855 77	
Charles S. Smith High School Fund	87,683 79	
Julia A. Bemis Library Fund	684 05	
Codman Library Fund	474 59	
John H. Pierce Library Fund	1,114 57	
George Russell Library Fund	415 74	
Abbie J. Stearns Library Fund	1,930 00	
George C. Tarbell Library Fund	3,138 38	
Hattie Hoar Howard Library Fund	100 00	
David W. Mann Library Fund	105 70	
Hugh Anthony Gaskell Fund	158 89	
C. Edgar and Elizabeth S. Wheeler Library Fund	1,235 46	
General Library Fund	203 00	
Abbie J. Stearns Special Library Fund	1,301 03	
Elizabeth and Leland Burr Library Fund	64 00	
Library Income Account	492 73	
		204,554 12
The DeCordova and Dana Museum and Park Maintenance Fund		13,165 95
The DeCordova and Dana Museum and Park Funds:		
Number 1	$146,013 87	
" 2	7,020 70	
" 3	1,470,963 17	
		1,623,997 74
		$1,860,930 54

REPORT OF COMMISSIONERS OF TRUST FUNDS

For the information of those reading this report, the investment of Town Trust Funds under the supervision of the Trust Fund Commissioners is now restricted by law to certain types of savings deposits and bonds or notes legal for savings banks in Massachusetts.

The present securities held in the Town Trust Funds, in the opinion of the Commissioners, were purchased in conformity with the law. They reflect the rates prevailing on legal securities during the war years, and the recent purchase of some legal securities other than United States Government Bonds.

As long as the highest grade legal investments, other than United States Government Bonds, gave a return only slightly better than United States Government Bond issues, it seemed sensible, for the most part, to purchase the latter. Recently, the return obtainable from legal bonds other than United States Government issues has improved sufficiently to make them (the non-Government issues) in some cases considerably more attractive from the income point of view than United States Government Bonds.

As a consequence of this relative change a number of legal bonds other than United States Governments have been purchased.

Bemis Lecture Fund

Cash Account

Cash balance at January 1, 1951.....		$534 22
Add: Income received in 1951:		
U.S.A. bond interest.....	$495 00	
Other bond interest.....	382 50	
Savings bank interest.....	26 00	903 50
		$1,437 72

Deduct: Payments per order of Fund Trustees:		
January 19, Bruce C. Hopper	$50 00	
February 12, James Coletta	75 00	
March 16, Rufus Rose	125 00	
April 20, Dr. Ruroy Sibley	200 00	
November 23, Tom Two Arrows	80 00	
December 7, Nemone Balfour	150 00	
Total for lectures	$680 00	
Printing and postage	136 18	
Janitor service at lectures	18 70	
Taxi hire	6 00	
Expense of maintaining mailing list	21 97	
Trustees' orders	$862 85	
Safe deposit box rent	4 00	866 85
Cash balance at December 31, 1951		$570 87

Cash and Securities at December 31, 1951

Cash balance on hand (accumulated income)	$570 87
$3,000 Atchison Topeka & Santa Fe R.R. General 4's due 1995	3,000 00
3,000 Louisville & Nashville R.R., A.K. & C. Division 4% due 1955	3,000 00
3,000 New England Power Co. 3¼% due 1961	3,000 00
2,000 Southern Pacific R.R. Equipment Trust "Q" 2¼% due 1954	1,981 29
U.S.A. Series "G" 2¼% bonds, at cost:	
$11,000 due September 1, 1956	11,000 00
3,000 due April 1, 1957	3,000 00
4,800 due May 1, 1957	4,800 00
1,000 due November 1, 1959	1,000 00
Middlesex Institution for Savings	1,040 04
	$32,392 20
Accumulated income	$570 87
Principal	31,821 33
	$32,392 20

DeCordova School Equipment Fund

Cash Account

Cash balance at January 1, 1951		$ None
Income received in 1951:		
U.S.A. bond interest	$339 62	
Other bond interest	65 84	
Savings bank interest	185 95	
Dividends	56 25	
	$647 66	
Less accrued interest paid on bonds purchased	91	646 75
Bond interest credited to Principal to amortize purchase premiums		4 24
Proceeds of sale of First National Bank of Boston rights, credited to book value of stock		8 95
Withdrawal from Middlesex Institution for Savings		1,015 00
$2,000 U.S. Treasury 2½% due 1972–67, exchanged for $2,000 2¾% Treasury bonds due 1980–75, contra		2,033 15
		$3,708 09
Deduct: Net income for 1951 paid to Town of Lincoln, General Funds	$646 75	
Purchase of $1,000 Baltimore & Ohio R. R. Equip. Trust Series "CC" 3% due Sept. 1961	997 86	
$2,000 U.S. Treasury 2¾% registered bonds due April 1, 1980–75, received in exchange for 2½% bonds, contra	2,033 15	3,677 76
Cash balance at December 31, 1951		$30 33

Cash and Securities at December 31, 1951

Cash balance on hand	$30 33
Cambridge Savings Bank	3,727 52
Middlesex Institution for Savings	2,727 53
$10,000 U.S.A. Series "G" 2½% due April 1, 1958, at cost	10.000 00
1,000 U.S.A. Series "G" 2½% due November 1, 1959, at cost	1,000 00
1,000 U.S. Treasury 2½% due March 15, 1970–65	1,017 23
2,000 U.S. Treasury Reg. 2¾% due April 1, 1980–75	2,032 45
1,000 Southern Pacific R. R. Equip. Trust "Q" 2¼% due October 1, 1954	990 65

1,000 Western Maryland Rwy. 4–4½% due October 1, 1969	$1,029 73
1,000 Baltimore & Ohio R. R. Equip. Trust "CC" 3% due September 1, 1961	997 86
25 shares First National Bank of Boston, capital stock	1,448 20
	$25,001 50

Charles Sumner Smith School and Playground Fund

Cash Account

Cash balance at January 1, 1951		$2 87
Add: Income received in 1951:		
U.S.A. bond interest	$937 50	
Other bond interest	102 14	
Savings bank interest	303 51	1,343 15
Bond interest credited to Principal to amortize purchase premiums		1 62
Withdrawn from savings banks:		
Boston Five Cents Savings Bank		2,211 00
Middlesex Institution for Savings		970 00
Warren Institution for Savings		1,795 00
		$ 6,323 64
Deduct: Safe deposit box rent	$4 00	
Accrued interest paid on bonds purchased	19 77	
Savings bank interest allowed to accumulate	303 51	
Bonds purchased:		
$2,000 Great Northern Rwy. Equipment Trust Series "M" 2⅞% due October 1, 1960	2,004 09	
$2,000 Southern California Edison Co. 3% due September 1, 1965	2,040 70	
$1,000 Baltimore & Ohio R. R. Equipment Trust Series "CC" 3% due September 1, 1961	997 86	
$1,000 American Telephone & Telegraph Co. 2¾% due 1975	952 91	6,322 84
Cash balance at December 31, 1951		$ 80

Cash and Securities at December 31, 1951

Cash balance on hand		$ 80
Savings bank deposits:		
Boston Five Cents Savings Bank		2,570 77
Middlesex Institution for Savings		5,350 11
Warren Institution for Savings		2,170 78
U.S.A. bonds at cost (see note):		
$25,000 Series "F" due September 1, 1955		18,500 00
1,000 Series "F" due November 1, 1956		740 00
6,000 Series "F" due May 1, 1957		4,440 00
700 Series "F" due October 1, 1957		518 00
1,200 Series "F" due December 1, 1958		888 00
9,000 Series "F" due June 1, 1959		6,660 00
1,000 Series "F" due October 1, 1959		740 00
1,375 Series "F" due December 1, 1962		1,017 50
26,500 Series "G" 2½% due October 1, 1954		26,500 00
11,000 Series "G" 2½% due September 1, 1956		11,000 00
$2,000 Southern Pacific R. R. 2¼% due 1961, Equip. Trust Series "Q"		1,913 27
2,000 Great Northern Rwy. Equip. Trust "M" due 1960, 2⅞%		2,003 87
2,000 Southern California Edison 3% due 1965		2,039 30
1,000 Baltimore & Ohio R. R. Equip. Trust "CC" 3% due 1961		997 86
1,000 American Tel. & Tel. 2¾% due 1975		952 91
		$89,003 17

Note: Redemption value of U.S.A. Series "F" and "G" bonds at December 3, 1951, exceeded cost by $3,462.05.

Lincoln Library Trust Funds

Cash Account

Cash balance at January 1, 1951		$762 43
Income received in 1951:		
Julia A. Bemis Fund	$17 20	
Codman Fund	11 87	
Hugh Anthony Gaskill Fund	3 96	
John H. Pierce Fund	27 88	
George Russell Fund	10 44	
Abbie J. Stearns Fund	48 39	
Abbie J. Stearns Special Fund	32 52	
George G. Tarbell Fund	78 48	
C. Edgar and Elizabeth S. Wheeler Fund	31 07	
Hattie Hoar Howard Fund	83	

David W. Mann Fund	73	
Elizabeth and Leland Burr Fund	58	
General Library Funds	4 82	268 77
Additional gifts to Elizabeth and Leland Burr Fund		6 00
		$1,037 20
Deduct: Income from John H. Pierce Fund paid to Edith B. Farrar, Librarian	$27 88	
Book-of-the-Month Club	25 00	
Work on Library grounds (from David W. Mann Fund)	17 54	
Safe deposit box rental	4 00	
Savings bank interest allowed to accumulate	89 59	
Deposited in Middlesex Institution for Savings:		
Hattie Hoar Howard Fund	100 00	
David W. Mann Fund	88 16	
Elizabeth and Leland Burr Fund	70 00	422 17
Cash balance on hand at December 31, 1951		$615 03

Cash and Securities at December 31, 1951

	Accumulated Income on Deposit	Principal
Julia S. Bemis Fund:		
Middlesex Institution for Savings	$17 20	$684 05
Elizabeth and Leland Burr Fund:		
Middlesex Institution for Savings	58	70 00
Codman Fund:		
U.S.A. Series "G" 2½% due June 1, 1955		400 00
Middlesex Institution for Savings	1 87	74 59
		474 59
Hugh Anthony Gaskill Fund:		
Middlesex Institution for Savings		158 89
Hattie Hoar Howard Fund:		
Middlesex Institution for Savings	83	100 00
David W. Mann Fund:		
Middlesex Institution for Savings	73	88 16

John H. Pierce Fund:		
U.S.A. Series "G" 2½% due January 1, 1955		$1,000 00
Middlesex Institution for Savings		114 57
		$1,114 57
George Russell Fund:		
Middlesex Institution for Savings	$10 44	415 74
Abbie J. Stearns Fund:		
U. S. A. Series "G" 2½% due January 1, 1955		1,000 00
Middlesex Institution for Savings	23 39	930 00
		$1,930 00
Abbie J. Stearns Special Fund:		
Middlesex Institution for Savings		1,301 03
George G. Tarbell Fund:		
U.S.A. Series "G" 2½% due January 1, 1955		3,000 00
Middlesex Institution for Savings	3 48	138 38
		$3,138 38
C. Edgar and Elizabeth S. Wheeler Fund:		
Middlesex Institution for Savings	31 07	1,235 46
	$89 59	$10,710 87
General Library Funds, on deposit:		
Boston Five Cents Savings Bank		203 00
Accumulated income from prior years, cash on hand	615 03	
	$704 62	$10,913 87

Donald Gordon Recreation Fund

Cash Account

Cash balance at January 1, 1951		$ None
Income received in 1951:		
U.S.A. Series "G" bond interest	$75 00	
Savings bank interest	44 83	119 83
Withdrawal from Middlesex Institution for Savings		1,210 00
		$1,329 83
Deduct: Accrued interest on bonds purchased June 17 celebration	$ 92	
23rd Infantry Band of Concord, band stand, electrician, etc.	206 50	
Prizes awarded, Fourth of July celebration	25 00	

Savings bank interest allowed to accumulate	$44 83	
Cost of $1,000 Baltimore & Ohio R. R. Equip. Trust 3's due September 1, 1961	997 86	$1,275 11
Cash balance on hand at December 31, 1951		$54 72

Cash and Securities at December 31, 1951

Cash on hand	$54 72
Middlesex Institution for Savings	1,218 64
Bonds at cost:	
$3,000 U.S.A. Series "G" 2½% due January 1, 1954	3,000 00
1,000 Baltimore & Ohio R. R. Equip. Trust 3's due September 1, 1961	997 86
	$5,271 22
Income accumulated to December 31, 1951	$76 47
Principal	5,194 75
	$5,271 22

Abbie J. Stearns Fund for the Silent Poor

Cash Account

Cash balance at January 1, 1951		$15 00
Income received in 1951:		
U.S.A. Series "G" bond interest	$30 00	
Savings bank interest	41 26	71 26
		$86 26
Deduct: Savings bank interest allowed to accumulate		41 26
Cash balance at December 31, 1951		$45 00

Cash and Securities at December 31, 1951

Cash on hand	$45 00
Middlesex Institution for Savings	1,682 03
$1,200 U.S.A. Series "G" 2½% due January 1, 1955, at cost	1,200 00
	$2,927 03
Income accumulated to December 31, 1951	$1,701 98
Principal	1,225 05
	$2,927 03

Grammar School Fund

Cash Account

1951 Savings bank interest, paid to General Funds of Town	$29 63

Savings Bank Deposits at December 31, 1951

Middlesex Institution for Savings	$722 00
Cambridge Savings Bank	495 52
	$1,217 52

John H. Pierce Legacy

Cash Account

Cash balance at January 1, 1951		$1,591 33
Add: Income received in 1951:		
U.S.A. bond interest	$337 50	
Other bond interest	45 00	
Savings bank interest	204 10	
Annuity u/w John H. Pierce	3,000 00	
Rent of property for 1951	600 00	
Fees collected:		
Well-Child Clinic	22 00	
Dental Clinic	559 00	
Refunds of hospital aid granted	285 65	5,053 25
Withdrawn from savings banks:		
Wakefield Savings Bank		1,000 00
Middlesex Institution for Savings		1,134 27
Proceeds of fire insurance on barn		5,000 00
		$13,778 85
Deduct: Payments per order of Selectmen:		
Hospital aid	$4,004 02	
Laboratory fees and medicines	290 17	
Doctors' bills	737 50	
Well-Child Clinic	439 88	
Dental Clinic	1,505 62	
Nursing care	312 00	
Care of Pierce Park grounds	387 38	
	$7,676 57	

Savings bank interest allowed to accumulate	138 37	
Accrued interest paid on bonds purchased	4 07	
Bonds purchased:		
$2,000 St. Louis San Francisco Rwy. Equip. Trust Series "I" 2⅞% due August 1, 1955	2,005 57	
2,000 Baltimore & Ohio R. R. Equip. Trust Series "CC" 3% due September 1, 1961	1,995 72	11,820 30
Cash balance at December 31, 1951		$1,958 55

Cash and Securities at December 31, 1951

Cash on hand	$1,958 55
Middlesex Institution for Savings	4,175 58
Provident Institution for Savings	1,159 27
Wakefield Savings Bank	1,876 67
U.S.A. bonds, at cost (see note):	
$11,000 Series "G" 2½% due September 1, 1956	11,000 00
2,500 Series "G" 2½% due November 1, 1959	2,500 00
8,500 Series "F" due April 1, 1958	6,290 00
2,000 Series "F" due May 1, 1960	1,480 00
2,700 Series "F" due December 1, 1960	1,998 00
3,500 Series "F" due July 1, 1962	2,590 00
$2,000 Southern Pacific R. R. Equip. Trust "Q" 2¼% due October 1, 1954	1,981 29
2,000 St. Louis San Francisco Rwy. Equip. Trust "I" 2⅞% due August 1, 1955	2,005 57
2,000 Baltimore & Ohio R. R. Equip. Trust "CC" 3% due September 1, 1961	1,995 72
	$41,010 65

Note: Redemption value of U.S.A. "G" and "F" bonds at December 31, 1951, exceeded cost by $140.00

CLEMENT C. SAWTELL,
HENRY De C. WARD,
LEONARD C. LARRABEE,
Commissioners of Trust Funds.

deCORDOVA AND DANA MUSEUM AND PARK

Funds Accounting

1951

Schedule A

Activities for which Charges were made:

	Received	*Expended*	*Balance*
School: Children	$2,215 00	$3,552 42	$1,337 42d
Adult	5,028 80	4,308 76	720 04
Play	———	150 00	150 00d
Film Society	308 45	326 06	17 61d
Concerts	713 50	744 66	31 16d
Lectures	85 50	320 00	234 50d
Rentals	———	———	53 00
Other	———	———	30 70
d — deficit			$966 95d

Schedule B

Other Expenditures for General Purposes:

Restoration of Painting in Collection	$375 00
Equipment, Improvements	1,869 82
Accessions	18 90
Memberships, Subscriptions	87 00
Salaries: Full time	15,061 43
Part time	85 49
Caretaker's Cottage	575 20
Director and Office Costs	1,525 10
Supplies and Maintenance	1,425 73
Electricity, Telephone, Water	2,587 99
Fuel	1,257 49
Financial, Insurance	2,598 81
Indoor Activities	1,815 22
Outdoor Activities	337 15
Supplies for Resale to Students	239 45
	$29,859 78

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

During the month of August, Chapter 90 maintenance work was done on South Great Road, Codman Road and Concord Road. This work consists of oiling and resurfacing the roads also the installation of catch basins and waterways.

The next three months were spent on Chapter 90 construction work on Bedford Road. The work on Bedford Road consists of rebuilding and grading of the new roadbed, also the installation of two catch basins and culverts. If sufficient money is appropriated this project will be completed in the spring of 1952.

The month of December was spent in the erecting of snow fences, also plowing and sanding the streets. The repairs and maintenance of the Town equipment was completed in December.

A salt spreader was purchased by the Highway Department late in December. It is expected that this will help greatly to relieve the icy condition of the roads.

Consideration is being given to the purchase of an automatic sand spreader similar to those used by the state.

Respectfully submitted,

CLIFFORD BRADLEY,
Acting Supt.

REPORT OF WATER COMMISSIONERS

The Board organized with Henry Warner as Secretary and Sumner Smith as Chairman. Twenty-five meetings were held during the year.

Summary of Well Site Exploration

The Town, through the last decade, at the request of the Water Board and the recommendation of the State Board of Health, has appropriated Water Works' money and directed the Board to make a broad survey to increase the Town's water supply.

The Board has retained Geologists, Engineers, and Seismologists, and has had many helpful conferences with members of the State Water and Health Department. Reports and recommendations from the aforementioned sources have been followed, resulting in the Board, with the approval of the Finance Committee, presenting motions at the Town Meeting last June to appropriate money for a well site, equip the well and connect it to the pipe system. This is the only even passable well site discovered in the Town, located on land of Dr. Robert L. and Mr. James DeNormandie, and situated on the easterly shore of Fairhaven Bay about 900′ north of Route 117. The ability of the well to produce 1,000,000 GPD is unquestioned, but whether the water would be sufficiently free from minerals after extended drawage during a dry period is not guaranteed. A more exacting pump test may be tried on this well. Another disadvantage to this site is that it is very expensively located as to accessibility and distance from the pipe system. The State Health Department recommends that for sanitary protection the Town acquire the control of the property within circumference of a 400′ radius from the well, but the landowners prefer not to sell.

Although the Town voted adversely on these motions, the Board feels that it would have been derelict in its duty if it had not so brought the subject before the Town. In the first place

it stimulated for the first time great personal interest in the Water Works System and its problems, and it made the Town conscious that some time in the future, not too distant, it appeared that about $250,000 would have to be raised to increase the water supply. It further caused The League of Women Voters to commence an Educational Program on the Water Works, which has resulted in Messrs. Charles H. Blake, Ernest P. Neumann, Edward S. Taylor, Charles P. Kindleberger and Frederick B. Taylor acting gratuitously as consultants with the Water Board. The Board is most appreciative for the interest and helpful cooperation given by these men.

The Board would like to explore an area east of Lake Walden seismographically on the bare chance that a better located well might be indicated.

Another possible source of more water might be the Hobbs Brook Reservoir from which the City of Cambridge has offered to sell Lincoln water. A gate house with a screened well, pumping station, possible filter plant and 16″ main to Lincoln Center might be found to be the best solution, after a thorough examination and comparison with other sources.

Meters

Considering the current water supply situation, both as to supply and distribution, the Board believes the Town is reconciled on entering the meter system and intends equipping every additional water taker with a meter, and installing meters on existing services as fast as delivery and money allows. The meters will be read in order to arrive at a charge which will carry the annual Water Works budget, but customers will not be charged by meter until a consistent tax program can be followed.

Clean and Line Main Pipes

In order to pump more water from the pond without adding a new main to the reservoir, it is possible to clean the twelve-inch main and cement line it. A standby temporary pipe could be substituted in sections while the work is being done on

the main, but the Board has not yet enough confidence in the successful completion of the project to recommend it at this time. Something might happen in the progress of the work to deprive any or all of the Town of water, and the water might carry some tasty influence from the cement lining for some time.

The Board is aware that the distribution system is not wholly adequate in certain sections because of undersize or partially-filled mains, but is postponing renewal of these pipes as long as reasonable because there are so many more required and necessary expenses against Water Works income. The Board is reluctant to borrow money except for capital expenses.

The Board estimates and recommends the following budget for 1952:

Power	$3,000 00
Salaries	4,625 00
Census	100 00
Maintenance and Repairs	7,000 00
Labor	5,000 00
Testing and Treating Sandy Pond	300 00
Meters and Labor	6,000 00
1 Ton Jeep Truck	2,754 00
Legal	3,000 00
Surveying Pipe System for Wells	1,000 00
Total	$32,799 00

Statistics

1. Pipe now in use, 29.254 mi.
2. Number of hydrants now in use, 211.
3. Number of stop-gates now in use, 270.
4. Number of blow-offs now in use, 27.
5. Range of pressure on mains, 40–100 lbs.
6. Total gallons pumped, 130,568,900.
7. Number of services added, 24.

8. Number of services renewed, 23.
9. Number of services now in use, 659.
10. Number of meters now in use, 8.
11. Pipe added, 340′.
(8″ Transite on Page Rd.)
12. Pipe renewed, 1,943′.
(8″ Transite on Page Rd.)

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY WARNER, *Secretary*,
ROBERT W. SCOTT,
SUMNER SMITH, *Chairman*.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

On March 28, 1951, the initial meeting was held and the Board organized for the ensuing year. Mrs. Nancy Hurd was elected Secretary. Mr. Flint, member of the Nursing Committee, and Dr. Donaldson, Chairman. Mrs. Ober was appointed agent, and Mr. William Davis, burial agent; Mr. Andrew Doherty, inspector of animals, and Dr. Alden Russell, inspector of slaughtering.

During the year the following licenses were granted: overnight camps, 1; slaughtering of poultry, 1; piggeries, 4; convalescent homes, 1; homes for the aged, 2; sale of alcohol, 6.

In accord with the State Law the following contagious diseases have been reported by physicians to the Board; Scarlet Fever, 3; Measles, 10; Mumps, 5; Chicken Pox, 3; Whooping Cough, 1; Ring Worm, 3. In these days of sulfa drugs and antibiotics it is still of the utmost importance that the diagnosis of contagious diseases be confirmed by a physician and be reported immediately by him to the Board. Complications beyond the power of antibiotics to correct still do exist. Five dog bites were reported. Here again, effective public protection depends on early reporting by the victim, his physician or the dog owner. A verbal report should be supplemented by one in writing. The Town inspector of animals is then dispatched and the dog is impounded at home for a period of two weeks. In no case should the animal be killed. If rabies is present, at the end of two weeks symptoms will have become evident in the dog, and proper steps can be taken for the care of the bitten. Otherwise, the dog is released only after an examination by the inspector of animals.

A total of 400 dogs were licensed by the Town Clerk throughout the year, and on May 5, 1951, 153 dogs were inoculated against rabies at the Dog Clinic held at the Town Barn. The discrepancy in these figures is partly accounted for by the fact that many dogs are privately inoculated by veterinarians before the clinic is held in May. Some dogs, however, do roam

about town uninoculated to the danger of the public at large, and the great risk of the owner. It would seem more logical that a dog should be inoculated against rabies before a town license is granted. The reverse is true. A combined licensing and inoculation clinic is again planned for May, 1952, and due notice will be sent well in advance to each dog owner in town.

Under the able direction of Dr. John Davies, 12 Well Child Clinic conferences were held during the year. Each year the attendance increases, and this year 105 cases presented themselves. Twenty-seven were under one year of age, and a total of 78 represented pre-school age children. In addition to examination, the usual inoculations, booster shots, and smallpox vaccinations were given. We feel that the Well Child Clinic is a very important factor in our Town health program, as it attempts primarily to forestall disease, and so eliminate expensive treatment. Certainly in children an ounce of prevention is worth many pounds of cure.

The Dental Clinic is also an active agent in the Town health program. Dr. Harold L. Ehrlich came to us last year with a background of training of 6 years at the Harvard Dental School and the highest recommendations as to character and proficiency. He has taken an interest in the Town dental problems and to date has examined 357 children. Only 74 of these, or 21% were found to have teeth in excellent condition. At present, 63 with defects have been completely corrected, and have developed new defects, and in 33, caries were found rampant. In 5 pupils, due to inertia and failure of cooperation at home, no corrections have been carried out. Again it should be stated that the clinic is open to all school children. The initial examination or diagnostic preview of a child's dental state is free of charge, thanks to the generosity of a Town benefactor. Then treatment of disease is done at a reasonable charge, only on permission of the family, after the latter has been appraised of the situation by written note from the clinic. Where the financial burden is heavy, we are again fortunate in being able to call on a limited charitable fund. The Board of Public Welfare has the final decision on any given case. The Dental clinic is not a free treatment clinic and was never

meant to be, and we believe carries higher standards than the free, tax-supported clinics.

The Board has spent some time investigating the safety and practicality of adding fluorine to the Town water supply. In concentrations of 1 part per million fluorine in water reduces childhood tooth decay by 65%, and 20% of children raised in this environment are free of caries. It is now established the fluorine is safe, and fluorination of Town water supply is recommended by the State Department of Public Health, Massachusetts Medical and Dental Societies, and many others. The running cost is trivial. Installation, proper control, possible side effects, etc., are some of the problems which must be solved.

The Board has continued its active interest in the Union Health program, and various members have attended meetings with the committee appointed by the Moderator to investigate the matter. Acton, Bedford, Carlisle, Concord, Lexington, Lincoln, Maynard, Sudbury, and Wayland are proposed for union. By State Law, unionization becomes obligatory by August of 1959. We feel the benefits from such group action, supervised by a single office trained in Public Health matters, would be numerous. Health problems in Lincoln are different from those of 10 or 20 years ago; and with a growing population and the changing problems posed by daily discoveries in the field of medicine and public health, expert help becomes of increasing importance. The present Town Board of Health would remain intact but would have the benefit of advice and counsel from an outside source and would be rewarded by group action on health problems common to the entire area of Union. Many details remain to be worked out. The quality of Town health protection would be improved without question. Integrating our problem with those of other towns, establishing basic services with them, and figuring the relative cost per capita of this move are some of the matters under discussion at present.

For the past 18 years these reports have been written by one who has been completely devoted to the job of keeping the health standards of Lincoln high. He has been a veritable Vigilante on some of the problems which have been peculiar to

this Town. Townspeople have called on him freely for help, and he has been ever willing to devote time and energy to Town matters which have taken him far afield — farther than most of us have realized. The present Board feel fortunate in still being able to call in consultation Dr. Robert L. DeNormandie.

NANCY HURD,
WARREN FLINT,
GORDON DONALDSON, M.D.,
Chairman of the Board.

REPORT OF THE CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

During the past year the Cemetery Commissioners have continued to bring up-to-date the past Cemetery records.

Records for the sale of lots and their ownership have been completed. You now have a complete record of all lots sold with deeds issued and corrections made, as far as possible. This record, if continued, should assure the Town of payment for lots sold and also give to the purchaser a deed upon payment for the same.

The Town Clerk now has a bookkeeping system established, and while not complete in all past records, should assure the townspeople of accurate future recordings.

The Commissioners are indebted for this information to the concern and interest of Mr. George Cunningham and we only regret that the lack of informed interest on the part of the Selectmen prevented us from completing an extremely important phase of the work, namely the location and the recording of past burials, many of which are unmarked.

Additional stone markers have been ordered for more of the Cemetery lots. Also surveying has been done in parts of the cemetery and maps will be made so that correct numbers will be given to lots already sold.

The next important need in your cemetery is the improvement of the roads and the drainage of water from the low spots, where it now collects, into the brook which in turn must be opened so that the water will be carried away from the cemetery. For this the Finance Board wishes a complete report on the entire cost of all drainage problems and all road repairs then consideration for an appropriation, from the Cemetery Investment Fund sufficient to complete a portion of this work yearly, will be in order.

Records for 1951

Received from the sale of lots.....	$1,595 00
Cemetery Investment Fund, Dec. 31, 1951....	6,615 99

Burials

Feb. 24, 1951	Margaret M. Corrigan
Mar. 3, 1951	Fritz Cunnert
Mar. 3, 1951	Madeline A. Rice
May 5, 1951	Sanford Saylor Winchell
May 18, 1951	Anthony J. Doherty
Sept. 1, 1951	Thomas F. Coan
Oct. 2, 1951	Charles O. Preble
Oct. 18, 1951	Hobart Oakes Davidson
Oct. 22, 1951	George Marshall Crawford
Nov. 20, 1951	William Bolio
Nov. 20, 1951	Margaret L. Lahnstein
Nov. 23, 1951	John Hugh Rogers

Budget 1952

To be raised by taxation:

Salary of Superintendent	$150 00
Maintenance	1,800 00
Water Rates	17 00
Equipment and repairs	100 00
Grading of lots and interments	600 00
	$2,667 00
Repair of vault	75 00
	$2,742 00

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH H. DOHERTY,
GEORGE E. CUNNINGHAM,
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,
Cemetery Commissioners.

REPORT OF BOARD OF FIRE ENGINEERS

During the past year the Department responded to 46 alarms, representing a substantial decrease from alarms answered in 1950. Total property damage for the past year amounted to $9,500. Listed below are the types:

Brush	28
Chimney	3
Dump	5
False Alarm	1
House	2
Miscellaneous	2
Oil Burner	1
Still Alarms	4

As in previous years the Department continued with its fire drills, which we feel has added substantially to the efficiency of the Department. We intend to continue this practice in the year ahead. It is the feeling of the Board of Engineers that the maintenance of safety, to a large degree, rests with the interest of the individual citizen to co-operate wherever possible to supplement the fire fighting force. This would be especially true in case of a major disaster, for there is no assurance that without this co-operation the Department would in any way be able to cope with such a problem. We strongly urge, wherever possible, that inexpensive but effective equipment such as a stirrup pump and an extra water pail be made part of the household safety equipment. Such equipment at hand during a disaster could substantially reduce damage by fire and effectively supplement the demand on the Fire Department.

We have asked the Selectmen to recommend the Town purchase a resuscitator-inhalator. We have met with the medical members of the Civilian Defense and the Police Department, and it is the feeling of this group that such equipment should be purchased. Other than this, the engineers are not recommending additional outlay beyond the regular working budget.

Lincoln Fire Alarm Code, 1952

Telephone connecting both South and North Stations—6-0195.

12	North Great Road at Virginia Road
13	Virginia Road at Old Bedford Road
14	Virginia Road near McHugh's
15	North Great Road near Cunnert's Mill
16	North Great Road at Brooks Road
17	North Great Road — Concord Line
112	North Great Road at Mill Street
113	Mill Street
121	Old Bedford Road — Bedford Line
123	Virginia Road — Concord Line
21	North Lincoln Fire Station
23	Cambridge Turnpike at Brooks Road
24	Cambridge Turnpike — Concord Line
212	Cambridge Turnpike at Lexington Road
213	Cambridge Turnpike — Lexington Line
214	Mill Street at Lexington Road
215	Lexington Road at Farm Road
216	Blueberry and Grasshopper Lane
31	Bedford Road at Hilliard Road
32	Lincoln Center
132	Town House
34	Trapelo Road at Lexington Road
35	Trapelo Road at Page Road
36	Trapelo Road at Old County Road
37	Page Road
312	Sandy Pond Road at Baker Bridge Road
313	Baker Bridge Road at Storrow House
314	Woods End Road
315	Baker Bridge Road at Concord Road
316	Lake Walden Reservation — Concord Line
321	Sandy Pond Road — Concord Line
41	Lincoln Road at MacIntosh Lane
411	New Elementary School
42	Lincoln Road at Tower Road
422	Center School
421	Beaver Pond Road
43	Tower Road at Beaver Pond Road
431	Tower Road at Calkins
45	Silver Hill Road
46	Weston Road at Conant Road
47	Conant Road — Weston Line
411	Old Winter Street
412	Winter Street near J. Coan
413	Winter Street — Waltham Line
511	South Lincoln Fire Station
51	Lincoln Road at South Great Road
52	South Great Road at B. & M. R.R. Crossing
53	South Great Road at Tower Road
54	South Great Road — Weston Line
56	Weston Road — Weston Line
58	Tower Road — Weston Line
512	Codman Road at Lincoln Road
521	Sudbury Road near Boyce's
61	Lincoln Road — Wayland Line
62	Concord Road — Wayland Line
63	Oxbow Road — Wayland Line
64	Concord Road at South Great Road
65	Concord Road at Codman Road
66	Hillside Road
67	Baker Bridge
68	Old Concord Road near C. F. Adams
612	South Great Road — Concord Line
1-1-1-1	Police Department
1-1	Test Blow, Noon
1-1	After an alarm, all out
2 rounds of box number, Forest Fire	
3 rounds of box number, Building Fire	
No school signal at 7:30 3-3-3	
7:35 3-3-3	
5-5-5-5	Mutual aid
7-7-7	Boy Scout Call

AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE DRIVING OF VEHICLES OVER MUNICIPAL FIRE HOSE

1926, Chapter 278

Section 7A. Upon the approach of any fire apparatus which is going to a fire or responding to an alarm, every person driving a vehicle on a way shall immediately drive said vehicle as far as possible toward the right-hand curb or side of said way and shall keep the same at a standstill until such fire apparatus has passed. No person shall drive a vehicle over a hose of a fire department without the consent of a member of such department. No person shall drive a vehicle **within three hundred feet of any fire apparatus going to a fire or responding to an alarm,** nor drive said vehicle or park or leave the same unattended within **six hundred feet of a fire or within the fire-lines** established thereat by the fire department. Violation of any provision of this section shall be punished by a fine of not more than twenty-five dollars. (Approved April 28, 1926.)

CHAPTER 148 AS AMENDED TO 1949

Section 54

Whoever drops or throws from any vehicle while the same is upon a public or private way running along or near forest land, or, except as permitted by law, drops, throws, deposits or otherwise places in or upon forest land, any lighted cigarette, cigar, match, live ashes or other flaming or glowing substance, or any substance or thing which in and of itself is likely to cause a fire, shall be punished by a fine of not more than one hundred dollars or by imprisonment for not more than thirty days.

A permit is required for all open fires.

Investigate your chimneys and keep them clean.

Traffic siren means pull out and stop.

Oil burning equipment should be inspected and cleaned frequently.

False alarms are punishable by fine or imprisonment.

When calling by telephone for fire speak calmly and distinctly, giving name, street and type of fire. This will insure more prompt response by the firemen.

Do not allow rubbish, paper, or any inflammable material to accumulate in or about your property.

Always call the Department before attempting to extinguish a fire yourself.

The Fire Department will be enabled to render better service if these instructions are followed.

BOARD OF ENGINEERS

C. K. Fitts, Clerk Edmund Giles, Chief A. J. Dougherty

As outlined in last year's report, we have had further meetings with the Planning Board regarding puchase of land suitable for the eventual building of a Fire Station; and the Planning Board is making certain recommendations in this direction at an early date.

We feel that all residents of Lincoln should be introduced to the members of the Fire Department. Below is a list of these men:

O. C. Wood
J. Tracey
W. Doherty
E. Murphy
C. Bradley
A. Brooks
H. Lawson
F. Campobasso
J. Campobasso
D. Spooner
W. Dean
F. Gordon
C. Lahnstein
E. MacLeod
W. Porter
R. Scott
J. Frazier
E. Teabo
D. Todd
R. Malloy
R. Gormley
J. Knowles
J. Cotoni
F. Gordon, Jr.
W. Meriam
C. Smith

EDMUND GILES, *Chief*,
C. K. FITTS, *Clerk*,
A. J. DOUGHERTY,
Board of Engineers.

REPORT OF THE NURSING COMMITTEE

The statistics which appear in the following table indicate that Mrs. Ober, our community nurse, has had another busy year. Attending the sick and making post-surgical calls, of course, take most of her time. Her other activities, however, are numerous and varied.

	1951	1950
Number of calls	1,769	1,889
Medical	790	1,119
Surgical	205	32
Pre-natal	49	38
Post-natal	12	26
Well Child Clinic	251	238
Child Welfare	294	206
Social Welfare	42	41
Board of Health	78	60
Trips out of town	48	24
Fees	$445 75	$413 50

Mrs. Ober reports that the Well Child Clinic is as popular as ever. The same can be said for the Dental Clinic at the school where she spends a full day each week. In addition she has under her jurisdiction all other details of the school health program including the pre-school examination of all kindergarten children.

During the summer the Water Safety Class was held at Lake Walden again under the supervision of the American Red Cross. Mrs. Ober registered all the children as usual and reported attendance very good.

Besides making her regular calls and attending to the details of the clinics, Mrs. Ober attended several meetings at the Massachusetts General Hospital, the Massachusetts Memorial Hospital and the Middlesex Sanitorium where lectures and discussions on advances in the field of medicine proved interesting and instructive. She likewise attended meetings in nearby

towns to talk over the pros and cons of the possible union of Boards of Health.

As our Town grows, Mrs. Ober finds her time well filled; yet she is always ready and willing to help when called upon to do so.

MALCOLM DONALDSON, *Chairman*,
WARREN FLINT,
ALBERTA FRADD, *Secretary*.

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF LINCOLN LIBRARY

The Trustees of the Lincoln Library report an increase in its use and service for 1951. This increase seems to have justified the present arrangement of opening three days of the week. The number of borrowers has increased by about 4% and the number of books loaned exceeded that of the previous year by 10%.

Naturally this extension of library facilities means a moderate increase in costs. Employment of an assistant to the librarian, and more heat, light, and supplies were necessities under the new arrangement and will continue to be.

Many friends have been generous in their gifts and services. A partial list follows this report. Especially we wish to express our appreciation to Mr. David Mann for his interest and help in getting the Tower clock back into use.

Respectfully submitted,

MALCOLM L. DONALDSON,
ALICE G. MERIAM,
GEORGE G. TARBELL,
JOHN O. WILSON,
ROLAND C. MACKENZIE,
Trustees.

List of Donors to the Lincoln Library During 1951

Mrs. L. B. Anderson
Mrs. H. S. Bean
Mrs. J. DeNormandie
Mrs. R. L. DeNormandie
Mrs. R. K. Fairbanks
Mrs. H. Healey
Mrs. S. Heck
Mrs. W. King
Mrs. R. Meriam
Mrs. J. P. Monks
Mrs. L. Monks
Mrs. E. A. Murphy
Mrs. E. S. Taylor
Mrs. F. B. Taylor
Mrs. R. H. Thorson
Mrs. H. Warner
Miss A. Campbell
Miss N. Carman
Miss L. Foreman
Miss M. Jacobs
Miss K. O'Sullivan
Dr. Harry Bigelow
Dr. E. B. Cole
Mr. Christopher Billings
Mr. James Billings
Mr. C. V. Briggs
Mr. P. Brooks
Mr. R. Cory
Mr. F. W. Denio
Mr. N. Fradd
Mr. H. B. Hills
Mr. J. Hills
Mr. H. B. Kane
Mr. C. Kindleberger
Mr. G. G. Tarbell
Concord Free Library
Lincoln Garden Club
Lincoln League of Women Voters

Library Statistics, 1951

Number of borrowers, December 31, 1951	818
Number of days open	128
Amount of fines collected	$222 00
Number of volumes, January 1, 1951	15,685
Number of volumes, added by gift	258
Number of volumes purchased	374
Number of volumes withdrawn	295
Number of volumes, December 31, 1951	16,022

Circulation Figures

Fiction	5,683
Non-Fiction	3,179
Juvenile	7,079
Periodicals	1,310
Total	17,251

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE LINCOLN PLANNING BOARD FOR 1951

The Planning Board was organized for 1951 with William T. King, Chairman, and Alan McClennen, Clerk.

Subdivisions

During the year the following subdivisions were approved:

Thomas T. and Stella A. Giles, April 14, 1951 — 8 lots off Concord Road

Huntley and Riley, September 12, 1951 — 6 lots off Farrar Road

Hanover Trust, Ernest Henderson, December 27, 1951 — 4 lots off Baker Bridge Road (revision of earlier plat).

Several other subdivisions were considered in preliminary stages.

Zoning

The Town adopted the proposed changes to the zoning by-laws and map, but the office of the Attorney-General has not yet given its approval. Attempts are being made through counsel to obtain action.

Edison Power Line

The question of the high tension power line planned by the Edison Company is not yet resolved. The Department of Public Utilities has recently approved an overhead line to run along the road bed of the Central Massachusetts Railroad. This order of the Department supersedes the original plan to go through our Town according to recent legal advice. Our efforts and those of neighboring towns are still devoted to having this line placed underground.

Northeastern Gas Transmission Co.

The proposal and construction of the natural gas line by the Northeastern Gas Transmission Company absorbed much time on the part of the Board. While the Board disapproved of the project it came to the conclusion that:

(1) No economic case could be established to force the Gas Line out of the Town.

(2) No other route could be found in the Town that did not raise substantially the same objections as the chosen route.

The Board wishes to point out that the high tension line, the gas lines and the cross state toll road were all planned to pass through Lincoln primarily because the Town constitutes the nearest open area to Metropolitan Boston on its western perimeter. It is probable that in the future similar projects will arise.

Bedford Airport

With the Selectmen we have been in touch with the expansion plans at the Bedford Airport. Present plans, according to information we have reason to believe is reliable, call for the eventual employment of 2,000 civilians and 1,000 military personnel. Of the civilians 1,200 are already employed in similar activities in and about Cambridge, and a majority of these are already adequately housed at convenient distances from the airport. While we cannot ignore the fact that this will increase the pressure for development in Lincoln, it is questionable whether this will be as important as the growth we may expect from the future expansion of the Metropolitan Area.

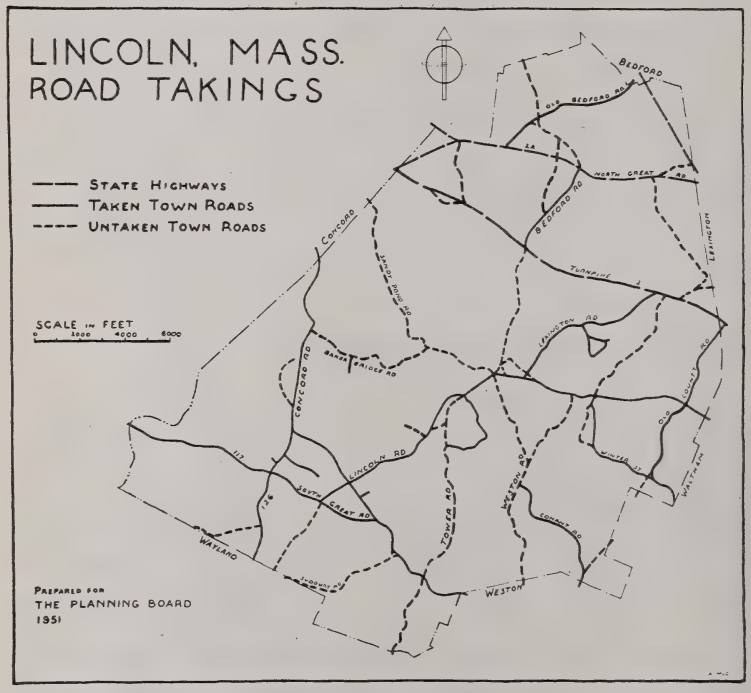
Fire Station Site

The Board with the Fire Engineers and Selectmen have considered the matter of acquiring a desirable site for the construction at some future date, of a fire station in the northern section of the Town. It is the opinion of this Board that the

acquisition of land at the present time would be a most constructive step provided it could be obtained at a reasonable cost.

Zoning of Concord Turnpike

The bill to restrict land abutting the Turnpike to residential use was defeated in the Legislature. A similar bill has been submitted for consideration in the current session.



Layout of Town Roads

The Board has continued to give consideration to the layout of Town roads in order to define the limits of Town jurisdiction. The present status of our roads is as follows (see map):

Laid out State Highways	6.5 mi.
Laid out Local Roads	22 mi.
Roads yet to be defined	19 mi.

There are at present about 4 miles of roads for which up-to-date surveys exist and for which layouts could be made readily. The Board wishes to emphasize that layout and taking does not mean that extensive reconstruction need or must be carried out.

Recreation Areas

The Planning Board believes that with the rapid growth of the Town the question of additional recreation areas, north of Route 2 and south of the railroad, should seriously be considered. While the demand may not be great now it is possible that by the time the Town is fully developed added facilities sites may be desirable.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM T. KING, *Chairman*,
ALAN McCLENNEN, *Clerk*,
EVELETH R. TODD,
HOWARD SNELLING,
RICHARD W. EATON.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF APPEALS

The Board of Selectmen appointed Elliott V. Grabill to the Board for five years and Thomas B. Adams as an Associate Member for three years.

The Board organized with Elliott V. Grabill, Chairman, and James DeNormandie, Clerk.

The following cases were heard by the Board during the year.

March 15, 1951.

Permission granted to Christopher W. and Nancy D. Hurd to construct an addition to their property on Upland Field Road, under section 21 (d) of the zoning by-laws.

March 28, 1951.

Permission granted to James DeNormandie for temporary occupancy of a farm house on Codman Road by two families for a period of six months.

April 11, 1951.

Permission granted for one year only to Mildred Bowles to rent ponies on her property subject to the approval of the Board of Health and provided that ponies be restricted to her property and not to exceed three in number.

Permission granted to Norman Brisson to use a building other than a dwelling as a nursery office, to continue a landscape gardening business for one year only and to continue contracting business for one year only.

June 28, 1951.

Permission granted to Clayton R. Snow for a variance to construct an addition to his property on So. Great Road.

August 6, 1951.

Application of Dr. Arthur D. Baldwin for a variance of the zoning by-laws to permit the erection of a temporary camp on So. Great Road denied.

Permission granted to Merrill and Hope Hunt to continue the use of their house for two families for a period of one year under section 21 of the zoning by-laws.

September 11, 1951.

Permission granted to Allston and Marian Riley to construct a road on their property on Farrar Road.

December 13, 1951.

Application of Gertrude S. Eaton for permission to install a kitchenette in the ell of her property on Bedford Road was denied.

Application of Robert W. Kinney to erect a temporary camp on his property on So. Great Road was denied.

Permission granted to Edmund W. Giles to erect a dwelling on his property on South Great Road.

Application of Hartwell Farm for approval of sign at the corner of Virginia and North Great Roads not acted on.

Application of Stephanie Danosky for permission to place two signs advertising her business on Concord Road was denied.

Respectfully submitted,

ELLIOTT V. GRABILL, *Chairman*,
JAMES DeNORMANDIE, *Clerk*,
D. EVERETT SHERMAN, JR.,
HENRY B. HOOVER,
ANDREW J. O'REILLY,
Board of Appeals.

1951 LINCOLN TOWN REPORT OF THE ACTIVITIES OF THE MIDDLESEX COUNTY EXTENSION SERVICE

Middlesex County maintains an Extension Service in Agriculture and Home Economics for the benefit of all towns within the County. This service is available to all citizens, especially farmers, home gardeners, homemakers, rural youth and 4-H Club boys and girls.

The work is developed by an unpaid Board of Trustees, who maintain a staff of agents at the headquarters at 19 Everett Street, Concord. The trustees appoint a director in each town to represent them in all phases of Extension Work or in a few cases towns elect a director and make an appropriation to help defray local expenses.

In addition to farm and home visits made upon request, local meetings are held, or sectional or county-wide meetings or tours are helps available to everyone. A monthly bulletin is published, timely letters mailed on spraying, fertilizing, seeding, poultry problems, information to homemakers, boys and girls' 4-H work or general community problems.

Some of the activities that took place last year in Lincoln are as follows:

Educational work with the dairy men was concentrated on programs to assist the farmers in solving their problems of raising better roughage, disease control and milk marketing. A meeting of dairymen was held at the farm of James DeNormandie. Abraham Shick and Hans Van Leer were enrolled in the Green Pasture Program for dairymen. The program was completed and appropriate seals were awarded for the work done.

Farm visits to vegetable growers were made upon request.

Increased efficiency, flock health, greater breeding progress, and better marketing practices were the principal goals of the Extension Poultry Program. Efficient management practices

and equipment were among the topics discussed at meetings of the Middlesex County Poultry Association, held at the Acton Town Hall on the second Monday of the month. George U. Browning, Conant Road, is enrolled in the Middlesex Flock Health Program, through which the Extension Service is attempting to help poultrymen and turkey growers to keep their flocks healthy. Rabbit breeders were given assistance through the Middlesex Commercial Rabbit Association, which meets monthly at the Extension Service "Schoolhouse" in Concord.

Mrs. Myron Lidga and Mrs. Charles MacFarland are representatives on the Women's Advisory Council and were responsible for groups organized in Lincoln this year. A coat-making program was taught by a leader, and slip cover demonstrations were taught by the home agent. Lincoln homemakers also took advantage of suggestions for Christmas giving which are included in the Gift Kit.

4-H activities in clothing, food, gardening, poultry, and livestock were carried on with nineteen boys and girls. The clubs were under the leadership of Mrs. Medford Huntley, who was also the Chairman of the 4-H Town Committee, Mrs. Gladys McCallum, and Hans Van Leer who was assisted by Richard Brooks. Every girl in the Clothing Club received a Blue Ribbon at the local exhibit and again at the county-wide exhibit held on Girls' Day in Lexington. This is an unusual accomplishment. Robert Danosky was awarded a First-Prize Ribbon on his excellent garden.

ROBERT D. DONALDSON,
Town Director.

TREE WARDEN'S REPORT

Work has been carried on the same as in previous years. Spraying was started the second week in May and a second spraying was done in August.

Twelve elm trees were dead and had to be taken down. Samples from 10 trees were taken and sent for examination. The report came back that they were not diseased.

The Moth Department is in need of a new truck and a sprayer in order to carry on the necessary work.

Poison ivy control was carried on the same as in previous years with very good results.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN W. GILBERT,
Tree Warden.

LINCOLN RECREATION COMMITTEE

In an effort to consolidate the various interests, the Selectmen dissolved the Summer Playground Committee and Tennis Committee. Members from each of these groups and others now form the Recreation Committee. The purpose of the newly organized group is to encourage, promote and supervise Town recreational activities.

The summer playground under the able and enthusiastic direction of Mr. Edward Czarnowski had a very successful program. The playground was open from 9:30 to 11:30 and from 1:30 to 4:30 and each session was well attended.

The girls' program was under the direction of Miss Mary Jane Samborski, and special mention should be made of the fine work produced in the Arts and Crafts classes.

A varied program was conducted in individual and team sports. Some of the individual activities participated in were tumbling, tennis, croquet, horse-shoes, paddle tennis, badminton and checkers. Tournaments were held throughout the summer for each of the above. For team sports basketball, baseball, softball, volleyball, Newcombe, kickball, dodgeball, and various forms of the above were played. Home and home baseball games were played with Weston and Concord while intra-playground teams engaged in the other team sports.

Four trips were taken during the course of the summer; two to Major League baseball games, one to Whalom Park, and one to Provincetown.

The season was closed with a field day at which time prizes were awarded to victors of tournaments and to winners of various events and contests held that day.

Enthusiasm for adult tennis continues. Two tournaments, one in early summer and one in September, were greatly enjoyed by players and fans alike.

It is our hope to meet with the School Committee to see if there are ways in which economies can be effected in recreational facilities offered by the two groups in the future.

ASTRID DONALDSON,
SADIE SHERMAN,
EDWARD ROONEY,
ROBERT GRAY,
DAVID TODD,
WILLIAM DeFORD,
JOHN GARRISON,
ETHAN MURPHY, *Chairman.*

REPORT OF DIVISION OF INSPECTORS

Building permits issued:

New dwellings	40
Alterations	18
Other buildings	17
Fees collected	$210 00

Plumbing Inspector:

Permits issued	62
Fees collected	$98 00

Wiring Inspector:

Fees collected	$90 50

Respectfully submitted,

NILS P. SWANSON, *Building Inspector.*
MANNING MacRAE, *Plumbing Inspector.*
WILLIAM M. DEAN, *Wiring Inspector.*

REPORT OF THE BUILDING CODE COMMITTEE

This Committee has now developed material for a complete new Building Code arrangement. Processing, involving approval of and possible additions by the Massachusetts Board of Standards, is now taking place in order that this material may be presented to the Town.

Respectfully submitted,

NORMAN F. BRISSON,
ROBERT BYGRAVE,
WILLIAM M. DEAN,
MANNING W. MacRAE,
HENRY B. HOOVER.

REPORT OF THE MEMORIAL DAY COMMITTEE

Memorial Day was observed with appropriate ceremonies at the three cemeteries and at the Memorial in front of the library. The exercises concluded with an address by the late Professor Waldo E. Palmer at The Town House.

The committee extends its thanks to the Town Officials, Boy and Girl Scout organizations and townspeople for their co-operation in helping to pay fitting tribute to those who served their country in the causes of freedom and democracy.

Respectfully submitted,

E. DONLAN ROONEY,
Chairman.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE TO STUDY UNION HEALTH DEPARTMENTS

The Committee was directed at the last annual Town meeting to study the provisions of Chapter 662 of the Act of 1949 relative to the organization of union health departments and determine the desirability of Lincoln joining with one or more of the following towns: Acton, Bedford, Carlisle, Concord, Lexington, Maynard, Sudbury and Wayland or others to form a union health department.

The Act requires all towns and cities of less than 35,000 population to become members of health unions by 1959.

During the year the committee has made some progress in studying the situation and in meeting with similar committees and representatives of Boards of Health of most of the towns mentioned to discuss ways in which such a department might be organized.

Long before the 1949 Act required towns to set up joint boards, the Lincoln Board of Health at the initiative of Dr. DeNormandie met with the Lexington Board of Health to explore the possibilities of combined effort.

The union department under the new law would have a full time director of health with sanitarians, nurses and a laboratory technician, in order to be able to protect the public health of the district continuously with trained professional workers.

The problems of organization of joint boards and problems of cost require longer study before a definite proposal for a health union of towns in this vicinity can be put into form for submission to the Town meetings. The process which is now going on, in which representatives of the towns meet together for discussion and careful consideration, should lead to a better understanding of the values to be gained from having a satisfactory department and the difficulties in setting it up which must be overcome. The committee believes that Lincoln should continue to participate in the study so that the citizens

may be informed about developments and so that at the most advantageous time definite plans may be brought to the attention of the Town for consideration. We recommend that the committee be continued in existence for another year, the Moderator being empowered to make such changes in its membership as he may find necessary.

RICHARD K. CONANT,
JEAN M. MURPHY,
BRADFORD CANNON,
ELLIOTT R. HEDGE,
HANCY D. HURD.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE TO REVISE THE TOWN BY-LAWS

This Committee was appointed by the Moderator pursuant to the vote of the Town under Article 13 at the last annual Town Meeting. At its first meeting the Committee organized with Henry Warner, Chairman and F. W. Denio, Secretary; and a number of meetings were held during the year.

The Committee was unanimous in feeling that it would be inadvisable to prepare any major changes or revisions in the Town's By-Laws until the Zoning Law changes which were voted by the Town at the last annual Town Meeting had been approved by the Attorney General of the Commonwealth. As of the date of preparing this report, this has not been done.

However, the Committee expects to recommend one minor change, in order to conform to a new law enacted by the Legislature last year. This change may be presented at the 1952 Town Meeting, and it is hoped to obtain approval by the Attorney General before then. The Committee feels that further consideration should be given to this subject, and recommends that either it, or a new committee, be authorized to continue this work during the ensuing year.

Respectfully submitted,

F. W. DENIO, *Secretary*,
SUMNER SMITH,
HENRY WARNER, *Chairman*.

BEMIS LECTURES

During the last few years the Bemis Lecture Mailing List has been used more and more by Lincoln organizations. It seems to be the most complete list of households in the Town, but with the rapid growth of Lincoln it becomes increasingly difficult to keep it up to date. The problem is being relieved by making more typewritten copies of the list, placing one in the Lincoln Elementary School and one at the Lincoln Town House; while changes to the list are sent to the DeCordova-Dana Museum which uses the Bemis List as the basis of its Lincoln list. The master lists are at Dickie-Raymond, Inc., 80 Broad St., Boston, in stencil form, and at the home of Mrs. E. R. Todd in card-file form. Two typewritten lists are on hand at the home of Mrs. Todd to be loaned when needed by an organization. If said organization wishes to pay for the faster method of stenciling notices, it can go to Dickie-Raymond, Inc., to have this done, first with the permission of one of the Bemis Trustees. The purposes of this rule are:

1. To protect Town property.
2. To prevent Town property from being used for commercial advertising.

The Post Offices notify the Trustees of people who have left town, but as it is against the law for the U. S. Post Office to give information on addresses, reliance is placed on the School and other organizations to add new names from time to time.

The report last year stressed the limitations on musical programs due to the inadequacy of the piano. This condition still obtains, and it is hoped that the Town will find it possible to purchase a new piano, or exchange the present one for a good second-hand piano.

The Trustees have been pleased at the attendance at lectures, and at the improvement in behavior of the children in the audience. They feel that the parents are cooperating, and hope they will continue to do so, and accompany their children at more lectures.

MABEL H. TODD, *Chairman*,
CHRISTOPHER W. HURD,
LEONARD C. LARRABEE.

REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1951

I herewith submit my report for the Police Department for the year ending December 31, 1951. Said report includes all arrests made within the Town of Lincoln during the past year.

Arrests by Lincoln Police	45
Arrests by State Police	47
Total number of arrests	92
Males	86
Females	6

Crimes against the Person:

Assault	3

Crimes against Property:

Breaking and Entering and Larceny	1
Larceny	3
Receiving stolen goods	1
Using motor vehicle without authority	1

Crimes against Public order, etc.:

Delinquency	1
Drunkeness	16
Escapee	9
Poultry, illicit transportation of and buying and selling	1
Sodomy	2
Turned over to other Police Departments	2
Vagrants	1
Violations, Motor Vehicle Law	51

Violations Motor Vehicle Law reported to the Registrar of Motor Vehicles	17

Motor Vehicle Accident Report:

Accidents reported	73
Occupants injured	39
Pedestrians injured	3
Fatal accidents	3

Summonses served for other Police Departments.... 62

I wish to take this opportunity to express my thanks to the local telephone operators for their prompt and efficient handling of our calls and their cooperation in contacting the Concord Police in order that we may be called by radio. I also want to extend my thanks to Chief Ryan and all the Concord Police Department for their fine cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

LEO J. ALGEO,
Chief of Police.

CIVIL DEFENSE AGENCY

Approximately 295 volunteers have been enrolled by the Agency since it was established late in 1950. With the exception of the Traffic Division which could absorb about 60 more men or women volunteers, the organization is on a minimum basis to meet potential chaotic conditions following a serious metropolitan disaster.

The sum of $3,399.98 has been expended in meeting the Agency's expenses at the lowest level commensurate with reasonable compliance to the numerous State and Federal directives. Establishment of an emergency radio communications network has about been completed and may prove to be the largest fiscal outlay — $1,353.49 — for which sum the Agency has one central fixed station and four portable, mobile two-way field stations as well as a portable public address unit. Other large sums could have been expended and still may prove advisable should Lincoln attempt to meet impending but, so far, unsettled State and Federal emergency defense plans. Other amounts expended include: (a) $344.38 for medical supply stockpiles stored at the two aid stations, *i.e.*, at Farrington Memorial and Storrow House; (b) $473.58 for restoration and revision of the warning system inclusive of a portable warnings receiver tuned to the State Police emergency net; (c) $1,049.25 spent to equip, maintain and operate the control center and headquarters. This latter sum includes minor remodelling at the Town Hall, telephone rentals for two emergency switchboards, supplies, postage and paper — no small item — and clerical help. Office hours for routine work have been kept two days a week on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons.

It is impossible to forsee the termination of the Agency's work, or, for that matter, when it may be forced into a substantial expansion. So far there is a preliminary basis for meeting most emergency situations. Work in 1952 will round out the rough edges of organization problems with some operational efforts to integrate the work of personnel and

equipment on an experimental scale. Further Blood Type series are being planned for the Medical Division. Volunteers are still needed in that the Agency's present status is that of minimum operations which will have to be expanded greatly, and under stress in emergency times.

The following is an outline of the several Divisions and, in the larger units, directive personnel responsible as of the close of the year.

Headquarters and Control Center: R. H. Booth, Dir.; John Garrison, Dep. Dir.; D. P. Keily, Control Officer; Mrs. Howard Snelling, Chief Clerk.

Medical Division: Dr. Kenneth Farnsworth, Dir.; Dr. L. A. Vance, Dep. Dir.; Louis Paddock, Exec. Ass't.; Mrs. Marian Ober, Chief Nurse.

Police Division: Leo Algeo, Chief; Roland Robbins, Dir. Emer. Traffic; Henry Warner, Exec. Ass't.

Fire Division: Edmund Giles, Chief; Charles Fitts, Exec. Ass't.

Rescue Services: H. B. Knowles, Jr., Chief.

Communications Division: D. P. Keily, Dir.; Dr. S. F. Martin, Dep. Dir.

Transport Unit: Ruth Lyon, Dir.; Mrs. C. A. Bliss, Dep. Dir.; Anthony Campobasso, Chief Dispatcher.

Monitor Division: W. M. Preston, Chief; Frederick Greene, Safety Officer.

Civilian Aid Division: Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Newton, Co.-Dir.; Rev. Charles Styron, Dep. Dir.; Mr. and Mrs. John Carman, Dirs. Housing; Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Swift, Dirs. Food; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lovejoy, Dirs. Clothing; C. H. Blake, Dir. of Registration; W. H. Davis, Recorder.

Utilities: Sumner Smith, Dir.; Warren Rice, Fuel Coord.

Advisers: D. Donaldson, Legal; F. W. Denio, Fiscal; R. H. Morris, Tech.; H. M. Henry, Power; L. B. Whittemore, Gas; W. H. Costello, Tel.; George Tarbell, H. Kane, and Board of Selectmen.

ROBERT H. BOOTH, *Director,*
Civil Defense Agency.

REPORT OF LINCOLN SCHOOL BUILDING COMMITTEE

Pursuant to Article 16 of the Town Meeting, March 5, 1951, the Moderator appointed a committee to study the further School Building needs of the town. After conferences with the School Committee, the present and near future needs of the school were established. Anderson & Beckwith, Architects of the original school were retained to design the proposed addition. A report was then made to a Special Town Meeting on June 11, 1951, where the sum of $385,000 was voted to construct and equip an addition to the New School, to include six classrooms and a multi-purpose Assembly-Gymnasium. Bids were opened on October 11, 1951 and it was found that the lowest bidder had not conformed to the exact specifications, having filed a bid bond instead of a certified check as prescribed. After careful thought it was decided to ask for a declaratory judgment by a single Justice of the Superior Court as to whether the Town could waive the minor requirement on the specification and accept the lowest bid. After a fair and thoughtful hearing, the Court decided that the low bidder did not qualify. Therefore the second low bid of J. F. Rand and Son was accepted. Due to this unforseen situation start of construction was delayed about a month which together with poor weather slowed operations. However the Committee is pleased with the cooperation it has had and expects the new building to be finished before the end of 1952.

ELIZABETH J. SNELLING,
ANDREW J. DOUGHERTY,
ROBERT M. KIMBALL,
PEARSON HUNT,
JAMES DeNORMANDIE.

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

OF THE

TOWN OF LINCOLN

FOR THE

SCHOOL YEAR 1951

NEWTON
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1952

ORGANIZATION	Term Expires
MALCOLM L. DONALDSON, *Chairman*	1953
DR. KENNETH S. FARNSWORTH	1952
(MRS.) LUCY BYGRAVE	1954

MEETING: First Tuesday of each month, 8 p.m. at the New Elementary School. Li 6–0333.

Superintendent of Schools

ANDREW J. MANGES, Lincoln Rd., Li 6–0103J
Office at New Elementary School, Li 6–0333

Administrative Assistant

LOUIS J. SAPIENZA, Everett, Ev 7–0563
Office at Center School, Li 6–0462

Secretary to Superintendent

IRENE D. HAGENIAN, No. Great Rd., Li 6–0335M

Clerk — Center School

MADELEINE HOMOND, Weston, Mass.
Office at Center School, Li 6–0462

Office Hours

School Days — 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.
School Vacation — 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

No-School Signals

Local signals will be given on our fire alarm system:

7:10 a.m. 3–3–3– repeated at
7:15 a.m. 3–3–3

Radio station announcements will be read between the period 7 and 7:30 a.m. On stormy mornings, when school opening is in doubt, tune in on two or more stations where possible since it is not always possible to get messages through to several stations in the brief time allotted us. Please refrain, too, from tying up local phone lines to school officials and bus operators during the morning hour, 6:30–7:30. We try to contact all of the following when it is necessary to call off school:

WBZ.....1030K	WHDH.....850K
WEEI.....590K	WNAC.....1250K

If an announcement reads "No school — ALL schools" it will mean that no buses will operate and high school pupils will govern themselves accordingly.

During extremely stormy or cold weather, parents are urged to exercise their own judgment in sending the younger children.

SCHOOL CALENDAR

1952-1953

September	1 — Monday	Labor Day
	3–5 — Wednesday—Friday	Staff Organization and Workshop
	8 — Monday	New School Year Begins
		(Half days only for first three days in Grades I-III)
October	12 — Sunday	Columbus Day
	13 — Monday	Columbus Day, Recess
November	7 — Friday	Teachers' Visiting Day
	11 — Tuesday	Armistice Day, Recess
	12 — Wednesday	Annual Open House
	9–15 — Sunday—Saturday	American Education Week
	27–28 — Thursday—Friday	Thanksgiving, Recess
December	19 — Friday	Christmas Vacation, Closing
	29 — Monday	School Resumes
January	1 — Thursday	New Year's Day, Recess
February	20 — Friday	Winter Vacation, Closing
March	2 — Monday	School Resumes
April	17 — Friday	Spring Vacation, Closing
	27 — Monday	School Resumes
May	29 — Friday	Memorial Day, Recess
June	16 — Tuesday	Summer Vacation, Closing
	17 — Wednesday	Commencement

Additional Calendar Data

It is planned to continue the policy of returning Grade I children to their homes on each Tuesday and Thursday afternoon.

Kindergarten morning and afternoon sessions will reverse on February 2, 1953.

Staff Meeting Half-Days will be the first Wednesday afternoon of each month except that no such half days occur in September, December and June.

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

To the Town of Lincoln:

The year 1951 was a good year for the Lincoln Schools. The Committee is glad to report that things are running smoothly, much is being accomplished, and the morale of teachers and pupils is good.

Of prime importance, of course, in carrying out any school program is the choice of teachers. Thanks to the vote of the Town a year ago, we have been able to adjust our salary schedule so as to attract more experienced teachers. As a result, the work being done is good. Furthermore, because the staff is apparently happy, we find broader cooperation andassignments being carried out with enthusiasm. Of considerable help in promoting this spirit was the completion of the initial phase of formulating courses of study. This long standing need is well on its way to realization largely due to the combined efforts of the Lincoln School Association and the entire staff throughout the 1950–51 school year. Much help was derived from a "curriculum committee" appointed by the superintendent to continue the work during the summer vacation period. The new teachers especially have found this study helpful in formulating their class programs.

In the early part of the year a great deal of effort on the part of the School Committee had to do with the problem of additional classrooms. In this connection meetings were held with the Lincoln School Association, with Mr. John Marshall of the State School Building Assistance Commission, and later with our own School Building Committee. In one instance it was necessary to appear before the Committee on Appropriations at the State House to further our cause. Thanks to the cooperation of all we are glad to report that the addition to the school building is under way. It is hoped that we may be able to occupy it, in part at least, by next September. In the meantime the north basement room at the Center School, which was the old shop, has been renovated. This with the small library room on the second floor of the same building provided two additional rooms last fall. All classrooms were comfortably filled when school opened in September. Next fall, how-

ever, the incoming kindergarten class will have 63 children according to the present count.

During the year the School Committee attended meetings with the Committees of Wayland, Weston, and Sudbury to discuss prospects for a Regional High School. This is thinking into the future, and all discussion was non-committal. Such meetings keep us posted, however, on current thinking about this problem as the bulge in school enrollment approaches the secondary school level.

Members of the Committee, with the Superintendent, attended several meetings of the New England School Development Council, of which we are a member, and the Massachusetts Area II School Committees. Discussions at these gatherings of school administrators were helpful and stimulating. In some ways they were comforting, too, in that they showed almost all communities struggling with the same problems now confronting us here in Lincoln.

As for the 1952 Budget, it is not surprising that the trend continues upward. We are glad to report, however, that the increase is not as great as that of last year. Two new items over which we have limited control, Instruction and Tuition, account for 84% of the Budget increase. In 1952 there will be three additional teachers to carry out our program. As for Tuition, at Concord it has advanced moderately, at Weston considerably.

In conclusion, may we stress that our program is a good one but not an extravagant one. Extra dollars are being spent for good teaching, the crux of any educational endeavor. Our salaries are not out of line, however, with those paid by the better schools in nearby towns. Additional facilities under construction at the present time place our school plant on a most favorable comparative basis with the new and improved school facilities of our neighbors. The School Budget is relatively large, necessarily but not unduly so. A sound school program is our first concern and this we are endeavoring to achieve with due adherence to prudent fiscal policies.

Respectfully submitted,

MALCOLM L. DONALDSON, *Chairman*,
Lincoln School Committee.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

It is a pleasure to submit my fourth annual report for the Lincoln Public Schools, it being the sixty-first in the series of superintendents' annual reports.

Personnel

Several changes in teaching personnel during the past year were the result of resignations, revision and expansion of the school program.

After the holidays, Mrs. Aldrich resigned to assume family responsibilities and for the same reason Mrs. Hathaway left at the close of the school year. In the former instance we were most fortunate, at that time of year, in securing the services of Mrs. Flagg, a teacher of many successful years of experience. Mrs. Hathaway's grade three position was taken by Mrs. Robitaille. Miss Lyke left in March and we were again most fortunate in finding a very satisfactory replacement in Miss Zartarian. Later in the year, Mrs. Gunther, who was finishing out the year at a special job, left us when it became evident that there would be a reorganization in program that would no longer require her services. Miss Van Houten resigned during the summer when, after her marriage, her husband was transferred to Connecticut. Mrs. Warren replaced her in the Kindergarten. Mrs. Heffron and Mrs. Harvey left, at the close of the school year, after their husbands had completed their graduate pursuits at Harvard. They were replaced by Mrs. D. Booth and Miss Gavel. Mrs. Kahn and Mr. Outten also left at the close of the school year on their decisions to make their training and experiences available to private schools. Their positions were taken by Mrs. Weaver and Mr. Johnson. Miss Wilson was appointed to a second grade when Miss Johnson was given the assignment in teaching reading to the entire second grade. Mr. Berger was an addition to a constantly growing staff.

This rounds out changes in personnel during the fiscal year 1951, with one exception. Mr. Maher resigned as custodian

at Center School to return to the Town Highway Department. We were fortunate, indeed, to find a young man of considerable energy and a citizen of the Town to assume these responsibilities at Center School, Mr. Anthony Ciraso.

Enrollment

The rapidly increasing enrollment is an old song bearing a certain degree of triteness but much truth. With the completion of the additional classrooms and the combined auditorium-gymnasium (auditasium to coin a new term) the Town can take considerable pleasure in the prospect of having its school facilities designated as "adequate" for the next near decade.

With no complicating formulae, and allowing a room or so at Center for indoor physical activities, enrollment predictions borne out by actual fact to date will readily disclose that the school population will be comfortably housed until the six hundred mark is reached.

Even this will require some reorganizing of schedules since a school population of that size denotes a need for more than two sessions or sections of Kindergarten not to mention other large classes which must follow. Let us not forget that 1952 is the year of the "great migration," when over sixty children are expected to enroll in the Kindergarten.

Enrollment figures by age, grade and sex are shown later on in this report.

School Organization

Several changes, effected during the year 1951, have tended to produce an harmonious environment at Center School. Not the least of these were the appointments of an administrative assistant and a clerk-receptionist to this building. Solidarity has improved from an organizational viewpoint and communications, both within the schools and within the community, have improved tremendously.

Early in the school year it was recognized that our Grade I children were likely to be somewhat handicapped in their basic reading program due to large classes. It was midyear before

an experienced primary teacher could be found and the grade further divided. The results did not appear too satisfactory.

In the fall, it was sought to solve the problem of an unusually large Grade II and to improve the reading program at the same time. Consequently the grade was divided into two large homerooms. Departing from the usual plan, the teaching of reading was centered with one teacher and the homeroom teachers carried out the remainder of the usual grade work. While a teacher under these circumstances could not get to know the children individually as well as she would like, nevertheless, greater emphasis on pupils' reading needs could be met with greater facility and greater intensity. This has proved true. Testing will not be done for some weeks, but it is the general consensus of opinion that the results will bear out our present contention that there has been decided improvement.

In connection with the Grade II reading program, reading is getting emphasis in other areas. The dismissal of Grade I pupils twice weekly, has served the physical needs of the majority of those children. Also this plan has made it possible for Grade I teachers to give special attention, twice weekly, to those few who have need for special help due to absence or inadequate readiness adjustment.

At the various upper levels, particularly needy pupils are receiving remediation and development in basic reading skills and spelling. Reference to some of this work is made elsewhere in this report. Suffice it to say at this point that the program readily bears out the need referred to when a utility teacher was requested at Town Meeting two years ago. It is interesting to note that the remediation and guidance phases of the program are being emphasized. The use of the utility teacher as a substitute teacher has become highly minimized. It is hoped that the remediation needs may also diminish and the guidance and evaluative processes in this plan will receive due emphasis.

Other aspects of the program are reported elsewhere by those specifically charged with their responsibilities.

In order to carry on with the current program developed on existing policies it will be necessary to appoint three additional

teachers in 1952. These have been provided for in the 1952 Budget.

Your schools are in a more enviable position generally than they have been in many years. Program offerings have been expanded, class size has been brought to acceptable standards, so-called extra curricular activities have been incorporated into the regular program. Hobbies, extensive after school sports and musical opportunities are merely indicative of the progress being made. Closer and more frequent parent-teacher-community contacts are developing. There has been improvement in transportation services, maintenance is receiving the attention of long term planning, plans designed to improve the physical and mental health of the school population are unfolding and even the budget, accounting and record keeping processes bear signs of improvements designed to make them more useful. Though these changes have been through a slow evolutionary process they are arriving at the stage of fruition and 1952 should make them even more apparent.

The achievements of the past year are the results of the combined efforts, over several years, of community assistance, individually and severally, the results of long and tedious hours by the staff, especially the efforts of the present staff, and those in whose hands is placed the responsibility of the local educational program.

I wish to thank friends of the school, teachers, custodians, bus operators, the school nurse and the office staff for the cheerful assumption of responsibilities assigned them. It is a pleasure also to express my appreciation to the members of the School Committee for their friendly help, guidance and cooperation throughout the year.

Respectfully submitted,

ANDREW J. MANGES,
Superintendent of Schools.

Art

To the Superintendent of Schools:

The following report covers the art program for grades one through eight from March 15, 1951 to December 31, 1951.

The objectives in this art program are basically the same for all grades, although the degree of importance is varied. Through various methods the following have been encouraged:

1. Expression — opportunities for self-expression to develop imagination and observation essential in enlarging and enriching educational horizons — desire to look further into art materials.
2. Proper use and care of tools.
3. Sound critical judgment as common meeting ground in individual and group work. The individual is helped to understand, enjoy and appreciate materials, organization and meaning of his work and the work of others.
4. Art in relation to the individual and society.

Throughout the primary grades we have encouraged the children to express themselves freely. In order that freedom of expression can always be maintained, there are no rigid or mechanical rules. Individual help is given as the need arises, but again expression of their ideas and figuring out their own problems are brought out by thought provoking questions.

We have attempted to stimulate the children to be as imaginative as possible by various means. In individual work opportunity for self-expression was enhanced by recounting everyday incidents, reading stories or poems and listening to music. Murals and decorating the room for the holidays or seasons of the year were worthwhile projects for group participation. Media, such as crayon, chalk, posterpaint, clay, construction paper and fingerpaint, were used to give each child experiences in working with different materials and opportunities for releasing emotional reactions.

In this area too, we encourage the beginning of constructive criticism through the evaluation of others' work, for as early as the second grade, some children become aware of realistic prob-

lems and are apt to discourage a classmate by some remark such as, "That doesn't look like a horse." By emphasizing such factors as (1) are we making our story or design fit the paper, (2) are we using the right colors and values for our picture, and (3) are we using and taking care of our materials properly, the children are forgetting petty remarks involving realism.

The problem of expression is relatively negligible in the primary grades, for the children are usually imaginative, free in their actions and find great delight in manipulating materials. But in the fourth and fifth grades, as the children become more conscious and critical of their own and the efforts of others, expression becomes a bit more inhibited and individual help is necessary. Keeping drawings large and filling the paper receive much emphasis at this level. We have encouraged the free handling of art materials in order to help the child forget detail and concentrate on what he is trying to express. Motivation is enhanced by using advanced materials such as pastel, frescole and watercolor.

In the sixth grade concentration was centered on being more imaginative, more observant and working cooperatively as a group. I found group participation poor, for each individual is unable to see his work in relation to the whole. By introducing such projects involving murals, panoramas and room decoration this situation has been offset partially.

More emphasis was also made on the proper use of materials and factual knowledge. The desire for expression was encouraged in addition to relating experiences and reading stories by the introduction of folding problems and working with melted crayon.

The seventh graders have been concentrating their efforts in design in order to have an understanding of the importance of design in everyday living, to develop a sense of balance, harmony, aesthetic values in design, to develop imagination in designing, to develop their powers of observation and to be more discriminating. Each pupil was encouraged to develop his imagination and sense of design through various problems with construction paper, three dimensional work, and the use of string. Many of the projects we have done have shown worth-

while results in ridding the children of inhibitions bearing on their capacities for artistic expression.

Opportunities for self-expression have also been provided, but usually such free choice of subject matter results in the students doing the same subject repeatedly. This is especially true in the upper grades. Activities in the eighth grade emphasized color, composition and design involving murals, posters and drawings with watercolor, crayon, pencil, pastel and construction paper. Here the problem of being imaginative appears most acute and class instruction, of necessity, becomes increasingly individual.

Lengthening the period for art instruction, at most grade levels this year, has been extremely advantageous to teacher and class. It is hoped that this plan of scheduling may be spread to include the entire art program next year.

Among the numerous projects completed it must be noted that the "stained-glass windows" project of the fifth grade has commanded the most attention and elicited the highest commendations from visitors, parents and passersby. Excellent work is being done at all levels, not all of which can be as well exhibited as the "stained-glass windows." This may be attested to by those who have seen the numerous classroom murals, paper sculpturing and autumn scenes and the story of Columbus painted on the vast glazed areas of the main foyer.

Respectfully submitted,

Supervisor of Art.

Remediation and Guidance

To the Superintendent of Schools:

The ultimate goal of a tests and measurements program is to provide the school with data sufficiently comprehensive and objective to give a picture of the strengths and weaknesses of the student body and thus guide the improvement of its program. To this end the California Progressive Achievement tests, which are designed to measure the extent of pupil mastery in the fundamentals, were administered to the total school population during the last two weeks of May, 1951. For the most

part the students' achievement harmonized with available measures of their abilities. Figures show that three-fifths of the student body attained a percentile rank above 70 and four-fifths of them scored above the 50 percentile or median rank. It is of interest also to note that only 2½% of the students fell below the 15 percentile mark whereas 17% achieved the 90 percentile rank or higher. Approximately the same standard of achievement was shown in the social studies and science areas from tests given to grades VI-VIII.

An adequate judgment concerning the reliability and validity of a measuring device in a particular area can be formed by comparing the data accumulated from many tests. Therefore, it will be a part of the testing program to retest Grades III and VI, using other well standardized mental maturity tests, the Kuhlman-Anderson and Otis Quick-Scoring, in order to have the best possible basis for predicting educational success.

Those students, sixteen in all, whose test results showed they were not doing work commensurate with their capacity are being given remedial help in reading and spelling. They meet in three separate groups for one full period each day. Recently, another small group of five first graders has been formed which meets for an hour and a half each afternoon.

During the fall, two groups, each comprised of fifteen pupils, met a half hour daily to do concentrated work in spelling. Tests given in December showed an average gain of 1.3 years per pupil for the thirteen weeks' work with these groups.

It is recommended that the Progressive Tests which we are now using be supplemented in grades IV—VI with Gates Reading Tests and in grades VII and VIII with the Cooperative Reading Tests as our present battery is primarily diagnostic and does not give the speed of comprehension.

Respectfully submitted,

Remediation and Guidance Director.

Music

To the Superintendent of Schools:

Our aim in the music department is to encourage every child to participate in a wide variety of worthwhile musical activities and to develop the skills necessary for such participation. Those who saw the performance of *The Mikado* in April witnessed some of the enthusiasm we are trying to generate. Every student in the sixth, seventh and eighth grades had a hand in its organization, and with a double cast and two performances over fifty children had singing roles. The assistance, too, of members of the faculty and the wholehearted contributions of members of the community were especially gratifying. This was truly a cooperative venture for the Town of Lincoln. Even as the final curtain was being drawn the children were laying plans for the next year's production. This they hope will employ the talents of even more people — students and parents.

The May Festival this spring was more satisfying than the 1950 Festival had been. On the ball field at the New School each class — kindergarten through the eighth grade — performed a favorite folk dance. Then parents and children, probably five hundred voices, joined in singing familiar folk songs. This was our first attempt at real community singing. Its success indicated the desirability of having many more school-town song-fests. What fun it is for the kindergarten child to realize that the songs he loves best his older brother and his parents are singing, too!

There were many opportunities for individual classes to entertain their schoolmates and parents with a demonstration of the work they had been doing. One of the best was the fourth grade's outdoor performance of *Robin Hood*. The children enjoyed this and are already planning similar activities for next year.

Special programs for United Nations Day, Thanksgiving, and Christmas were natural developments of our regular work. These holidays offer great possibilities for special work in music, but we have always been handicapped by lack of adequate facilities. We hope that with the completion of the new audi-

torium such class and school programs will become even more valuable.

To develop musical skills and sensitivity in our music classes, the program for each grade was essentially built around the broad, interdependent areas of singing, rhythms, theory, and appreciation. Each class acquired a large repertoire of suitable folk songs, some of which were familiar to all classes. This gave us a common ground for all-school sings. Material for rhythms and folk dances was taken from these songs or from good piano and recorded music. Aspects of musical theory and reading skills were considered in each class as the need arose. Through singing, performing, listening to others perform, and listening to carefully selected recordings we tried to develop desirable musical understanding. An effort was made whenever possible to correlate the work of each class. The eighth grade, for example, were interested in the types of people that made America. Our work in music and social studies developed into an unusual pageant for the Commencement program.

October saw the beginning of a much needed instrumental program. Tonettes were introduced to the third grade. Private and group lessons in piano, violin, flute, clarinet, recorder, trumpet, trombone and drum were offered at reasonable cost to children in grades four through eight. The children provided their own instruments, a few being loaned by the school and members of the community. In December 67% of the students in the upper grades were studying some instrument either at home or in the school program. We were surprised and very much pleased with the enthusiasm with which the Town greeted the new program. We are trying to encourage group and individual music-making in our homes and school, and we hope that 1952 will see a notable expansion of instrumental music in Lincoln. The school should have its own band, or orchestra and smaller ensemble groups. It is planned that these will be organized in 1952.

Respectfully submitted,

Supervisor of Music.

Physical Education and Sports

To the Superintendent of Schools:

Although confined in scope due to temporary limited facilities, a well rounded program of physical education activities was provided for the students of the Lincoln Public Schools. The program was based upon recognition of individual differences, was wide in range and was adapted to meet the needs and interests of the students. The activities engaged in were based upon seasonal sports with equal use of facilities for boys and girls. Tennis, football, soccer, basketball, kickball, tumbling, softball, baseball, newcombe, badminton and volleyball were just a few of the sports enjoyed by all. Each child had an opportunity to lead according to his merit and follow according to his willingness. It can honestly be stated that no child had "spectatoritis."

The sixth grade boys and girls met for two forty-five minute periods each week. In this younger group the basic fundamentals of kickball, soccer, basketball, tumbling and softball were taught and opportunities to practice the same were carried over into our intra-mural program. Individual and team sports were played with emphasis placed upon courtesy, fair play and good sportsmanship as desirable outcomes. Tennis and golf were begun. They should have more attention during the coming year.

The seventh and eighth grade boys met twice a week and participated in a varied program which included softball, football, basketball, tumbling, wrestling, boxing, dancing and baseball. At this level a more thorough knowledge of the game, rules and strategy was taught. The development of intelligent leadership and wise followership among the players were desirable outcomes. Our after-school sports program gave the boys a chance to practice the various skills acquired during the physical education program.

The seventh and eighth grade girls met twice a week and engaged in a program which consisted of kickball, tennis, soccer, basketball, tumbling, dancing and softball. The basic skills were stressed with a lead up to a more complex activity. Opportunity was provided for all girls to play for the full enjoyment of the game.

During the course of the year an after-school program and a

lunch period sports program was conducted. In these intra-mural games, any child who wished to play had an opportunity to display his talents. Tournaments were formed for both boys and girls in kickball, soccer, football, pingpong, tennis and some quiet games. The theme of our program is, "Play for the sake of Play."

Our intra-mural program was operated on a sound and co-operative basis. It wasn't our policy to stress a highly organized competitive team but rather to provide an opportunity for those boys who possessed particular talents in baseball or basketball to develop them in interscholastic competition.

Lincoln was entered in the Middlesex Basketball League. Through the splendid cooperation and effort of the other schools in the league the boys had an opportunity to practice and play the game. Upon entering high school it is hoped they will be on an equal footing with boys from other schools.

The baseball team had the good fortune to win the Middlesex League Baseball Championship. The group deserves commendation for their team spirit, fair play, cooperation and good sportsmanship which resulted in the designation "Champions — 1951."

It is distinctly advantageous that the person in charge of the summer playground and school physical education and sports program is one and the same. This results in closer cooperation between the two committees, accessibility of materials, use of facilities, outlining of playground area, less duplication of materials, thereby less unnecessary expenditures.

It is extremely difficult to conduct a physical education program without the proper facilities. This temporary obstacle will be overcome with the completion of the new gymnasium. It is recommended that:

1. Complete physical examinations be provided for every student in school.
2. Physical Education classes for grades one through eight.
3. A full time teacher of girls physical education.
4. A full time teacher of boys physical education.
5. Correction class for those having structural defects.
6. Smaller classes for more individual help.

Respectfully submitted,

Director of Physical Education and Sports.

Health

To the Superintendent of Schools:

I hereby submit my annual report of school nursing for the period ending December 31, 1951.

Schools have been visited daily. Weighing and measuring done, at least, twice; scalps examined frequently.

I assisted Dr. Randolph Piper with the physical examinations, having stripped-to-the-waist examinations in Kindergarten, grades V and VII. All other grades receive a cursory examination, excepting when it is indicated a pupil should have a very thorough examination. Results were:

Rheumatic heart	1
Congenital heart	2

and minor defects — all reported to parents.

Tuberculin Tests

Tests are done in grades V and VII only.

Vollmer (TB) tests done	58
X-Rayed (Middlesex Sanitorium)	5

All X-Rays negative.

The entire faculty attended Middlesex Sanitorium and had chest X-Rays.

Immunization

All children, entering Kindergarten or new to first grade, are asked to attend our Well Child Conference, where he is examined by Dr. John A. V. Davies, and may, if necessary, receive inoculations and vaccination.

Number of kindergarten children attending	51
Number of children new to first grade	2
Number of children receiving triple inoculation (Pertussin, Diptheria, Tetanus)	33
Number of children receiving booster inoculation	11
Number of children vaccinated	13

Injuries — Accidents

I received, at the office, 22 pupils with minor injuries which were treated or advice given. We did have two playground

accidents (after school). One fractured femur, taken to Emerson Hospital, X-Rayed and admitted. The other pupil was cared for by school nurse and school physician was called; the patient was referred to the family physician.

I took home, because of illness, 21; and made 76 home calls on absent pupils.

Eyes and Ears

During April and May I had the Massachusetts Vision Chart, also the Maico Audiometer, from the State Department of Public Health. The results were:

Examined	359
Defects (eyes)	11
Defects corrected	5
Defects (ears)	4
Defects under treatment or oberration	2

Communicable Diseases

Among our pupils there has been:

Scarlet fever	2
Measles	5
Chicken pox	3
Mumps	3

Dental Clinic

Pupils examined	359
Pupils with teeth in good condition	73
Pupils with rampant caries	33
Number of pupils attending clinic	78
Number of pupils having no correction	5

Dr. Harold Ehrlich held two clinics a week, Tuesday a.m. and Friday p.m.

A very healthy school year has been enjoyed, working with you and all the teachers, for the constructive improvement, mentally and physically, of our pupils.

Respectfully submitted,

MARION N. OBER, R.N.

Lincoln Scholarship Fund Committee

In May, 1951, the superintendent asked the undersigned persons if they would serve as the initial committee in administering the newly established Scholarship Fund.

Their responsibility was (1) to determine policies governing the awarding of scholarships and (2) to award scholarships.

It was decided by the Committee that (1) scholarships shall be available to any high school graduate, resident of Lincoln, desiring further education or training; (2) scholarships shall be awarded on an individual basis, taking into consideration financial need, citizenship and scholarship.

The Scholarship Fund was set up originally with the proceeds of the Gilbert and Sullivan production in 1950 which was put on by the Music Department of the Lincoln Schools. More money was added from the same source in 1951. In addition the Fund has received contributions from interested citizens and from the Lincoln Grange.

In May, 1951, three applications for scholarships were received. Two were awarded: one to Elizabeth Dougherty of $100 and one to Barbara Cullen of $100.

This Committee recommends that the Lincoln School Association assumes the responsibility of the Scholarship Fund and that it appoint a revolving committee from its membership to administer the Fund. It also recommends that the Fund be supported by benefits and contributions from individuals and Town organizations.

This Committee feels that there will be an increasing number of deserving applicants and that every effort should be made to establish a substantial and permanent Fund.

Respectfully submitted,

LEX H. TAYLOR, *Chairman*,
SARAH KINDLEBERGER,
MAXINE CRIDER,
SADIE SHERMAN,
MARTHA DeNORMANDIE.

School Census

A. Distribution of Minors by Age and Sex October 1, 1951	5 yrs. or over and under 7	7 yrs. and under 16
1. Boys	84	179
2. Girls	71	190
Total	155	369
B. Distribution: Location		
1. In Public Day School	146	229
2. Other	—	1
3. In private schools	8	49
4. Not enrolled in schools	1	2
5. Special — Elementary	—	1
	155	369

Vocational School Enrollees

October 1, 1951

1.	Brookline Evening Practical Arts	1
2.	Boston Technical High School	1
3.	Arthur A. Hansen Trade School	1

Tuition Pupils Attending Secondary Schools Outside of Lincoln

October 1, 1951

School	9	10	11	12	Totals
Concord	17	16	11	11	55
Weston	10	7	8	7	32
Waltham	..	..	..	..	..
Other	..	1	..	..	1
	27	24	19	18	88

School Statistics

Membership by Rooms and Grade

December 31, 1951

Grade	Teacher — Room	Boys	Girls	Totals	
Kdg:					
A.M.	Mrs. Warren	14	13	27	
P.M.	Mrs. Warren	10	12	22	49
I	Miss Gavel	12	12	24	
	Mrs. Booth	11	13	24	48
II	Miss Wilson	15	11	26	
	Mrs. Weaver	17	12	29	55
III	Miss Antonangeli	10	14	24	
	Mrs. Robitaille	8	16	24	48
IV	Mr. Johnson	11	11	22	
	Mr. Sapienza	10	13	23	45
V	Mrs. Flagg	10	11	21	
	Mrs. Sullivan	10	10	20	41
VI	Mrs. Paranya	8	10	18	
	Mr. McVinney	9	11	20	38
VII	Mr. Czarnowski	16	16		32
VIII	Mr. Berger	10	19		29
16	Totals	181	204		385

Per Pupil Costs — 1951

1.	Population of Town			2,427
2.	Average School Membership			459
3.	Equalized Valuation, per Pupil			$10,517 00
4.	Expenditures for Schools			$127,490 04
5.	Receipts Accredited to School			$23,613 10
6.	Net Expenditure from Local Taxation			$103,876 94
7.	Expenditures per Pupil			$277 75
8.	Per Pupil Net Expenditure from Local Taxation			$226 31
9.	Receipts per Pupil			$51 44
10.	Transportation:	*Elementary*	*High School*	*Total*
	Number of Pupils	326	87	413
	Mileage	25,508	16,706	42,214
	Expenditure	$7,443 61	$5,381 12	$12,824 73
11.	Expenditure per Pupil	$20 01	$61 85	$27 94

AGE-GRADE TABLE
October 1, 1951
Ages by Sex

Grade	4 B	4 G	5 B	5 G	6 B	6 G	7 B	7 G	8 B	8 G	9 B	9 G	10 B	10 G	11 B	11 G	12 B	12 G	13 B	13 G	14 B	14 G	15 B	15 G	Totals
Kdg.	**3**	**6**	**21**	**22**																					52
I			**7**	**6**	**16**	**12**	1																		42
II					**1**	**1**	**27**	**21**	3	3	1														57
III							**5**	**6**	**12**	**23**	1		1												48
IV									**4**	**6**	**14**	**17**	2	1											44
V											**4**	**4**	**16**	**17**											41
VI													**2**	**7**	**11**	**13**	3	1	1						38
VII																	**8**	**14**	9	2					33
VIII																		**6**	**8**	**12**	2	1			29
Totals	3	6	28	28	17	13	33	27	19	32	20	21	21	25	11	13	11	21	18	14	2	1			384

Bold face type indicates normal age.

SCHOOL EXPENDITURES AND PROPOSED BUDGET FOR 1952

	Budget Items	Expenditure 1950	Expenditure 1951	Recommended 1952
I.	*General Control:*			
	Salaries	$6,936 60	$9,158 08	$10,600 00
	Expenses	504 10	675 96	954 00
II.	*Instruction:*			
	Salaries	43,876 04	55,488 20	68,655 00
	Textbooks	1,526 25	2,300 96	2,277 23
	Supplementary Books and Supplies	2,161 13	3,846 33	3,501 58
III.	*Operation:*			
	Salaries	4,500 00	4,523 14	5,020 00
	Fuel	3,164 23	3,429 91	3,865 00
	Supplies	590 58	1,459 82	1,222 00
	Utilities:			
	Ligh and Power	1,424 76	1,628 78	2,290 00
	Water	229 52	229 52	316 00
	Telephone	253 83	325 75	357 00
IV.	*Maintenance:*			
	Repairs and Upkeep	624 79	2,129 03	1,413 95
	New Equipment	1,922 35	2,706 51	674 13
V.	*Auxiliary Agencies:*			
	Health	731 88	746 03	865 00
	Transportation	10,119 00	12,824 73	13,705 00
	Tuition	25,594 71	25,496 10	29,196 00
	Miscellaneous	323 18	352 17	350 00
VI.	*Vocational*	305 70	169 02	470 00
	Totals	$104,788 65	$127,490 04	$145,731 89

Graduated in June, 1951

Grade VIII

Dimitri D. Afonsky
Amelia Joan Argento
Abigail Cole
Cynthia Agnes Corrigan
Charles Edward Crane, Jr.
Richard Henry Dunbrack
Lucretia Hoover
Elizabeth Hoover
John Hurd, II
Thomas Merriman Kimball
Halina Kleindienst
Margaret K. Lahnstein
Richard I. Liddick
Robert Daniel McCart
Patricia Joyce Neary
Penelope Eaton Paddock
James Henry Pallotta
George Jeffrey Patterson
Jean Catherine Rando
Richard Bellows Rice, Jr.
Richard Wells Robbins
Margaret C. Rooney
Charles William Snelling
Stephen Spooner
Claora Elizabeth Styron
Richard Erwin Tandy
Andrew Lex Taylor
Robert Joseph Tracey
Conrad Hatheway Todd
Henry Eldridge Warner, II
Elizabeth Jean Williamson

Concord High School

John Ciraso
Carol Cousins
Lesley Crowson
Barbara Cullen
Paul J. Dorian
Elizabeth Dougherty
Robert Dunbrack
Frank Gordon
Barbara Hart
Frances Henley
Jean Kinsler
Paul Leslie
Raymond Maher
Constance Moszka
Richard Picazio
Jeanne Russes
Mary Ann Simonds
Caroline Stone
Milica Trofimov

Weston High School

Parker Spooner
Malcolm Stone
Richard Thorpe

Honors

Amelia Joan Argento . . . . . DeCordova Medal
Barbara Cullen . . . . . Lincoln Scholarship
Elizabeth Dougherty . . . . . Lincoln Award
D.A.R. Good Citizenship Award

STAFF ROSTER, JANUARY 1, 1952

Name	*Position*	*Training*	*Appointed*
Andrew J. Manges	Superintendent of Schools	Butler University Harvard Grad. Sch. of Ed., A.B., M.S.Ed.	1948
Louis J. Sapienza	Administrative Assistant	Boston University, B.S.Ed.	1950
Phyllis Johnson	Grade Two	Lesley College, B.S.Ed.	1946
Augusta F. Sisk	Remedial and Guidance	Boston University, B.S.Ed.	1946
Martha H. Booth	Music	Radcliffe, Harvard Sch. of Ed., A.B., A.M.T.	1949
Ann G. Paranya	Departmental	S. T. C., Montclair, N. J., A.B.	1949
Irma Antonangeli	Grade Three	Fitchburg State Teachers College, B.S.Ed.	1950
Edward J. Czarnowski	Departmental	Boston University, B.S.Ed., Ed.M.	1950
Eleanor F. Sullivan	Grade Five	Wilson Teachers College, Washington, D. C.	1950
Joseph P. McVinney	Departmental	Boston University, B.S.Ed.	1950
Hazel Flagg	Grade Five	Sargent	1951
Miriam Zartarian	Art	Tufts College, B.S.Ed.	1951
Harvey R. Berger	Departmental	Tufts College, A.B., Ed.M.	1951
Dorothy E. Booth	Grade One	Indiana University, B.S.Ed.	1951
Sylvia R. Gavel	Grade One	Tufts College, B.S.Ed.	1951
Robert J. Johnson	Grade Four	Boston University, A.A., B.S.Ed.	1951
Ruthjane Robitaille	Grade Three	Boston University, A.A., B.S.Ed.	1951
Joan B. Warren	Kindergarten	Boston University, B.S.Ed.	1951
Judith C. Weaver	Grade Two	Wheelock, B.S.Ed.	1951
Madeleine C. Wilson	Grade Two	Wellesley College, A.B.	1951

NOTICE

Business Meeting, Monday, March 3, 1952, at 7:30 P.M.

WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Lincoln in said County:
GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Town of Lincoln, qualified to vote in Town Meeting for the Transaction of Town affairs, to meet in the Town House in said Lincoln, on Monday the third day of March next at 7:30 o'clock P.M. then and there to act on the following articles except Article 1 and also to meet in said Town House on Saturday, the eighth day of March next, at 12 o'clock Noon, then and there to act on the following Article 1, by posting a copy of this Warrant, by you attested in each of the Post Offices, and in some other public place in said Town seven days at least before the third day of March next.

The polls for voting the Australian ballot on Saturday, March eighth will be open at 12 o'clock Noon, and may be closed at 7 o'clock P.M.

Article 1. To bring in their votes for the following Town Officers and any other officers required by law, to be elected by Australian Ballot viz:

One Town Clerk for one year.

One member of the Board of Selectmen for three years.

One member of the Board of Assessors for three years.

One Treasurer for one year.

One Auditor for one year.

One member of the School Committee for three years.

One member of the Board of Water Commissioners for three years.

One member of the Board of Health for three years.

One Tree Warden for one year.

One member of the Trust Fund Commissioners for three years.

One member of the Trustees of the Bemis Fund for Free Public Lectures for three years.

One member of the Board of Cemetery Commissioners for three years.

One member of the Planning Board for five years.

One Director for the deCordova and Dana Museum and Park for four years.

Article 2. To bring in their votes for any committees, commissioners, trustees, and other officers, required by law to be elected by ballot or otherwise.

Selectmen

Article 3. To hear and act upon the reports of Town Officers, Committees, Commissioners and Trustees.

Selectmen

Article 4. To fix the salaries and compensation of the several elective officers of the Town and to determine whether any Department, Board or Committee shall be authorized to employ for additional compensation any of its members and to fix additional compensation of such members.

Selectmen

Article 5. To raise and appropriate money for the necessary and expedient purposes of the Town and enact anything in relation to the same.

Selectmen

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1952, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Selectmen

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to conduct services on Memorial Day, the thirtieth of May, appoint a committee, raise and appropriate money, or take any other action relative thereto.

By Petition

Article 8. To see if the Town will: Instruct the Moderator to appoint an editorial committee of voters of the Town to advise the Selectmen concerning the content and preparation of the Town Report, appropriate not to exceed $100 for the use of such a Committee; or take other action with reference to the matter.

Town Auditor

Article 9. To see if the Town will accept as a public way, the private road, known as Giles Road, as shown on a plan recorded with South Middlesex District Registry of Deeds. Plan book, 7, 729, plan 520, and approved by the planning board of the Town of Lincoln, September 13, 1951.

By Petition

Article 10. To see if the Town will accept as a public way, the private road, known as Silver Birch Lane, as shown on a plan recorded with South Middlesex District Registry of Deeds. Plan book, 7735 plan 544 and approved by the planning board of the Town of Lincoln, October 25, 1950.

By Petition

Article 11. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of $1,500 to be paid to Leland A. and Irene E. Wildes as compromise settlement, for damages to their real estate, arising from the re-location of Bedford Road, or take any action relative thereto.

Selectmen

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to acquire by purchase, gift, eminent domain or any other way, a parcel of land located at the North West intersection of Bedford Road and Route 2 containing 40,000 square feet more or less and appropriate the sum of $3,000 therefor or take any other action relative thereto.

Fire Engineers and Selectmen

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,886.19 to pay the following unpaid 1951 bills.

Board of Assessors	$14 25
Fire Department	13 50
Insurance	1,164 94
Board of Health	16 75
Schools	4 25
Legal	672 50

Treasurer

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a sand spreader for the use of the Highway Department or take any action relative thereto.

Selectmen

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Town By-Laws by striking out Section 8 of Article IV and substituting therefore the following Section 8 of Article IV or take any other action relative thereto.

Section 8:

No Town Officer, Board, Department or Committee having the matter in charge shall (1) execute any contract involving an estimated expenditure of $1,000 or more for labor, equipment, materials or supplies, or any combination of same, or (2) otherwise purchase from a single supplier at one time any property having an estimated aggregate value of $1,000 or more, without inviting proposals therefor from two or more reliable parties regularly engaged in performing similar contracts and supplying similar requirements, provided however, that if no proposals are received from such invitation, or as an alternative to the foregoing procedure, proposals shall be invited by public advertisement published in Middlesex or Suffolk County inviting bids therefor, reserving the right to reject any and all proposals. No contract nor bid shall be split, separated or divided, for the purpose of avoiding this By-Law by reducing the amount below $1,000.

This Section shall not apply to purchase of materials in connection with work to be performed under Chapters 81 or 90 under specifications of, and at prices established by the State Department of Public Works.

Selectmen

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk, at or before the time for the meeting aforesaid. Given under our hands this 11th day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-two.

HENRY DeC. WARD,
JOHN O. WILSON,
Selectmen of Lincoln.

Report

of the Officers and Committees

of the

Town of Lincoln

FOR THE YEAR 1952

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Foreword

We believe that this Town Report makes a major step in the direction of being more useful to the Citizens of the Town. In our report to the Selectmen, we stated general objectives for the Report, and made specific recommendations summarized as follows:

The Town Report should be designed to be of the greatest service to the typical reader. We believe this reader is a person who does not follow Town affairs regularly, and who has only an imperfect knowledge of whatever he has learned in the past about the duties and responsibilities of the various officers and boards.

For such a reader, the Town Report needs to be in part a restatement of the procedures of Town government — especially as they relate to issues which are currently under consideration. The Report needs to contain summaries of recent developments, to be so organized that it aids the reader to get full information about current issues. Also, the Report should attempt to create and hold the reader's interest.

The recommendations the Selectmen approved are:

1. *Rearrangement of the contents,* so related matters are placed together.
2. Separation into *a statistical appendix* of the long detailed tables, thus leaving the more significant material in the reports to appear without interruption of the Report.
3. *Improvement of individual reports,* with the objective of making them more informative.
4. *Redesign,* keeping the present page size, but aiding the reader with better lay-out and typography.
5. *Continued attention* to improving the Report.

We acknowledge with real appreciation the cooperation of Town Officers, the authors of the individual reports, and Henry B. Kane, who gave the drawing for the cover.

The Town Report Committee

Elected Town Officers

	Term Expires
Moderator	
DONALD P. DONALDSON	1954
Town Clerk	
WILLIAM H. DAVIS	1953
Selectmen and Board of Public Welfare	
JOHN O. WILSON, Chairman	1955
EDMUND W. GILES	1953
HENRY DeC. WARD	1954
Assessors	
GEORGE G. TARBELL, Jr., Chairman	1953
ARTHUR W. RICE	1954
G. ARNOLD WILEY	1955
Treasurer	
FREDERICK B. TAYLOR	1953
Collector of Taxes	
WILLIAM H. DAVIS	1953
Auditor	
PEARSON HUNT	1953
School Committee	
MALCOLM L. DONALDSON, Chairman	1953
LUCY E. BYGRAVE	1954
ERNEST P. NEUMANN	1955
Water Commissioners	
SUMNER SMITH, Chairman	1953
ROBERT W. SCOTT	1954
HENRY WARNER	1955
Board of Health	
GORDON A. DONALDSON, Chairman	1955
WARREN F. FLINT	1953
NANCY D. HURD	1954
Tree Warden	
DANIEL A. MacINNIS, Jr.	1953

Cemetery Commissioners

	Term Expires
GEORGE E. CUNNINGHAM, Chairman	1953
ROBERT D. DONALDSON	1954
JAMES B. BILLINGS	1955

Planning Board

ALAN McCLENNEN, Chairman	1954
WILLIAM T. KING	1953
HOWARD SNELLING	1955
RICHARD J. EATON	1956
ARTHUR T. HOWARD	1957

Measurer of Wood and Bark

HAROLD S. COUSINS (resigned)	1953
CLIFFORD J. BRADLEY (appointed)	1953
JOSEPH R. TRACEY	1953

Commissioners of Trust Funds

CLEMENT C. SAWTELL, Chairman	1955
LEONARD C. LARRABEE	1954
HENRY DeC. WARD	1953

Trustees of Bemis Fund for Free Public Lectures

CHRISTOPHER W. HURD, Chairman	1955
MABEL H. TODD	1953
LEONARD C. LARRABEE	1954

Trustees of Lincoln Library

ROLAND C. MacKENZIE, Chairman
GEORGE G. TARBELL
ALICE G. MERIAM
JOHN O. WILSON, Chairman Selectmen ex-officio
MALCOLM L. DONALDSON, Chairman
School Committee ex-officio

deCordova and Dana Museum and Park

A. Directors

CHARLES H. BLAKE	1953
ELIZABETH J. SNELLING	1954
JANE K. VANCE	1955
JOHN Q. ADAMS	1956

B. Directors

RICHARD S. MERIAM—appointed by Library Trustees	1955
PEARSON HUNT—appointed by School Committee	1953
ARTHUR E. THIESSEN—appointed by Selectmen	1954

Officers and Committees Appointed by the Board of Selectmen

Term Expires

Clerk of Selectmen and Public Welfare Agent

M. ELIZABETH CAUSER 1953

Acting Superintendent of Streets

CLIFFORD H. BRADLEY 1953

Chief of Police

LEO J. ALGEO 1953

Police Officers

LAWRENCE P. HALLETT 1953
JAMES J. DIAMOND 1953

Constables

LEO J. ALGEO 1953
LAWRENCE P. HALLETT 1953
JOHN J. KELLIHER 1953
GEORGE E. CUNNINGHAM 1953

Dog Officers

LEO J. ALGEO 1953
LAWRENCE P. HALLETT 1953

Sealer of Weights and Measures

LEO J. ALGEO 1953

Special Police

JOHN T. ALGEO
BOB BERNSON
ROBERT H. BOOTH
FLORIY CAMPOBASSO
JOSEPH CAMPOBASSO
JOHN COOK
HENRY J. DAVIS
JAMES DeNORMANDIE
WILLIAM DOHERTY
ANDREW J. DOUGHERTY
JOSEPH FRAZIER
JOHN GILBERT
FRANCIS T. GILBERT
FRANK GORDON
HARRY B. KNOWLES
WARREN RICE
EDWARD D. ROONEY
DANIEL RYAN
SUMNER SMITH
FRANCIS J. SMITH
JOSEPH TRACEY
HENRY WARNER
ORRIN C. WOOD

Fire Engineers	Term Expires
ANDREW J. DOUGHERTY	1953
JOSEPH TRACEY	1953
CHARLES K. FITTS	1953

Forest Warden

ANDREW J. DOUGHERTY	1953

Deputy Forest Warden

JOSEPH TRACEY	1953

Petroleum Inspector

ANDREW J. DOUGHERTY	1953

Director of Civil Defense

ROBERT H. BOOTH	1953

Building Inspector

NILS SWANSON	1953

Plumbing Inspector

GLENNY S. CUTTER	1953

Wiring Inspector

WILLIAM DEAN	1953

Board of Appeals

ELLIOTT V. GRABILL, Chairman	1956
JAMES DeNORMANDIE, Secretary	1955
ANDREW J. O'REILLY (resigned)	1954
HENRY B. HOOVER	1953
CHARLES K. FITTS	1957

Associate Members

THOMAS B. ADAMS	1954
WILLIAM DEAN	195

Registrars of Voters

MANLEY B. BOYCE	1955
ANDREW J. DOUGHERTY	1953
HENRY J. DAVIS	1954
WILLIAM J. DAVIS, Town Clerk ex-officio	1954

Bureau of Old Age Assistance

	Term Expires
M. ELIZABETH CAUSER	1953
MARIAN N. OBER	1953
JOHN J. KELLIHER	1953

Member of District Nursing Committee

ALBERTA A. FRADD	1953

Fence Viewers

GEORGE G. TARBELL	1953
JOHN J. KELLIHER	1953

Field Drivers

JOHN T. GILES	1953
JAMES M. NEVILLE	1953

Surveyor of Cord Wood

CLIFFORD BRADLEY	1953

Recreation Committee

ETHAN A. MURPHY, Chairman	1953
WILLIAM DeFORD	1953
ASTRID L. DONALDSON	1953
MALCOLM DONALDSON	1953
JOHN B. GARRISON	1953
ROBERT W. GRAY	1953
E. DOLAN ROONEY	1953
SADIE J. SHERMAN	1953
DAVID TODD	1953

Veterans' Agent

EDMUND W. GILES	1953

Caretaker of Town Hall and Library

ORRIN C. WOOD	1953

Jury List, 1952

Name	*Occupation*
THOMAS B. ADAMS	Executive
HAROLD T. ASHWORTH	Radio Engineer
PAUL BROOKS	Publisher
CHARLES E. CRANE	Industrial Real Estate
GEORGE A. CUNNINGHAM	Fireman
RICHARD J. EATON	Trustee
HARRY COOK	Farmer
LAURENCE COUSINS	Plant Superintendent
SHERMAN H. DAVIS	Farmer
JAMES DIAMOND	Police Work
EDWARD DANOSKY	Farmer
ANTHONY FAUNCE	Insurance
CHARLES K. FITTS	Buyer
THOMAS T. GILES	Garage Superintendent
FRANK GORDON	Milkman
THOMAS A. O. GROSS	Electrical Engineer
ARTHUR T. HOWARD	Printer
MERRILL HUNT	Executive
KARL F. LAHNSTEIN	Museum Work
LOUIS E. PADDOCK	Industrial Engineer
ROBERT PELLANDINI	Pay Roll Clerk
ROLAND W. ROBBINS	Painting Contractor
EHLERT W. SEECKTS	Assistant Manager
FREDERICK M. SPOONER	General Man
JOHN B. TEW	Investment Analyst

Appointed by the Treasurer

Assistant Treasurer	Term Expires
M. ELIZABETH CAUSER	1953

Appointed by the Board of Health

Community Nurse

MARIAN N. OBER	1953

Burial Agent

WILLIAM H. DAVIS	1953

Inspector of Animals

ANDREW J. DOUGHERTY	1953

Appointed by the Moderator

Finance Committee

	Term Expires
F. WINCHESTER DENIO, Chairman	1954
LELAND A. WILDES, Secretary	1954
WILLIAM N. PAGE	1955
THOMAS J. ROUNER	1953
PAUL L. NORTON	1953

Memorial Day Committee

MARY S. HENDERSON	1953
SADIE SHERMAN	1953
REV. MORRIS ROBINSON	1953
E. DONLAN ROONEY	1953
METRO FEDOCK	1953

Building Code Committee

NORMAN F. BRISSON — WILLIAM M. DEAN
ROBERT BYGRAVE — MANNING W. MacRAE
HENRY B. HOOVER

Union Health Department

NANCY D. HURD — RICHARD K. CONANT
JEAN MURPHY — ELLIOTT R. HEDGE
BRADFORD CANNON

School Building Committee

ELIZABETH J. SNELLING — ANDREW J. DOUGHERTY
ELLIOTT V. GRABILL — PEARSON HUNT
JAMES DeNORMANDIE

Editorial Committee for Town Report

MARY K. VAN LEER — JOSEPH J. O'REILLY
PEARSON HUNT — HENRY F. THOMA
VICTOR A. LUTNICKI

200th Anniversary Celebration Committee

WILLIAM RAND, Chairman — FREDERICK H. GREEN, JR.
ALICE W. SMITH — EDITH B. FARRAR
E. DONLAN ROONEY

Town Government

Report of the Board of Selectmen

A number of new problems are being faced by the Town, some being the result of increased population during the past few years and others the result of developments outside the Town. Some of the problems are administrative, to be handled by the Selectmen; others require careful study and action by the citizens.

Light Industrial Zone

Probably the most important problem over the long term is the proposed creation of a light industrial zone along the Airport Access Road abutting land already taken by the Airport. The matter was officially brought before the Town by a petition to the Planning Board to amend the Zoning By-Law, the purpose of which is to minimize the effect of the Airport expansion on Lincoln and to permit continued control of adjacent areas. It is the contention of the petitioners that complete rigidity may result in loss of control which would be far more damaging than the effects of studied flexibility in our Zoning By-Law. Many citizens have worked earnestly on this subject. Special commendation is due the League of Women Voters for their impartial inquiry and their report which, it is hoped, will be ready for distribution

before long. The basic nature of this problem and the multitude of divergent opinions held by thoughtful people indicate the desirability of more study before the Town is asked to take action.

Town Administration

Most of the Town Officers and Committees are serving on a part-time basis. They are busy earning a living and taking care of their own affairs, but give their efforts and as much time as possible to the Town because they believe in this type of local government. Salaries, if any, are usually nominal, probably no more than enough to cover out-of-pocket expenses. The Selectmen believe that this system should be continued but fully recognize that increased population and appropriations have multiplied the work to the point that not everything is being done, or can be expected to be done, as well or as economically as it should be. It must be added that except for the highly capable and tireless assistance of Mrs. Causer and Mr. Davis, the situation would have required attention long ago. The 1953 budget includes the salary of a full-time assistant in the Selectmen's Office instead of part-time assistance as heretofore, but more than that is recommended. Under a special article the Town will be asked to appropriate funds for the employment of a full-time man who might be termed Assistant to the Selectmen. It is contemplated that he will meet with the Selectmen and other Boards on request, do preliminary assigned work for them, co-ordinate purchasing and the use of Town Equipment, and be available for consultation on the day-to-day emergencies that arise. This is not a position as Town Manager, for he would have only such duties as are delegated to him from time to time by the Town Officers who would continue to have full authority and to be fully responsible.

Gymnasium

The School Committee and Selectmen have considered the problems having to do with use of the Gymnasium

which both groups recognize was built for Town as well as School use. It has been agreed that for practical reasons the Gymnasium must be under the control of the School Committee and that the Superintendent of Schools as their Agent must be the person having day-to-day supervision. Any applications for use of the Gymnasium should be made to the Superintendent's office. It was further agreed that a janitor should be in attendance at all times except when the Superintendent chooses to designate some other person to take over the responsibility for protection of the property. The janitor will be entitled to an hourly charge, with a minimum fee for any evening, to be paid at the time by the group using the building. It is now contemplated that any additional charge, such as rent, will be made.

Town Dump

The Town Dump has been operated on rented land for many years and without an attendant on hand. Cook Brothers, owners of the land now rented, have asked us to find another location and considerable work has been done by the Planning Board in finding the proper place. It seems likely that the Town will have to buy land, but whether it buys or not, an attendant seems necessary on such days as the dump is open. Action by the Town at the Annual Meeting may be recommended.

Road Takings

Pursuant to action at the 1952 Annual Town Meeting at which it was voted to be the sense of the Meeting that the Selectmen should make takings on additional Town roads, petitions have been filed with the County for laying out Page Road, Baker Bridge Road, Bedford Lane and Old Concord Road.

Chapter 90 Highway Construction

The Selectmen recommended to the County and State that Chapter 90 construction funds in 1953 be allocated

to improvements on Weston Road starting at the Weston line. This work would include widening, reduction in the curves, elimination of the high crown in the road and resurfacing. The plan for relocation of this road which was completed three years ago involves no substantial land takings. The exact plans and specifications for the construction have not been prepared, but of course the road must keep within the taking as shown on the plan which may be seen again at the Town House by those who attended the hearings or by others who are interested. Fifty per cent of the cost of Chapter 90 construction is paid by the State, twenty-five per cent by the County and twenty-five per cent by the Town. It applies to secondary roads connecting two towns such as Weston Road and not to purely internal roads such as Beaver Pond Road.

Stickel Case

The suit against the Town brought by Frederick Stickel some years ago for alleged damage to the gardenias in his greenhouse on Route 2A due to contamination of the Town water has not been disposed of. A settlement involving a payment by the Town of $1,750 is still under consideration and the Town may be asked to appropriate this amount under a special article.

Speed Zoning

The speed-zoning regulations for several roads in Lincoln referred to in the 1951 Report were approved by the Department of Public Works and the Registry of Motor Vehicles during 1952 and became effective on Route 117 with the erection of the authorized speed limit signs late in the year. The Police have observed a more even flow of traffic with fewer very slow-moving vehicles and fewer speeding cars, the latter perhaps due to the relative ease of getting convictions in Court when such signs are erected. It is anticipated that the balance of the 1951 special appropriation and a small amount from highway funds will be used to erect signs on Route 126 in 1953.

Revision of Building Code

The Building Code Committee has submitted its revision to Mr. L. C. Roy for professional study and comment. Mr. Roy, who recently revised the Brookline Code, was unable to complete his work in time for action at the March 1953 Meeting.

Revision of Town By-Laws

Due to the practical impossibility of obtaining approval of Town By-Laws by the recent Attorney General, the Committee to Revise the Town By-Laws suspended operations. It is now being reactivated. This Committee's attention was directed to all Town By-Laws other than those on Zoning and Building.

Revision of Town Report

The Committee appointed by vote at the 1952 Annual Town Meeting to advise the Selectmen concerning the content and preparation of the Town Report proved most helpful and cooperative. Many of their recommendations have been incorporated. Others could not be worked out immediately. It is enthusiastically urged that this Committee be continued for another year.

200th Anniversary

The Committee appointed by vote of the November 1952 Meeting to make recommendations for the 200th Anniversary of the Town will make its report at the March Meeting. Although an appropriate celebration will require active support by many individuals and subcommittees, it is recommended that the present Committee be continued to have over-all responsibility for the program. All comments and suggestions are appreciated for there are any number of functions that can be included on such an occasion. It is the opinion of the Committee that an appropriation of $2,500 for its use should be made at this time.

Zoning On Route 2

It was proposed to the 1952 Legislature that an act should be passed preventing any relaxation of zoning by-laws as they affect property on both sides of Route 2 in the Towns of Belmont, Arlington, Lexington, Lincoln and Concord. Chapter 402 as passed limits the restriction to Lincoln and Concord, both of which Towns have until 1954 to accept the Act at their annual Town elections. This act, although disappointing, accomplishes at least part of what the Town wanted. It will appear on the ballot for the election on March 7, 1953.

The death of Nils P. Swanson in late December 1952 took from us a friend who had served as Building Inspector for a relatively short time but in most efficient and helpful manner and with complete devotion to the best interests of the Town.

H. Bigelow Hills, former Selectman and active participant in local Red Cross affairs and other worth while causes passed on in October 1952. He had maintained a keen interest in Lincoln and its citizens even after moving to Weston.

Respectfully submitted,

EDMUND W. GILES
HENRY DeC. WARD
JOHN O. WILSON, *Chairman*

Town Clerk's Report

The Town Clerk is the official recorder of Town events and activities and issues licenses and certificates. His duties include recording the proceedings at Town Meetings and elections, and notifying the Selectmen and other officers concerned of appropriations which have been voted.

The record of Registered Voters of Lincoln is kept at the Clerk's office. Persons wishing to become voters in the Town should communicate with the Clerk.

Annual Town Meeting

Monday, March 3, 1952

Pursuant to a Warrant duly served, the Meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Mr. Donald P. Donaldson at 7:30 o'clock P.M. The return of the Warrant was read, and the Moderator called attention to Article 1. (Election of Officers).

Article 2. To bring in their votes for any committees, commissioners, trustees and other officers required by law to be elected by ballot or otherwise.

Voted: That Harold S. Cousins and Joseph R. Tracey be elected Measurers of Wood and Bark for the ensuing year.

Article 3. To hear and act upon the reports of Town Officers, Committees, Commisioners and Trustees.

Voted: That the reports of the Town Officers, Committees, Commisioners and Trustees as printed in the Town Report be accepted and that the reports of the following Committees be accepted as interim reports and that the Committees and their unexpended appropriations

be continued: Building Code Committee, Lincoln Recreation Committee, Union Health Committee and Committee to Revise the Town By-laws.

Article 4. To fix the salaries and compensation of the several elective officers of the Town and to determine whether any Department, Board or Committee shall be authorized to employ for additional compensation any of its members and to fix additional compensation of such members.

Voted: That the salaries of the elected officers of the Town for the current year be fixed at the following amounts respectively:

Selectmen each	$200.00	Assessors Chairman	$200.00
Treasurer	200.00	Assessors other members each	175.00
Collector of Taxes	1,600.00	Auditor	50.00
Town Clerk	350.00	Water Commissioners each	75.00

and that one or more Cemetery Commissioners be authorized to work on the Cemetery grounds at the rate of $1.00 per hour.

Article 5. To raise and appropriate for the necessary and expedient purposes of the Town and enact anything in relation to the same.

Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate under Artirle 5, an aggregate sum of $382,261.15 consisting of the several itemized appropriations as recommended by the Finance Committee in their report on pages 54 to 59, inclusive of the printed Town Report for the year 1951, numbered 1 to 77, inclusive and the un-numbered item designated "Water Works Recommendations" read to the Meeting as follows: The items increased were Police by $600.00, Schools by $2,740.00 and item 70 by $42.15 a total increase of $3,382.15 which total is included in the aggregate sum above. An amendment under item No. 56 "that the minimum pay rate per hour for Custodians or Janitors of the Lincoln Schools shall be no less than the maximum pay rate per hour of any other nonsupervisory employee of the Town of Lincoln," was lost, as was also an amendment to item No. 59 "that the sum of $2,500.00

shall be appropriated for Black top Surfacing of the bus turn around at the Central School as originally called for in the 1952 School Budget and the work shall be done by the Town of Lincoln Highway Department."

Total recommendations $348,482.15. (Details appear in Treasurer's Report).

Water Works Recommendations—$33,779.00.

And that the appropriation of $33,779.00 for Water Works be taken from the Water Works Treasury; and that $9,500.00 of the appropriation under "item 45. Chapter 90" be taken from Free Cash and returned thereto when reimbursed by the State and County; and that of the amount appropriated under item "59 Schools Equipment Supplies and Miscellaneous" $646.75 be taken from accumulated income from the DeCordova School Equipment Fund and $85.55 from accumulated income from the Grammar School Fund; and that item "74. Reserve Fund $4,000.00" be taken from Overlay Surplus account; and that $25,000.00 of the appropriation of $37,000.00 under item "75. Bonds" be taken from free cash; and that $1,807.80 of the appropriation of $37,000.00 under item "75. Bonds" be taken from the bond sale premium reserve balance; and that the following amounts be hereby appropriated to surplus from their unexpended reserve balances as set forth in the Treasurer's Report;

Gazette	$60.08
War Memorial Committee	50.00
Highway Equipment Building Construction	117.83
Highway Equipment Building Equipment	65.93
Resurfacing Tennis Court	10.73
Accrued Bond Interest Reserve	776.32
Total	1,080.89

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1952, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year and to renew any note or notes as may

be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Voted: That the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1952 and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to conduct services on Memorial Day, the thirtieth of May, appoint a committee, raise and appropriate money or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Moderator be authorized to appoint a committee of five to plan and carry out exercises on Memorial Day, the thirtieth of May next and that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of two hundred and twenty-five ($225.00) dollars for the use of such committee in connection with these exercises.

Article 8. To see if the Town will: Instruct the Moderator to appoint an editorial committee of voters of the Town to advise the Selectmen concerning the content and preparation of the Town Report, appropriation not to exceed $100.00 for the use of such Committee; or take other action with reference to the matter.

Voted: That the Moderator appoint a committee of at least three voters of the Town to recommend to the Selectmen possible improvements in the content of the Town Report and the manner of its presentation, and that $100.00 be appropriated from free cash for the expenses of such committee.

Article 9. To see if the Town will accept as a public way the private road, known as Giles Road, as shown on a plan recorded with South Middlesex District Registry of Deeds, Plan Book, 7, 729, plan 520, and approved by

the Planning Board of the Town of Lincoln, September 13, 1951.

Voted: That, subject to the receipt of a deed in form satisfactory to the Selectmen the Town accept as a public way the private road known as Giles Road, as shown on a plan approved by the Planning Board, September 13, 1951 and filed in the Land Registration Office Plan Book, 7,729, plan 520.

Article 10. To see if the Town will accept as a public way, the private road known as Silver Birch Lane, as shown on a plan recorded with South Middlesex District Registry of Deeds. Plan Book 7735, plan 544 and approved by the Planning Board of the Town of Lincoln October 25, 1950.

Voted: That, subject to the receipt of a deed in form satisfactory to the Selectmen, the Town accept as a public way the private road known as Silver Birch Lane, as shown on a plan recorded with South Middlesex District Registry of Deeds. Plan book 7735, plan 544 and approved by the Planning Board of the Town of Lincoln October 25, 1950.

Article 11. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of $1,500.00 to be paid to Leland A. and Irene E. Wildes as compromise settlement for damages to their real estate arising from the re-location of Bedford Road, or take any action relative thereto.

Voted: To authorize the Selectmen to settle all claims of Leland A. and Irene E. Wildes concerning any possible damages which might have been suffered at the time of the re-location of Bedford Road, August 23, 1950 or subsequent thereto and to secure from said Leland A. and Irene E. Wildes proper releases running in favor of the Town and to appropriate the sum of $1,500.00, said sum to be taken from free cash. And be it Resolved; that it is the sense of this meeting that the Selectmen proceed as soon as practicable with the taking of untaken roads in the Town with the cooperation and help of the County and State Public Offices.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to acquire by purchase, gift, eminent domain or any other way, a parcel of land located at the North West intersection of Bedford Road and Route 2 containing 40,000 square feet more or less and appropriate the sum of $3,000.00 therefor or take any action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Selectmen be authorized to purchase on behalf of the inhabitants of the Town of Lincoln from Elizabeth A. and Edward B. Cunningham a parcel of land at the Northwest intersection of Bedford Road and Route 2 described as follows: Beginning at the Southeasterly corner thereof at a stone bound in the line of the Concord Turnpike thence N. 52° 00′ 10″ W. 190.00 feet to a point, thence turning at a right angle and running N. 37° 59′ 50″ E. 205.00 feet to a corner; thence turning and running S. 45° 03′ 00″ E. 167.43 feet to Bedford Road, thence Southwesterly along Bedford Road 124.12 feet to a stone bound at a point of curve; thence Southwesterly by a curve of 50 foot radius 109.59 feet to the point of beginning containing 41,139 ft., and to appropriate therel for the sum of three thousand dollars ($3,000.00) said sum to be taken from Free Cash.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,886.19 to pay the following unpaid 1951 bills:

Board of Assesors	$14.25	Board of Health	$16.75
Fire Department	13.50	Schools	4.25
Insurance	1,164.94	Legal	672.50

Voted: That the Treasurer be authorized to pay the following 1951 unpaid bills:

Board of Assessors Alma G. Bowen Registrar of Deeds	$ 14.25
Fire Department, Wages	13.50
Insurance Ted H. Oakey	1,164.94
Board of Health West End Chevrolet Company	16.75
Schools Rinehart & Company	4.25

Legal C. T. Sittinger Consulting Engineer	672.50
	$1,886.19

and that same be taken from Surplus.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a sand spreader for the use of the Highway Department, or take any action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of $1,650.00 for the purchase of a sand spreader for the Highway Department, said sum to be taken from Machinery Fund.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Town By-laws by striking out section 8 of Article 4 and substituting therefor the following section 8 of Article 4, or take any other action relative thereto. Section 8. No Town Officer, Board, Department or Committee having the matter in charge shall (1) execute any contract involving an estimated expenditure of $1,000.00 or more for labor, equipment, materials or supplies, or any combination of same, or (2) otherwise purchase from a single supplier at one time any property having an estimated aggregate value of $1,000 or more, without inviting proposals therefor from two or more reliable parties regul r-ly engaged in performing similar contracts and supplying similar requirements, provided however, that if no proposals are received from such invitations or as an alternative to the foregoing procedure, proposals shall be invited by public advertisement, published in Middlesex or Suffolk Counties inviting bids therefor, reserving the right to reject any and all proposals. No contract nor bid shall be split, separated or divided, for the purpose of avoiding this By-law by reducing the amount below $1,000. This section shall not apply to purchase of materials in connection with work to be performed under Chapters 81 or 90 under specifications of, and at prices established by the State Department of Public Works.

Voted: That the Town By-laws be amended by striking out Section 8 of Article 4 and substituting therefor the

following Section 8 of Article 4: No Town Officer, Board, Department or Committee having the matter in charge shall (1) execute any contract involving an estimated expenditure of $1,000, or more for labor, equipment, materials or supplies, or any combination of same, or (2) otherwise purchase from a single supplier at one time any property having an estimated aggregate value of $1,000 or more, without *either* inviting proposals therefor from two or more reliable parties regularly engaged in performing similar contracts and supplying similar requirements; or as an alternative to the foregoing procedure inviting proposals by public advertisement published in Middlesex or Suffolk County inviting bids therefor, reserving the right to reject any and all proposals. If the first method is used but no proposals are received, the second method shall be used. No contract nor bid shall be split, separated or divided, for the purpose of avoiding this By-law by reducing the amount below $1,000. This Section shall not apply to purchase of materials in connection with work to be performed under Chapters 81 or 90 under specifications of, and at prices established by the State Department of Public Works.

Boston, Mass., October 9th, 1952.

The foregoing by-law is hereby approved.

FRANCIS R. KELLY,
Attorney General

Meeting adjourned at 10:25 P.M.

WILLIAM H. DAVIS, *Town Clerk*

Special Town Meeting

Monday, November 10th, 1952

Pursuant to a Warrant duly served the Meeting was called to order by the Moderator at 7:30 o'clock P.M., the return of the Warrant was read and the various Articles acted upon as follows:

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate funds for the removal of elm trees which are affected with the Dutch Elm Disease, on the public ways and on private property, or take any action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of $2,000.00 for removal of elm trees designated by the tree warden as being infected with the Dutch Elm Disease on the public ways and on private property subject to the case of trees on private property to receipt by the Selectmen of releases and agreements in form approved by them, said sum to be taken from Free Cash.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate additional funds for Aid to the Disabled or take any action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of $2,500.00 for Aid to the Disabled, said sum to be taken from Free Cash.

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum for the adminstration of Aid to the Disabled or take any action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of $10.00 for administration of Aid to the Disabled, said sum to be taken from Free Cash.

Article 4. To see if the Town will accept as a public way, the private road known as Willarch Road, as shown on a plan recorded with South Middlesex Registry of

Deeds, Plan book 7558, plan 291 and approved by the Planning Board of the Town of Lincoln May 27, 1951.

Voted: That subject to the receipt of a deed and easement in form satisfactory to the Selectmen, the Town accept as a public way the private road known as Willarch Road as shown on a plan approved by the Planning Board May 29, 1951 and recorded in the South Middlesex District Registry of Deeds Plan Book 7558, Plan 291.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a Committee to make plans for the observance of the 200th anniversary of the Town's incorporation, or take any action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Moderator appoint a committee of five which together with the Selectmen now in office shall constitute a committee of eight to prepare preliminary plans for the observance of the 200th anniversary of the Town, said Committee to report at the Annual Town Meeting in March 1953.

Voted to adjourn at 7:55 P.M.

WILLIAM H. DAVIS, *Town Clerk*

Law Relating to Route 2

Note: Article 15 of the March 1951 Town Meeting instructed the Selectmen to support a statute like the following, which became law on June 4, 1952.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Office of the Secretary
State House, Boston 33

Edward J. Cronin,
Secretary of the Commonwealth

June 10, 1952

I hereby certify the Attached to be a True Photostatic Copy.

Witness the Great Seal of the
Commonwealth

Edward J. Cronin,
Secretary of the Commonwealth

CHAPTER 402

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty-two. AN ACT Restricting the use of lands abutting the highway known as Route 2 in the towns of Lincoln and Concord.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows: **Section 1.** For the purpose of promoting the health, safety, convenience and welfare of the inhabitants of the Commonwealth, the use of the

land in the Towns of Lincoln and Concord abutting the highway now known as Route 2, and extending back for two hundred feet from either side line of said highway, is hereby restricted to such uses as are lawfully permitted therein under the respective zoning by-laws of said towns in effect immediately prior to the effective date of this act, such uses, however, to be subject to the restrictions of said by-laws. The restrictions in such by-laws in respect to the area of lots, frontage, the height and bulk of buildings, the set-back from the way fronted upon, and the width of side yards and rear yards in force immediately prior to the effective date of this act, so far as applicable to the land to which this act relates, shall remain in full force and effect. Section 2. This act shall become effective upon its acceptance at annual town elections held in the towns of Lincoln and Concord prior to April thirtieth, nineteen hundred and fifty-four.

June 4, 1952

Annual Town Election

Saturday, March 8, 1952

In accordance with Article 1 of the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting, the meeting was called to order by the Moderator, the Ballot box was inspected, the following Ballot Clerks duly sworn: Helena A. Dee, Helen M. Dougherty, Bertha V. Bowles, Manley B. Boyce, William O. Causer and D. Everett Sherman, Jr., and the Polls declared open at 12 o'clock Noon. Total number of Ballots cast 683 with the following result:

Town Clerk (1 Year)

William H. Davis	645
Scattering	1
Blanks	37

Selectman (3 Years)

John O. Wilson	592
Scattering	3
Blanks	88

Assessor (3 Years)

William C. Holmes	280
G. Arnold Wiley	360
Blanks	43

Treasurer (1 Year)

Frederick B. Taylor	621
Scattering	1
Blanks	61

Auditor (1 Year)

Pearson Hunt	579
Scattering	3
Blanks	101

School Committee (3 Years)

Ernest P. Neumann	405
David F. Rogers	260
Blanks	18

Water Commissioner (3 Years)

Henry Warner	557
Scattering	3
Blanks	123

Board of Health (3 Years)

Gordon A. Donaldson	619
Blanks	64

Tree Warden (1 Year)

John Cook	106
Edward B. Cunningham	181
Daniel A. MacInnis	384
Blanks	12

Commissioner of Trust Funds (3 Years)

Clement C. Sawtell	604
Blanks	79

Trustee of Bemis Fund (3 Years)

Christopher W. Hurd	603
Scattering	1
Blanks	79

Cemetery Commissioner

James B. Billings	403
Edward B. Cunningham	258
Blanks	22

Planning Board (5 Years)

Arthur T. Howard	597
Scattering	1
Blanks	85

Director of DeCordova Museum and Park (4 Years)

John Q. Adams	607
Blanks	76

Presidential Primary

April 29th, 1952

Warrant

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Middlesex, ss.

To either of the constables of the Town of Lincoln, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in Town House, Tuesday, the twenty-ninth day of April, 1952, at 12 o'clock noon, for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Election of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices:

10 Delegates at Large to the National Convention of the Republican Party.

10 Alternate Delegates at Large to the National Convention of the Republican Party.

16 Delegates at Large to the National Convention of the Democratic Party.

16 Alternate Delegates at Large to the National Convention of the Democratic Party.

2 District Delegates to the National Convention of the Republican Party. 5th Congressional District.

2 Alternate District Delegates to the National Convention of the Republican Party. 5th Congressional District.

4 District Delegates to the National Convention of the Democratic Party. 5th Congressional District.

4 Alternate District Delegates to the National Convention of the Democratic Party. 5th Congressional District.

District Members of State Committee—(One man and One Woman) for each political party for the 5th Middlesex Senatorial District.

20 Members of the Republican Town Committee.

10 Members of the Democratic Town Committee.

Presidential Preference.

The polls will be open from 12 o'clock noon to seven P.M.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this seventh day of April, A.D., 1952.

EDMUND W. GILES,
J. O. WILSON,
HENRY DeC. WARD
Selectmen of Lincoln.

On the reverse of the Warrant is the following: April 18, 1952, I have served this Warrant by posting attested copies at both Post Offices and the Town Hall, seven days before the date of said Meeting.

LEO J. ALGEO, *Constable*

In acordance with the above Warrant the Polls were declared open at 12 o'clock Noon by Mr. John O. Wilson, previously the ballot box had been inspected and the following Ballot Clerks duly sworn: Helena A. Dee, Helen Dougherty, Bertha V. Bowles, Manley B. Boyce, William O. Causer, and Howard Snelling. The Polls were declared closed at 7 P.M. by Mr. John O. Wilson. Total vote 651, Republican 618, Democrat 33.

REPUBLICAN

Delegates

Leverett Saltonstall	510
Henry Cabot Lodge, Jr.	506
Joseph William Martin, Jr.	449
Sinclair Weeks	465

Katherine G. Howard	447
Daniel Tyler, Jr.	447
Robert S. Bradford	480
Richard I. Furbush	460
Charles Gibbons	416
Clarence A. Barnes	415
Blanks	1,585

Alternate Delegates

Carroll L. Meins	435
Maxwell M. Rabb	434
Basel Brewer	404
John A. Volpe	432
Julia B. Kirlin	432
Esther W. Wheeler	430
Louis Van N. Washburn	434
Robert C. Cochrane, Jr.	426
Jean L. Olmsted	400
George W. Schryner	402
Blanks	1,951

District Delegates

5th District

Harris S. Richardson	407
Otis M. Whitney	425
Blanks	404

Alternate Delegates

Paul R. Achin	393
Muriel S. Barnes	392
Blanks	451

Group Delegates

Group 2

Ralph H. Bonnell	65
Robert H. W. Welch, Jr.	64
Blanks	1,107

Alternate Delegates

Edward J. DeSauliner, Jr.	60
Edith G. Gallant	59
Blanks	1,117

State Committee Man

Ernest C. Graves	148
Herbert C. Harting	89
John J. McCarthy, Jr.	191
Blanks	190

State Committee Woman

Marianne Harcourt	39
Eleanor A. Pallotta	462
Blanks	117

Town Committee

Anthony Faunce	465
Eleanor A. Pallotta	494
Robert W. Scott	474
Arthur T. Howard	473
Pauline K. Rice	469
William H. Davis	507
Gladys de Y. Herman	479
Alan McClennen	484
Robert H. Thorson	463
Kenneth W. Bergen	486
D. Everett Sherman, Jr.	480
Walter E. Lovejoy	460
William L. Grinnell	468
Laura Thiessen	461
Charles K. Fitts	489
Eveleth R. Todd	506
Chester Jones	70
James DeNormandie	77
John White	88
Elliott Grabill	20
Leonard Rooney	72
John Tew	72
Scattering	10
Blanks	3,814

Presidential Preference

Eisenhower	475
Taft	93
W. O. Douglass	1
Stassen	1
Warren	3
MacArthur	2
Scattering	1
Blanks	42

DEMOCRATIC

Delegates Group

Paul A. Dever	17
John W. McCormack	18
Maurice J. Tobin	18
John B. Hynes	18
William J. Foley	18
Henry Brides	14
J. William Belanger	17
James M. Curley	16
Margaret M. O'Riordan	19
Thomas P. O'Neill, Jr.	14
John C. Carr	16
John E. Powers	16
Daniel E. Brunton	14
Mary DePasquale Murray	15
Charles I. Taylor	14
John W. Codaire, Jr.	14

Alternate Delegates

Edward A. Pecce	15
J. Henry Goguen	13
Peter J. Levanti	15
James Leo O'Connor	14
Stanislaws G. Wondoloski	14
Edward F. Doolan	15
Salvatore Cametio	15
Paul F. Smith	13
Charles Collatos	14
Elizabeth A. Stanton	15
Louis H. Glaser	13
Helen J. Fay	13
Silas F. Taylor	13
Francis H. Murray, Jr.	14
Thomas F. Graham	13
Edith T. Wilcox	14
Blanks	305

District Delegates Group I

Daniel F. Moriarty	13
William C. Geary	12
Edward P. Gilgun	12
Daniel D. O'Dea	12
Blanks	83

Delegates Group 2

Joseph W. Monohan, Jr.	1
James C. Menton	2
John J. Curran	1
Leo F. Garvey	1
Blanks	127

Alternate Delegates

John F. Finnerty	1
Robert E. Mahoney	2
John J. Sheehan	1
James A. Coffey	1
Blanks	127

Delegates Not Grouped

Thomas J. Corbett	0
Cornelius F. Cronin	0
James A. Cullen	0
Mary Maloney Lynch	0
Clara A. Gannon	0
Blanks	132

Alternate Delegates Not Grouped

Helen M. Fitzgerald Cullen	0
Thomas H. McFadden	0
Blanks	66

State Committee Man

Martin J. Hansberry	14
Thomas F. Tracey	3
Blanks	16

State Committee Woman

Alice D. Sullivan	16
Blanks	17

Town Committee

H. A. Doherty	6
Allen Dougherty	1
Thomas Carney	7
Edward Cunningham	7
Dennis Dougherty	7
A. J. Dougherty	9
Hope Hunt	2

Marion Billings	7
Helen Dougherty	8
Scattering	4
Blanks	271

Presidential Preference

Douglas	7
Harriman	1
Barkeley	1
Kefauver	4
Lodge	1
Eisenhower	3
Stevenson	3
Truman	1
Blanks	12

WILLIAM H. DAVIS, *Town Clerk*

State Primary

September 16th, 1952

Pursuant to a Warrant duly served, the Meeting was called to order at 12 o'clock Noon by Mr. John O. Wilson, previously the ballot box was inspected, the following Ballot Clerks duly sworn: Helena A. Dee, Helen M. Dougherty, Elizabeth J. Snelling, William O. Causer, Manley B. Boyce, and D. Everett Sherman Jr., the Polls were declared closed at 7 o'clock P.M. by Mr. Edmund W. Giles with the following results: Total number of Ballots cast 563, Republican 526, Democratic 37. Total number of Rent Control Ballots cast 563.

REPUBLICAN

Governor	Christian A. Herter	500
	Blanks	23
Lieutenant Governor	Sumner G. Whittier	494
	Blanks	32
Secretary	Beatrice Hancock Mullaney	475
	Scattering	1
	Blanks	50

Treasurer	Fred J. Burrell	79
	Roy Charles Papalia	430
	Blanks	17
Auditor	David J. Mintz	472
	Blanks	54
Attorney General	George Fingold	491
	Blanks	35
Senator in Congress	Henry Cabot Lodge Jr.	501
	Blanks	25
Congressman 5th District	Edith Nourse Rogers	488
	Scattering	3
	Blanks	35
Councillor 3rd District	Otis M. Whitney	492
	Scattering	1
	Blanks	33
Senator 5th Middlesex District	Richard I. Furbush	491
	Blanks	35
Representative in General Court	Howard S. Russell	490
	Blanks	36
Clerk of Courts Middlesex County	Charles T. Hughes	371
	Charles E. Jellison	67
	John F. Lombard	52
	Blanks	36
Register of Deeds Middlesex Southern District	William B. Bailey	128
	Arthur L. Harris	250
	Arlyn F. Hassett	19
	Harold I. Hunt	46
	Arthur S. Scipione	23
	Blanks	60
County Commissioners (2)	William G. Andrew	298
	H. Herbert Applin	203
	L. Johnson Callas	18
	Walter Francis Chapman	17
	Edward F. Convery	2
	Albert L. Daigle	1
	S. H. Harding	20
	Patrick J. Jennings	11
	John W. Justice	3
	Thomas P. Lane	8
	Harold E. Lawson	266
	Robert L. MacGregory	8
	W. Edward Magiera	0
	Herbert Kenneth Noble	30
	Maurice L. Spaulding	18

	Ellis Sutcliffe	11
	D. Paul Wormwood	7
	Blanks	131
RENT CONTROL	YES	156
	NO	385
	Blanks	22

DEMOCRATIC

Governor	Paul A. Dever	18
	Blanks	19
Lieutenant Governor	Charles Jeff Sullivan	11
	Thomas B. Brennan	4
	Edward C. Carroll	1
	Thomas J. Kurey	2
	C. Gerald Lucey	7
	Joseph L. Murphy	3
	Blanks	9
Secretary	Edward J. Cronin	23
	Blanks	14
Treasurer	William R. Conley	2
	Cornelius P. Cronin	6
	James E. V. Donelan	1
	Foster Furcolo	15
	John F. Kennedy	6
	Jeremiah J. Murphy Jr.	1
	Alexander Francis Sullivan	0
	Blanks	6
Auditor	Thomas J. Buckley	24
	Blanks	13
Attorney General	Francis E. Kelly	7
	Robert T. Capeless	16
	George Leary	7
	John V. Moran	4
	Blanks	3
Senator in Congress	John F. Kennedy	27
	Blanks	10
Congressman 5th District	Helen M. Fitzgerald Cullen	18
	Blanks	19
Councillor 3rd District	Daniel T. Carey	4
	Joseph P. Duca	3
	Donald B. Falvey Jr.	11
	Edmund F. Haverty	4
	Thomas C. Quinn	2
	Blanks	13
Senator	Charles A. Whalen	19
5th Middlesex District	Blanks	18

Representative in General Court	P. Joseph Murphy	20
	Blanks	17
Clerk of Courts Middlesex County	Joseph V. Carroll	1
	Edward J. Crane	3
	John F. Ferrick	4
	Frederick T. McDermott	4
	Clement Gregory McDonough	2
	Edward J. Sullivan	7
	John F. Sullivan	1
	Blanks	15
Register of Deeds Middlesex Southern District	James G. Bagley	3
	George H. Boyle Jr.	0
	William P. Crowley	2
	James F. Fitzgerald	11
	Thomas A. Hagerty	0
	Clarence E. Lord	0
	Paul V. Shaughnessy	9
	Blanks	12
County Commissioners (2)	James A. Cullen	13
	Patrick J. Brennan	4
	Henry F. Buckley	0
	James H. Burns	2
	Theodore Campo	1
	James M. Cook	1
	Benjamin Watkins Corey	5
	Edward J. Coughlin	1
	Charles Cullinane	1
	James W. Donahue	3
	Emile A. Dumas	3
	Vincent A. Errichetti	0
	Eugene X. Giroux	1
	Gordon F. Hughes	2
	Andrew V. Kelleher	4
	Francis R. King	1
	John L. Mallett	0
	Gertrude S. McManus	7
	John F. Mullin	0
	Charles Joseph Murphy	1
	William H. Murphy	0
	Francis H. Murray Jr.	1
	Andrew J. Rogers	1
	Edward H. Sullivan	1
	Blanks	21

WILLIAM H. DAVIS, *Town Clerk*

State Election

November 4th, 1952

Pursuant to a Warrant duly served the Polls were declared open at 7 o'clock A. M. by Mr. John O. Wilson, Warden. Previously the ballot box was inspected and Elizabeth J. Snelling and Helena A. Dee duly sworn as Ballot Clerks. At 8 o'clock A.M. the following Ballot Clerks were duly sworn: Helen M. Dougherty, Manley B. Boyce, D. Everett Sherman Jr. and William O. Causer. At 1 o'clock the following were duly sworn as Ballot Clerks: Marion B. Billings, Margaret M. Algeo, Sadie Sherman and Bertha V. Bowles. Mr. Henry De C. Ward took over the duties of Warden, followed by Mr. Edmund W. Giles at 5:15 P.M. The Polls were declared closed by the latter at 8 o'clock P.M. Total vote 1,432.

STATE ELECTION

Electors of President and Vice President

Eisenhower and Nixon — Republican	1079
Hallinan and Bass — Peace Progressive	3
Hamblem and Holtwick — Prohibition	0
Hass and Emery — Socialist Labor	1
Stevenson and Sparkman — Democratic	335
Blanks	14

Governor

Paul A. Dever — Democratic	315
Christian A. Herter — Republican	1089
Lawrence Gilfedder — Socialist Labor	1
Florence H. Luscomb — Peace Progressive	5
Guy S. Williams — Prohibition	0
Blanks	22

Lieutenant Governor

Charles F. Jeff Sullivan — Democratic	272
Sumner G. Whittier — Republican	1113
William R. Ferry — Prohibition	3
Francis A. Votano — Socialist Labor	3
Blanks	41

Secretary

Edward J. Cronin — Democratic	295
Beatrice Hancock Mullaney — Republican	1072
Alice M. Ferry — Prohibition	6
Fred M. Ingersoll — Socialist Labor	3
Blanks	56

Treasurer

Foster Furcolo — Democratic	277
Roy Charles Papalia — Republican	1100
Henning A. Blomen — Socialist Labor	3
Harold J. Ireland — Prohibition	1
Blanks	51

Auditor

Thomas J. Buckley — Democratic	339
David J. Mintz — Republican	1033
Anthony Martin — Socialist Labor	1
Robert A. Simmons — Prohibition	2
Blanks	57

Attorney General

Francis E. Kelly — Democratic	188
George Fingold — Republican	1197
Arthur W. Blomen — Socialist Labor	1
Howard B. Rand — Prohibition	3
Blanks	43

Senator in Congress 5th District

Henry Cabot Lodge, Jr. — Republican	1049
John F. Kennedy — Democratic	360
Thelma Ingersoll — Socialist Labor	1
Mark R. Shaw — Prohibition	2
Blanks	20

Congressman 5th District

Edith Nourse Rogers — Republican	1132
Helen M. Fitzgerald Cullen — Democratic	225
Miriam S. Hall — Prohibition	9
Blanks	66

Councillor 3rd District

Otis M. Whitney — Republican	1191
Thomas C. Quinn — Democratic	194
Blanks	47

Senator 5th Middlesex District

Richard I. Furbush — Republican	1144
Charles A. Whalen — Democratic	238
Blanks	50

Representative in General Court 10th Middlesex District

Howard S. Russell — Republican	1114
P. Joseph Murphy — Democratic	270
Blanks	48

Clerk of Courts Middlesex County

Charles T. Hughes — Republican	1100
Edward J. Sullivan — Democratic	269
Blanks	63

Register of Deeds Middlesex Southern District

William B. Bailey — Republican	1062
James F. Fitzgerald — Democratic	304
Scattering	1
Blanks	65

County Commissioners Middlesex County

William G. Andrew — Republican	1068
James A. Cullen — Democratic	261
H. Herbert Applin — Republican	821
Patrick J. Brennan — Democratic	211
Blanks	503

QUESTION

A	Yes	234
	No	994
	Blanks	204
B	Yes	265
	No	944
	Blanks	223
C	Yes	397
	No	841
	Blanks	194

WILLIAM H. DAVIS, *Town Clerk*

Licenses

Total number of Dog Licenses issued during the year 1952, 397; namely, 234 Male, 61 Female, 100 Spayed Female and 2 Kennel for which the sum of $913.60 has been paid to the Treasurer.

Sporting, etc., issued during the year 1952; Fishing 84, Hunting 56, Sporting 43, Minor Fishing 8, Female Fishing 16, Non Resident Special Fishing 2, Non Resident Hunting 1, Non Resident Military 2, Duplicate 3, for which the sum of $700.00 has been paid to the Division of Fisheries and Game.

WILLIAM H. DAVIS, *Town Clerk*

NOTE: For vital statistics (births, marriages, and deaths see Appendix.)

Finance

Report of State and Town Auditors

The work of the State Auditor in 1952 consisted, as usual, of a thorough check of the Town's financial records for the preceding year, 1951, and the preparation of a statement of the Town's financial condition at the beginning of the year 1952. The Town Auditor participated in this work as an observer for part of the time that the records were being examined in Lincoln, and the trust fund securities were being examined in Boston.

The statutes provide that the "substance" of the State Auditor's report be published. In the Town Auditor's opinion, this substance is contained in the material reproduced below, consisting of a portion of the text, written by the State Auditor, and the Balance Sheet of the Town, prepared by the State Auditor but condensed by the Town Auditor. This shows the Town's condition at the beginning of 1952.

The State Auditor's report contains many details which are not reproduced below because the differences between these details and those reported by Town officials are, in the Town Auditor's opinion, of minor importance. The detailed tables are available for public inspection at the Selectmen's office.

Last year it was pointed out that the Town could look forward to an increase in its Surplus Revenue (or "free cash") when the State of Massachusetts paid accrued installments of financial aid for the building constructed in 1948. These payments had not been received by December 31, 1952, so five annual installments will be due in 1953. The total sum so due is estimated at about $23,000. This does not appear on the Balance Sheet.

PEARSON HUNT, *Town Auditor*

January 15, 1953.

Mr. Francis X. Lang
Director of Accounts
Department of Corporations and Taxation
State House, Boston

Sir:

As directed by you, I have made an audit of the books and accounts of the Town of Lincoln for the year ending December 31, 1951, and report thereon as follows:

The records of charges against appropriations as kept by the Board of Selectmen were analyzed and checked with the Town Clerk's records of appropriations and loan authorizations voted by the Town meetings and with the transfers authorized from the reserve fund by the Finance Committee. Ledger accounts were compiled, and a balance sheet, which is appended to this report, was prepared showing the financial condition of the Town on December 31, 1951.

The books and accounts of the Town treasurer were examined and checked in detail.

The cash book additions were verified, and the cash balance on February 11, 1952, was proved by reconciliation of the bank balances with statements furnished

by the banks of deposit, by examination of the savings bank books and United States Treasury bills, and by actual count of the cash in the office.

The payments made for maturing debt and interest were verified by comparison with the cancelled securities and coupons on file and with the amounts falling due.

The income, disbursements, and all other trust fund transactions were verified, and the cash balances were proved by reconciliation with statements furnished by the banks in which these funds are deposited.

The books and accounts of the tax collector were examined and checked.

The records of departmental and water accounts receivable were examined and checked.

The outstanding tax, excise, departmental, and water accounts were verified by mailing notices to a number of persons whose names appeared on the books as owing money to the Town, and the replies received thereto indicating that the accounts, as listed, are correct.

The financial accounts of the Town Clerk were examined and checked for dog and sporting licenses issued.

The surety bonds of the various Town officials required by law to furnish them were examined and found to be in proper form.

The records of the boards of Selectmen and health, of the wire, plumbing, and building inspectors, and of the school and library departments, as well as of all other departments collecting money for the Town or committing bills for collection, were examined and checked.

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Respectfully submitted,

(s) HERMAN B. DINE,
Assistant Director of Accounts.

TOWN OF LINCOLN

BALANCE SHEET December 31, 1951

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

Assets

Treasurer's Balance		
General		$489,688.43
Water		6,095.08
Petty Cash		55.00
Accounts Receivable		
Property Taxes		
Levy of 1950		2,937.08
Levy of 1951		6,986.60
Vehicle and Trailer Excise		
Levy of 1950		188.23
Levy of 1951		1,868.55
Water		
Levy of 1950		140.50
Levy of 1951		722.08
Departmental		376.66
Aid to Highways		9,500.00
Deferred Receipts, 1951		984.51
		$519,542.72

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

Liabilities, Reserves and Surplus

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Unexpended Appropriations (p. 97, Report of 1951)	$371,785.71
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Road Machinery Fund	2,891.16
Current Income, Trust Funds	1,131.09
Special School Funds	304.59
Federal Grants for Welfare	3,133.53
Premium and Accrued Interest, Town Debt	2,584.12
Sub-total, Liabilities	$381,832.00

Reserves

Overlay Surplus	15,185.72
For Tax Abatement	4,978.12
For Petty Cash and Accounts Receivable	12,851.02
Sub-total, Reserves	$33,014.86

Surplus

General (Free Cash)	98,543.36
Water	6,095.08
Deferred Payments, 1951	57.42
	$519,542.72

Finance

Report of State and Town Auditors

The work of the State Auditor in 1952 consisted, as usual, of a thorough check of the Town's financial records for the preceding year, 1951, and the preparation of a statement of the Town's financial condition at the beginning of the year 1952. The Town Auditor participated in this work as an observer for part of the time that the records were being examined in Lincoln, and the trust fund securities were being examined in Boston.

The statutes provide that the "substance" of the State Auditor's report be published. In the Town Auditor's opinion, this substance is contained in the material reproduced below, consisting of a portion of the text, written by the State Auditor, and the Balance Sheet of the Town, prepared by the State Auditor but condensed by the Town Auditor. This shows the Town's condition at the beginning of 1952.

The State Auditor's report contains many details which are not reproduced below because the differences between these details and those reported by Town officials are, in the Town Auditor's opinion, of minor importance. The detailed tables are available for public inspection at the Selectmen's office.

Last year it was pointed out that the Town could look forward to an increase in its Surplus Revenue (or "free cash") when the State of Massachusetts paid accrued installments of financial aid for the building constructed in 1948. These payments had not been received by December 31, 1952, so five annual installments will be due in 1953. The total sum so due is estimated at about $23,000. This does not appear on the Balance Sheet.

PEARSON HUNT, *Town Auditor*

January 15, 1953.

Mr. Francis X. Lang
Director of Accounts
Department of Corporations and Taxation
State House, Boston

Sir:

As directed by you, I have made an audit of the books and accounts of the Town of Lincoln for the year ending December 31, 1951, and report thereon as follows:

The records of charges against appropriations as kept by the Board of Selectmen were analyzed and checked with the Town Clerk's records of appropriations and loan authorizations voted by the Town meetings and with the transfers authorized from the reserve fund by the Finance Committee. Ledger accounts were compiled, and a balance sheet, which is appended to this report, was prepared showing the financial condition of the Town on December 31, 1951.

The books and accounts of the Town treasurer were examined and checked in detail.

The cash book additions were verified, and the cash balance on February 11, 1952, was proved by reconciliation of the bank balances with statements furnished

by the banks of deposit, by examination of the savings bank books and United States Treasury bills, and by actual count of the cash in the office.

The payments made for maturing debt and interest were verified by comparison with the cancelled securities and coupons on file and with the amounts falling due.

The income, disbursements, and all other trust fund transactions were verified, and the cash balances were proved by reconciliation with statements furnished by the banks in which these funds are deposited.

The books and accounts of the tax collector were examined and checked.

The records of departmental and water accounts receivable were examined and checked.

The outstanding tax, excise, departmental, and water accounts were verified by mailing notices to a number of persons whose names appeared on the books as owing money to the Town, and the replies received thereto indicating that the accounts, as listed, are correct.

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Trust and Investment Accounts

Town Treasurer:

Cemetery Funds (pp. 99-100, Report of 1951)	$20,185.43
Trust Fund Commissioners (pp. 112-121, Report of 1951)	208,441.78
deCordova Directors (p. 50, Report of 1951)	13,193.04
deCordova Trustees	
A	147,683.19
B	1,478,249.07
deCordova Executors	7,020.70
	$1,874,773.21

Town Bonds $608,000.00
(p. 97-8, Report of 1951)

Treasurer's Report

During 1952 a total of $387,000 of General Funds of the Town were received from many sources. The largest items were:

Taxes paid by owners of property in Lincoln	$261,000
State and Federal welfare subsidies	32,000
Lincoln's share of State Corporation and personal Income Taxes	33,000
State aid for School expenses	$31,000

Expenditures for 1952 (exclusive of school construction payments) totalled $370,000. The major expenditure items were:

School operations	$148,000
Highways	48,000
Debt maturities and interest	47,000
Welfare aid	41,000

Despite the appropriation of $36,000 from Surplus by the Town for 1952 expenditures our Surplus at the end of 1952 was higher than a year earlier, totaling over $118,000, of which approximately $96,000 was "Available Surplus" (free cash). This was due to substantially larger receipts than had been estimated when setting the tax rate — more Motor Vehicle Excise taxes, State and Federal aid, interest income, etc. Also certain unneeded Reserves were transferred to Surplus by Town vote, and $7,000 of departmental appropriations were not spent.

For several years a considerable portion of our Surplus has been deposited in savings banks. Since this policy was adopted nearly $10,000 of interest has accumulated in these accounts of which $2,000 was earned in 1952. Also in 1952 about $2,700 income was earned by keeping much of the unspent portions of the School Addition borrowing in U. S. Treasury bills.

The exact amounts of receipts, expenditures and the year-end balance sheet follows. All figures are subject to adjustment by the State auditors.

Several years ago the State adopted an assistance program for towns faced with new school building requirements. Provided the new facilities meet the standards set up by the School Building Assistance Commission, a portion of the gross cost is paid by the State. Both the New School and the Addition have been approved as qualifying. The State subsidy is not paid in a lump sum but is spread over the period of borrowing entered into by the Town to provide the funds to build. Due to various delays the necessary documents covering the New School did not get to the Commission until late in 1952 where they are now being checked. We should receive in the next few weeks the amounts for 1949 - 1952 inclusive, and later this year the 1953 installment The annual installment will exceed $4,000 Eventually we will receive nearly as much again on account of the School Addition.

The volume of work in handling the Town's finances is substantial. Unlike many towns Lincoln has no Town Accountant, and all accounting services are provided through the Treasurer's Office. In 1952 nearly 4,000 checks were drawn and distributed. Some 87 separate commercial and savings bank accounts were maintained for General Funds, the Water Department, the Cemetery Commissioners, 36 Cemetery Perptual Care Funds, and 19 trust funds. Approximately 140 persons received compensation from the Town and payroll records including withholding taxes, retirement funds and Blue Cross were handled for these persons. Innumerable reports of various kinds were prepared and submitted to Town, County and State officials in addition to the usual amount of conferences and correspondence. All this work was accomplished by two part-time persons with a small amount of extra clerical help.

FREDERICK B. TAYLOR, *Treasurer*

Treasurer's Report, Calendar Year 1952

January 1, Balance	$489,383.84

Receipts

Anti-Rabies Dog Clinic		76.00
Board of Appeals		110.00
Board of Health		431.80
Cemetery, Digging Graves		363.00
City of Cambridge, Taxes		730.39
Collector of Taxes		261,525.81
Interest and Costs		270.45
Concord Court Fines		278.55
deCordova School Equipment Trust Fund Income		705.70
deCordova, audit refund		100.00
Highways, Local		50.15
Machinery		200.00
Inspectors, Building, Plumbing and Wiring		488.50
Interest on Deposits		4,868.01
Library Fines		305.00
Massachusetts, Commonwealth of:		
Chapter 90, 1951	$5,995.62	
1952	999.04	
Income Tax	14,052.77	
Corporation Tax	19,086.73	
Highways, Snow Removal	263.25	
Licenses	8.00	
Old Age Assistance	17,401.91	
a/c Loss of Taxes	545.23	
Meals Tax	1,332.69	
School Aid, Ch 70	17,801.19	
H. S. Transportation	12,915.50	
Tuition of Children	633.12	
Veterans' Benefits	276.25	
		91,311.30
Miscellaneous, Licenses, etc.		117.50
Middlesex County, Dog Tax		736.13
Care and Killing of Dogs		149.50
Highways, Chapter 90		4,496.83
Old Age Assistance Refunds		1,740.01
Recovery		2,059.79
Planning Board		18.00

Schools, Grammar School Fund Income	34.26
Tuition	352.00
Damage	88.00
Miscellaneous	19.50
Town Clerk, Dog Licenses	913.60
Town Hall Rentals	61.00
U.S.A. Old Age Assistance	13,803.01
U.S.A. Old Age Assistance Adm.	581.52
U.S.A. Aid to Disabled	90.00
U.S.A. Aid to Disabled Adm.	1.16
Total Receipts	$876,460.31

Payments

Selectmen's Orders (see detail)	$654,487.67
Massachusetts, Commonwealth of:	
State Parks and Reservations	541.29
Auditing Municipal Accounts	488.33
Middlesex County:	
1952 Tax	11,324.76
Dog Licenses	910.00
Tuberculosis Hospital	2,237.36
Total Payments	$669,989.41
Balance in Banks	206,470.90
	$876,460.31

DETAIL OF 1952 DISBURSEMENTS

	Carried Forward from 1951	1952 Income Reserved for Special Purposes	Appropriated in 1952	Transfer from Reserve	Total Available for Expenditure	Amount Expended in 1952	Balance Accruing To Surplus	Balance Carried Forward To 1953
GENERAL GOVERNMENT:								
Selectmen								
1. Salaries of Selectmen....			600.00		$600.00	$600.00		
2. Salary of Clerk.....			1,760.00		1,760.00	1,760.00		
3. Supplies and Miscellaneous			395.00		395.00	393.34	1.66	
Treasurer								
4. Salaries			400.00		400.00	400.00		
5. Clerical help.....			250.00		250.00	227.50	22.50	
6. Supplies and Miscellaneous			288.00		288.00	242.96	45.04	
Collector of Taxes								
7. Salary			1,600.00		1,600.00	1,600.00		
8. Supplies and Miscellaneous			400.00		400.00	298.74	101.26	
Clerk								
9. Salary			350.00		350.00	350.00		
10. Supplies and Miscellaneous			60.00		60.00	40.47	19.53	
Assessors								
11. Salaries			550.00		550.00	550.00		
12. Clerical			325.00		325.00	324.00	1.00	
13. Supplies and Miscellaneous			569.00		569.00	525.99	43.01	

	Carried Forward from 1951	1952 Income Reserved for Special Purposes	Appropriated in 1952	Transfer from Reserve	Total Available for Expenditure	Amount Expended in 1952	Balance Accruing To Surplus	Balance Carried Forward To 1953
Auditor								
14. Salary			50.00		50.00	50.00		
Legal								
15. Counsel			500.00		500.00	500.00		
Election and Registration								
16. Salaries			450.00	10.00	460.00	460.00		
17. Supplies and Miscellaneous			505.00	34.94	539.94	539.94		
Town House								
18. Janitor			2,620.00	7.87	2,627.87	2,627.87		
19. Fuel			900.00		900.00	798.12	101.88	
20. Repairs			600.00		600.00	548.49	51.51	
21. Supplies and Miscellaneous			1,308.00		1,308.00	820.32	487.68	
Planning Board								
22. Consultant			150.00		150.00		150.00	
23. Supplies and Miscellaneous			150.00		150.00	93.23	56.77	
Finance Committee								
24. Supplies and Miscellaneous			15.00		15.00	10.00	5.00	
Total for General Government					14,847.81	13,760.97		

DETAIL OF 1952 DISBURSEMENTS — Continued

	Carried Forward from 1951	1952 Income Reserved for Special Purposes	Appropriated in 1952	Transfer from Reserve	Total Available for Expenditure	Amount Expended in 1952	Balance Accruing To Surplus	Balance Carried Forward To 1953
PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY								
Police Department								
25. Salaries			8,845.00		8,845.00	8,473.54	371.46	
26. Car			1,800.00		1,800.00	1,778.77	21.23	
27. Supplies and Miscellaneous			4,074.00		4,074.00	4,057.01	16.99	
Fire Department								
28. Salaries			300.00		300.00	300.00		
29. Labor at fires			3,500.00		3,500.00	2,982.00	518.00	
30. Operation of Equipment			1,900.00		1,900.00	1,693.57	206.43	
31. Supplies and Miscellaneous			925.00		925.00	907.28	17.72	
Tree and Moth Department								
32. Insect control			2,000.00		2,000.00	1,989.99	10.01	
33. Dutch Elm disease control and removal			3,000.00		3,000.00	856.53	144.97	1,998.50
34. Poison Ivy control			500.00		500.00	500.00		
Board of Appeals								
35. Clerical help			100.00		100.00	75.30	24.70	
36. Supplies and Miscellaneous			200.00	100.00	300.00	251.80	48.20	

	Carried Forward from 1951	1952 Income Reserved for Special Purposes	Appropriated in 1952	Transfer from Reserve	Total Available for Expenditure	Amount Expended in 1952	Balance Accruing To Surplus	Balance Carried Forward To 1953
Inspectors of Buildings Plumbing and Wiring								
37. Salaries, fees and transportation			500.00	88.12	588.12	588.12		
38. Supplies and Miscellaneous			50.00		50.00		50.00	
Civil Defense								
39. Clerical			260.00		260.00	162.50		97.50
40. Supplies and Miscellaneous			1,240.00		1,240.00	710.05		529.95
Total for Protection of Persons and Property					29,382.12	25,326.46		
HEALTH AND SANITATION								
Board of Health								
41. Salaries of Nurses			2,340.00		2,340.00	2,340.00		
42. Supplies and Miscellaneous			680.00	54.85	734.85	734.85		
Inspector of Animals								
44. Salary			100.00		100.00	100.00		
Total for Health and Sanitation					3,174.85	3,174.85		

DETAIL OF 1952 DISBURSEMENTS — Continued

	Carried Forward from 1951	1952 Income Reserved for Special Purposes	Appropriated in 1952	Transfer from Reserve	Total Available for Expenditure	Amount Expended in 1952	Balance Accruing To Surplus	Balance Carried Forward To 1953
Highways								
45. Chapter 90 Construction	8.71		10,000.00		10,008.71	6,655.81		3,352.90
Chapter 90 Maintenance			3,000.00		3,000.00	2,997.12	2.88	
46. Wages			13,500.00	1,341.40	14,841.40	14,841.40		
47. Machinery, Repairs and Maintenance			3,550.00	836.57	4,386.57	4,386.57		
Highway Machinery Fund	1,241.16	200.00	1,650.00		3,091.16	1,624.90		1,466.26
48. Supplies and Miscellaneous			13,375.00		13,375.00	12,233.18	1,141.82	
49. Street Lights			5,895.00		5,895.00	5,788.28	106.72	
Total for Highways					54,597.84	48,527.26		
Aid to Citizens								
50. Old Age Assistance	2,844.06	13,803.01	28,000.00		44,647.07	36,419.88		8,227.19
51. Aid to Dependent Children	115.31		500.00		615.31	192.40	307.60	115.31
52. Aid to Disabled		90.00	2,750.00		2,840.00	2,583.10	166.90	90.00
53. Public Welfare			250.00		250.00	168.00	82.00	
54. Old Age Assistance Adm.	167.54	581.52	600.00		1,349.06	1,231.86	34.30	82.90
55. Veterans' Aid			1,500.00		1,500.00	203.50	1,296.50	
Aid to Dependent Children Adm.	6.62				6.62	2.39		4.23

Aid to Disabled Administration		1.16	10.00	11.16	11.14		.02
Total Aid to Citizens				51,219.22	40,812.27		
Education							
56. Salaries			85,085.00				
57. Transportation			16,445.00				
58. Tuition and Voc. Education			29,666.00	148,472.00	148,471.77	.23	
59. Equipment Supplies and Miscellaneous			17,276.00				
New School Construction	365.33			365.33	46.45		318.88
New School Addition	368,629.68			368,629.68	300,361.73		68,267.95
Library							
60-63. Salaries, Books, Supplies, repairs and miscellaneous		736.13	5,200.00	5,936.13	5,911.84	24.29	
Total for Education				523,403.14	454,791.79		
Recreation							
Ballfield and Summer Playground							
64. Salaries and Wages			1,250.00	1,250.00	1,222.93	27.07	

DETAIL OF 1952 DISBURSEMENTS — Continued

	Carried Forward from 1951	1952 Income Reserved for Special Purposes	Appropriated in 1952	Transfer from Reserve	Total Available for Expenditure	Amount Expended in 1952	Balance Accruing To Surplus	Balance Carried Forward To 1953
65. Supplies and Miscellaneous			610.00		610.00	605.50	4.50	
Total for Recreation					1,860.00	1,828.43		
Cemeteries								
66. Salaries, Maintenance and interments			2,550.00		2,550.00	2,498.35	51.65	
67. Supplies and Miscellaneous			117.00		117.00	32.55	84.45	
68. Cemetery Permanent Improvement	885.42				885.42			885.42
Total for Cemeteries					3,552.42	2,530.90		
Unclassified								
69. Middlesex County Pension Fund			1,546.00		1,546.00	1,545.52	.48	
70. Town Reports			1,242.15		1,242.15	1,242.15		
71. Rent of Dump			375.00		375.00	375.00		
72. Insurance			6,816.00		6,816.00	5,732.03	1,083.97	
73. Rental of Hydrants			3,135.00		3,135.00	3,135.00		
74. Reserve Fund ($4,000 available)								
Preservation of Town Records	150.00				150.00			150.00

Building Code Committee	492.00				492.00	296.75		195.25
Revision of Town By-Laws	150.00				150.00			150.00
Speed zoning	700.00				700.00	484.29		215.71
Union Health District	100.00				100.00			100.00
Unpaid 1951 bills			1,886.19		1,886.19	1,886.19		
Land damages			1,500.00		1,500.00			1,500.00
Fire Station Site			3,000.00		3,000.00			3,000.00
Memorial Day			225.00		225.00	150.58	74.42	
Town Report Committee			100.00		100.00			100.00
Refunds. Real Estate Tax		473.45			473.45	473.45		
Motor Vehicle Tax		773.78			773.78	773.78		
					22,664.57	16,094.74		
Town Debt								
75. Bond Maturities			37,000.00		27,000.00	37,000.00		
76. Interest on debt			10,640.00		10,640.00	10,640.00		
Total Debt Service					47,640.00	47,640.00		
Grand Totals	375,855.83	16,659.05	357,353.34	2,473.75	752,341.97	654,487.67	7,006.33	90,847.97

FREDERICK B. TAYLOR, *Treasurer*

GENERAL FUND, DECEMBER 31, 1952

Assets

Concord National Bank		$40,270.82
Day Trust Company		85,653.12
First National Bank of Boston		3,708.82
Arlington Five Cents Savings Bank		4,626.59
Belmont Savings Bank		4,254.52
Beverly Savings Bank		4,419.27
Boston Five Cents Savings Bank		4,136.45
Brockton Savings Bank		4,569.52
Brookline Savings Bank		2,319.04
Cambridge Savings Bank		4,849.16
Charlestown Savings Bank		5,121.56
East Bridgewater Savings Bank		4,577.00
Franklin Savings Bank		4,695.91
Home Savings Bank		4,661.20
Institution for Savings in Roxbury		4,609.33
Lowell Institution for Savings		2,262.23
Lynn Five Cents Savings Bank		4,634.06
Malden Savings Bank		2,297.79
Natick Five Cents Savings Bank		1,183.93
Newton Savings Bank		4 695.94
North Avenue Savings Bank		2,346.86
Warren Institution for Savings		1,839.37
Whitman Savings Bank		4,738.41
		$206,470.90
Taxes, Interest to be Added		$13,439.67
Accounts Receivable:		
State and County, Chapter 90		4,991.85
Commonwealth of Massachusetts @ O.A.A.		3,012.78
Total Assets		$227,915.20

Liabilities and Surplus

Dog licenses, due County		$5.40
Old Age Assistance recovery, due others		2,059.79
Road Machinery Fund		1,466.26
Federal grants for public welfare:		
Old Age Assistance	$8,277.19	
Old Age Assistance Administration	82.90	
Aid to Dependent Children	115.31	

Aid to Dependent Children Administration	4.23	
Aid to Disabled	90.00	
Aid to Disabled Administration	.02	8,569.65
Grammar School Fund income		34.26
deCordova School Equipment Fund income		705.70
Overlay Reserves:		
1951	$241.70	
1952	2,163.91	2,405.61
Unexpended appropriation balances:		
Elm Tree removal	$1,998.50	
Civil Defense	627.45	
Chapter 90 highway construction	3,352.90	
New School construction	318.88	
School Addition construction	68,267.95	
Cemetery improvements	885.42	
Town Report Committee	100.00	
Preservation of Town records	150.00	
Building Code Committee	195.25	
Revision of Town By-Laws	150.00	
Speed zoning	215.71	
Union Health District Committee	100.00	
Land damages, Wildes	1,500.00	
Fire station site	3,000.00	80,862.06
Overlay Surplus		13,638.33
General Funds Surplus:		
Receivables reserved until collected	$21,444.30	
Available Surplus ("free cash")	96,723.84	118,168.14
Total Reserves and Surplus		$227,915.20

OUTSTANDING DEBT

$160,000	School Building Loan, 1¾ %, due $10,000 each December 1, 1953 - 1968, issued under Chapter 208, Acts of 1948.
70,000	School Building Loan, 1¾ %, due $5,000 each December 1, 1953 - 1958, and $4,000 each December 1, 1959 - 1968, issued under Chapter 44, General Laws as amended.
24,000	Highway Equipment Building Loan, 1¾ %, due $4,000 each December 1, 1953 - 1958, issued under Chapter 44, General Laws as amended.

237,000	School Building Loan, 1¾ %, due $13,000 each December 1, 1953 - 1961, and $12,000 each December 1, 1962 - 1971, issued under Chapter 356, Acts of 1951.	
80,000	School Building Loan, 1¾ %, due $5,000 each December 1, 1953 - 1956, and $4,000 each December 1, 1957 - 1971, issued under Chapter 44, General Laws as amended.	

SCHOOL MILK FUND

Balance January 1, 1952	$175.52	
Receipts	1,728.87	
		$1,904.39
Payments		1,630.16
December 31, 1952, Balance on Deposit		$274.23

SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Balance January 1, 1952	$129.07	
Receipts	70.93	
		$200.00
Payments		100.00
December 31, 1952, Balance on Deposit		$100.00

WATER DEPARTMENT REPORT

For the Year Ending December 31, 1952

January 1, Balance		6,095.08

Receipts

Operating:		
Rates, 1950	$100.00	
Rates, 1951	729.60	
Meter, 1951	14.58	
Rates, 1952	21,128.02	
Meter, 1952	669.27	
Water Connections	2,475.00	
Rent of Hydrants	3,135.00	
Miscellaneous	114.00	
		28,365.47
		$34,460.55

Expenses

Salaries	$4,725.00	
Labor	4,958.10	
Meters	7,814.71	
Equipment	2,717.09	
Supplies and Maintenance	6,993.24	
Services and Equipment Rental	1,325.24	
Power	2,701.86	
Miscellaneous	387.29	
Legal and Engineering	25.00	
Stickel Suit	1,750.00	
		33,397.53
December 31, Balance on Deposit		1,063.02
		$34,460.55

FREDERICK B. TAYLOR, *Treasurer*

CEMETERY INVESTMENT FUND

Cash Account

Receipts of 1952:	
Proceeds of sale of Cemetery lots	$535.00
Interest on savings bank deposit	186.22
	$721.22
Less amount deposited in Middlesex Institution for Savings	535.00
Cash balance at December 31, 1952	$186.22

Savings Bank Deposit at December 31, 1952

Middlesex Institution for Savings	$7,150.99

Report of the Collector of Taxes

1952		Committed	Paid	Abated	Outstanding 12/31/1952
Poll		$1,560.00	$1,282.00	$278.00	None
Personal		18,553.57	17,309.63	307.13	$936.81
Real		216,511.48	206,778.15	2,204.10	7,529.23
Excise		29,413.83	26,112.86	466.56	2,834.41
1951					
Poll Balance January 1, 1952		8.00	8.00	.....	None
Personal Balance January 1, 1952		313.72	105.60	66.00	142.12
Real Balance January 1, 1952		6,664.88	4,118.38	576.40	1,970.10
Excise Balance January 1, 1952					
Excise Balance January 1, 1952	$1,870.42				
Commitment January 3, 1952	1,300.00				
Commitment February 4, 1952	1,822.97	4,993.39	3,057.91	1,935.48	None
1950					
Personal Balance January 1, 1952		778.00	778.00	.....	None
Real Balance January 1, 1952		2,159.28	1,975.28	184.00	None
Excise Balance January 1, 1952		188.23	.....	188.23	None

Interest

1952	$33.02
1951	99.31
1950	138.12
Total	$270.45

WATER

	Committed	Paid	Deductions and Abatements	Outstanding 12/31/1952
1952	$25,090.77	$21,797.29	$2,268.65	$1,024.83
1951 Balance January 1, 1952	762.58	744.18	6.90	11.50
1950 Balance January 1, 1952	100.00	100.00	.....	None

WILLIAM H. DAVIS, Collector of Taxes

Assessor's Report

The Board feels that the citizens of the Town would appreciate a general statement as to how their property is valued for assessment purposes.

For many years the Board has used a system of comparison with one ultimate objective — that every building and parcel of land be fairly assessed in ratio to the other property in Town. Though "sound" or "market" value is not the sole guide, it will be noted that assessments run somewhere in the vicinity of 30% of sale value —a figure lower than in surrounding towns. Due consideration is given to type of construction, quality, age, condition, location and other factors. A card file is maintained listing this and other pertinent information such as Registry of Deeds book and page numbers, room count, and comparative houses. The Board is constantly improving this file. In recent years under-assessed properties have been raised and over-assessed properties lowered. This procedure will continue until, in the opinion of the Board, every property is valued in proper relation to every other.

To help clarify the Table of Aggregates the Board makes note of the following:

1. Under Real Estate, $43,100.00 is levied against the North Eastern Gas Transmission Co.
2. Under Personal Estate, Stock in Trade, $143,666.00 is levied against Boston Edison Co., and $85,000.00 against Boston Consolidated Gas Co.
3. Under Personal Estate, all other Tangible Personal Property, $64,650.00 is levied against New England Tel. & Tel. Co.
4. Under Personal Estate, Machinery, $450.00 is against New England Tel. & Tel. Co., and $2,800.00 against Western Union.

Thus it can be seen that, after removing the above public utilities, the Town has very little assessed personal property.

Attention is called to the following items:

1. All real estate and personal property abatement requests must be filed by October 1st of the year in question, according to law.
2. The Board meets regularly the first Tuesday of every month in the Town House, at 8:00 P.M.
3. Veterans with 10% or more disability, holders of the Purple Heart award, and others, may qualify for a tax exemption. Please contact the Board to see if you qualify.

The Board extends its sincere appreciation to the citizens of the Town for the spirit in which they have received our visits which, of necessity, often come at inconvenient times. The Board welcomes any helpful comments and urges all property owners to feel free to discuss their assessments at any regular meeting.

GEORGE G. TARBELL, Jr., *Chairman*
ARTHUR W RICE, Jr.
G. ARNOLD WILEY

The Board of Assessors submit the following report for the year 1952:

Computation of Tax Rate

Total Town appropriation to be raised by Taxation	$346,184.25
Total appropriation to be taken from available funds in 1951	53,675.00
in 1952	49,438.09
State Parks and Reservations	497.08
State Audit of Municipal Accounts	439.70
County Tax	13,248.69
1951 underestimate	458.44

Tuberculosis Hospital Assessment	3,004.21	
1951 underestimate	526.07	
Overlay of current year	5,419.70	
Gross amount to be raised		$472,891.23

Estimated Receipts and Available Funds

Income Tax	$21,055.15	
Corporation Taxes	11,195.60	
Reimbursement on account of publicly owned land	529.40	
Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise	25,000.00	
Old Age Tax (Meals)	629.14	
General Government	1,000.00	
Protection of Persons and Property	300.00	
Health and Sanitation	600.00	
Charities	1,000.00	
Old Age Assistance	17,000.00	
Schools	8,500.00	
Libraries	200.00	
Water	38,779.00	
Cemeteries	500.00	
Interest	1,900.00	
State Assistance for School Construction	4,500.00	
City of Cambridge, Tax	700.00	
Amount voted to be taken from free cash in 1951	53,675.00	
in 1952	49,438.09	
Overestimates of previous year	57.42	
Net amount to be raised by Taxation		$236,558.80
Poll Tax	$1,560.00	
Personal Property Tax	18,553.50	
Real Estate Tax	216,218.93	
		$236,332.43

Table of Aggregates

Number of Persons Assessed:		
On Personal Estate only		54
On Real Estate only		692
On both Personal and Real Estate		32
Total number of persons assessed		778
Number of Polls assessed		780
Value of assessed Personal Estate Stock in Trade	$235,566	

Machinery	46,125	
Live Stock	63,359	
All other Tangible Personal Property	67,250	
Total value of assessed Personal Estate		$412,300.00
Value of assessed Real Estate Land	1,112,300.00	
Buildings exclusive of Land	3,692.565.00	
Total value of assessed Real Estate		4,804,865.00
Total valuation of assessed Estate		$5,217,165.00
Tax Rate per $1,000.00	$45.00	
Number of Live Stock assessed:		
Horses (1 year or over)	41	
Cows (1 year or over)	217	
Heifers	84	
Swine	400	
Sheep	6	
Fowl	5,119	
All other	6	
Number of Acres of Land assessed		8,271.91
Number of Dwelling Houses assessed		678.00

NOTE: For the Valuation List January 1, 1952, see Appendix.

GEORGE G. TARBELL, Jr., *Chairman*
ARTHUR W. RICE
G. ARNOLD WILEY

Report of Commissioners of Trust Funds

For the information of those reading this report, the investment of Town Trust Funds under the supervision of the Trust Fund Commissioners is now restricted by law to certain types of savings deposits and bonds or notes legal for savings banks in Massachusetts.

The present securities held in the Town Trust Funds, in the opinion of the Commissioners, were purchased in conformity with the law. They reflect the rates prevailing on legal securities during the war years, and the recent purchase of some legal securities other than United States Government Bonds.

As the pattern of interest rates becomes established and as opportunity presents, the Commissioners will consider the propriety of withdrawing savings bank deposits or selling United States Government issues and purchasing with the proceeds legal corporation bonds to improve income.

At the April 16, 1952, meeting of the Commissioners the sum of one hundred dollars was appropriated from the income of the Donald Gordon Recreation Fund towards the cost of a band for the Fourth of July celebration and twenty-five dollars for Fourth of July prizes. Of this amount only $26.25 was spent by the Fourth of July Committee, and the balance remains in the Donald Gordon Recreation Fund income account.

On the request of the Committee to improve the Town Report, the Commissioners have included under certain of the individual funds a few words describing their purpose. The balance of the Commissioners' report will be found in the statistical section at page 233. A brief summary of these figures, prepared by the Town Auditor, appears on a following page.

The Commissioners are mindful of the fact that a digest is incomplete, frequently misleading, and at best a poor substitute for the original instrument to which the reader in each case is referred.

Summary of Purposes of Trust Funds
Managed by the Commissioners of Trust Funds
Town of Lincoln, 1952

NOTE: The full text of the controlling documents can be found in the Town publication, "Wills and Deeds", which is available at the Town House.

John H. Pierce, Hospital and Park

Decreed October 8, 1947, that the Town of Lincoln is authorized to use the income as follows:

(a) So much thereof as the Selectmen shall consider advisable for maintenance for (Pierce) park purposes;

(b) From the remainder provide hospital treatment for such inhabitants of Lincoln as the Selectmen deem deserving;

(c) From the remainder thereof to provide such medical and nursing care and treatment as the Board of Health of the Town may recommend and the Selectmen approve for such inhabitants of Lincoln as the Selectmen deem deserving, including dental care and treatment for school children, etc.

(See Decree of Court)

Abbie J. Stearns, Aid to the Silent Poor

". . . the interest and income shall be paid over (not to Town paupers) but to that class of honest temperate men and women who work hard or are prudent and economical and yet find it difficult to make both ends meet."

(See Will)

Julian de Cordova, School Equipment

The income to be available for providing and maintaining equipment for public schools in the Town.

(See Indenture dated April 27, 1936)

Joseph Brooks, Grammar School

"Lincoln, April 10, 1761. The Legacy given by Mr. Joseph Brooks to the Town of Lincoln the interest thereof to be improved for the maintenance of a school in the Town, the principal upon April 10, 1761, being £388-10-5."

Charles S. Smith, High School Building

". . . toward the building of a new schoolhouse on or in connection with land heretofore given by me to the Town. Said building shall provide accommodations for a high school . . ."

(See Will)

George F. Bemis, Lecture

". . . the income of which shall be used to provide an annual course of public lectures in said Hall (the Town House) of an instructive and elevating character . . ."
(See Will)

Donald Gordon, Recreation

". . . the annual net income thereof to be expended for the recreation or amusement of the townspeople."
(See letter June 28, 1923)

Library

Julia A. Bemis — for the use of the Library, especially salaries.
Elizabeth and Leland Burr Memorial — for the purchase of books.
Ogden Codman — for the use of the Library.
Hugh Anthony Gaskill Memorial — for children's books.
Hattie Hoar Howard — for the use of the Library.
David W. Mann — for the use of the Library.
John H. Pierce — for augmenting salaries.
George Russell — for the use of the Library.
Abbie J. Stearns — for the purchase of books.
Abbie J. Stearns, special for the purchase of books.
C. Edgar and Elizabeth S. Wheeler — for the purchase of books.
George G. Tarbell — for the purchase of books.

SUMMARY OF TRUST FUNDS

Managed by the Commissioners of Trust Funds

Town of Lincoln, 1952

(Prepared by Town Auditor from figures appearing in the Appendix)

Funds	Cash and Securities Dec. 31, 1951	Income	Expense	Cash and Securities Dec. 31, 1952
John H. Pierce Hospital and Park	$41,010.65	$5,059.93*	$5,547.83	$40,522.75
Abbie J. Stearns	2,927.03	76.58	.....	3,003.61
de Cordova School Equipment	25,001.50	705.70	705.00	25,001.50
Grammar School	25,001.50	105.70	705.70	25,001.50
Charles S. Smith High School	1,217.52	34.26	34.26	1,217.52
George F. Bemis Lecture	89,003.17	1,422.26†	4.00	90,421.43
Library	32,392.20	909.67	913.11	32,388.76
Donald Gordon Recreation	11,618.49	285.05	218.74	11,684.80
	5,271.22	129.87	26.25	5,374.84
Totals	$208,441.78	$8,623.32	$7,449.89	$209,615.21

* This figure excludes $397.00 growth in Redemption Value, U.S. Savings Bonds.

† This figure excludes $1,342.82 growth in Redemption Value, U.S. Savings Bonds.

CLEMENT C. SAWTELL, *Chairman*
LEONARD C. LARRABEE
HENRY DeC. WARD
Commissioners of Trust Funds
Town of Lincoln

Finance Committee Recommendations for 1953

The Finance Committee recommends that the Town appropriate for general purposes the several separately numbered items detailed in the list attached hereto aggregating $385,015.

This aggregate of $385,015. recommended compares with total expenditures for similar general purposes in 1952 of $339,298. an increase of $45,717. or 13.47%.

The Committee also recommends an appropriation of $28,475. to be taken from the Water Works Treasury for the Water Department, a reduction of $4,923. from the expenditures for 1952.

A comparison between the actual expenditures in 1952 for the ten major categories into which our expenditures are divided, and the sums recommended by our Committee for those purposes for 1953, shows that seven of them need more and three need less than was spent last year. Education (schools and library), of course, shows the greatest increase and is the only category in which the increase exceeds $1,500.

As was to be expected, schools show the greatest increase in the specific appropriation recommended for 1953 over the 1952 expenditures, namely, $47,207. or 31.79%. The following is a more detailed breakdown.

	Expended 1952	Recommended 1953	Increase	%
Salary	$83,716.	$104,333.	$20,617.	24.63
Transportation	18,584.	28,689.	10,105.	35.22
Tuition and Vocational Ed.	27,233.	31,875.	4,642.	17.04
Equip., Supplies and Miscellaneous	18,938.	30,781.	11,843.	62.54
Total	$148,471.	$195,678.	$47,207.	31.79

Since every additional $5,200. of appropriations to be raised by taxation adds $1 to the tax rate, it is perhaps

fortunate for our 1953 rate that a substantial drop in expenditures for highways and citizens aid is expected, that a large part of the increase for school transportation will be refunded by the State, and that the first State reimbursement for upwards of 20 per cent of the school bonds (first issue) which have been paid, is expected soon. However, it is doubtful if the peak of school expenses has yet been reached. The breaks in favor of our tax rate for 1953 are of a non-recurring nature.

The following table shows the trend in the last few years of the percentage figures that the school appropriation bears to the total general purpose appropriations of the same year. The figures deal with appropriations and not expenditures.

	Percentage, not including school bond retirements and interest, as school expense	Percentage, including school bond retirements and interest, as school expense
1943	38.5	38.5
1949	37.7	46.5
1950	40.8	48.5
1951	43.7	50.4
1952	41.0	53.
1953	50.9	62.

The major decreases in appropriations recommended in comparison with 1952 appropriations are:

Item 43	Chapter 90- Highways	$4,000
48	Public Welfare	9,000

The Committee made the following transfers from the Reserve Fund during the year:

Highway Machinery— Repairs	$836.57
Highway Salaries— Lack of Chap. 90 work	1,341.40
Board of Appeals— Increased Postage	100.00
Town House— Salary	7.87
Election and Registration— Special Town Meeting	44.94
Inspectors (Bldgs., etc.) Additional Inspections	88.12

Board of Health	
Increased Expense	54.85
Total	$2,473.75

Without the appropriations at the Special Town Meeting of $2,500. for Aid to Disabled and $2,000 for Dutch Elm Disease Control, the $4,000. Reserve Account would not have been sufficient for the unforseen expenses.

The unexpended appropriations accruing to surplus aggregated $7,006.33, and unexpended appropriations which carry forward and do not require reappropriation aggregate $21,449. The details appear in the Treasurer's Report.

We recommend the appropriation of $30,000. from free cash for bond retirement, and $6,500. as an advance on Chapter 90, Road Construction and Maintenance.

Your elected officers and the departments under their charge, we believe, have served the town well and have made judicious use of the appropriations available.

Much of the top responsibility for the town's business is shouldered by citizens to whom no payment or only token payment is made but who contribute competence not to be measured by any salary we can expect to pay based on service rendered. They deserve the thanks of the Townspeople.

In our opinion, the recommended appropriations make entirely adequate provision for carrying on the public business of the Town for the year 1953.

Respectfully submitted,

F. WINCHESTER DENIO, *Chairman,*
LELAND A. WILDES, *Secretary,*
WILLIAM N. PAGE
THOMAS L. ROUNER
PAUL L. NORTON
Finance Committee.

SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF 1952 AND RECOMMENDATIONS FOR 1953

	Expenditures 1952		Recommendations 1953	
GENERAL GOVERNMENT				
Selectmen				
1. Salaries	$600.00		$600.00	
2. Clerks	1,760.00		$2,250.00	
3. Supplies and Miscellaneous	393.34		750.00	
		$2,753.34		$3,600.00
Treasurer				
4. Salaries	400.00		400.00	
5. Clerical	227.50		500.00	
6. Supplies and Miscellaneous	242.96		288.00	
		870.46		1,188.00
Collector of Taxes				
7. Salary	1,600.00		1,800.00	
8. Supplies and Miscellaneous	298.74		630.00	
		1,898.74		2,430.00
Clerk				
9. Salary	350.00		300.00	
10. Supplies and Miscellaneous	40.47		50.00	
		390.47		350.00
Assessors				
11. Salaries	550.00		550.00	
12. Clerical	324.00		500.00	
13. Supplies and Miscellaneous	525.99		334.00	
		1,399.99		1,384.00

SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF 1952 AND RECOMMENDATIONS FOR 1953 — Continued

	Expenditures 1952		Recommendations 1953	
Auditor				
14. Salary		50.00		50.00
Legal				
15. Counsel		500.00		500.00
Election and Registration				
16. Salaries	460.00		275.00	
17. Supplies and Miscellaneous	539.94		270.00	
		999.94		545.00
Town House				
18. Janitor	2,627.87		2,568.00	
19. Fuel	798.12		800.00	
20. Repairs and Maintenance	548.49		700.00	
21. Supplies and Miscellaneous	820.32		900.00	
		4,794.80		4,968.00
Planning Board				
22. Consultant	.....		.....	
23. Supplies and Miscellaneous	93.23		300.00	
		93.23		300.00
Finance Committee				
24. Dues		10.00		10.00
TOTAL FOR GENERAL GOVERNMENT		13,760.97		15,325.00

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Police				
25. Salaries	8,473.54		10,125.00	
26. Car	1,778.77		700.00	
27. Supplies and Miscellaneous	4,057.01		2,850.00	
		14,309.32		13,675.00
Fire Department				
28. Salaries	300.00		300.00	
29. Labor at Fires	2,982.00		3,500.00	
30. Operation, Supplies and Equipment	2,600.85		2,825.00	
		5,882.85		6,625.00
Tree and Moth Department				
31. Insect Control	1,989.99		2,000.00	
32. Dutch Elm Control	855.03		1,700.00	
33. Poison Ivy Control	500.00		500.00	
		3,345.02		4,700.00
Board of Appeals				
35. Clerical	75.30		250.00	
36. Supplies and Miscellaneous	251.80		300.00	
		327.10		550.00
Inspectors of Building, Plumbing and Wiring				
37. Salaries and Transportation		588.12		600.00

SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF 1952 AND RECOMMENDATIONS FOR 1953 — Continued

	Expenditures 1952		Recommendations 1953	
Civil Defense				
38. Clerical	162.50			.....
39. Supplies and Miscellaneous	710.05			.....
* No additional appropriation necessary.		872.55		*
TOTAL FOR PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY		25,324.96		26,150.00
HEALTH AND SANITATION				
Board of Health				
40. Salaries of Nurses	2,340.00		2,340.00	
41. Supplies and Miscellaneous	734.85		855.00	
		3,074.85		3,195.00*
Inspector of Animals				
42. Salary		100.00		100.00
TOTAL FOR HEALTH AND SANITATION		3,174.85		3,295.00
* $560 to be paid by School Department, not included.				
HIGHWAYS				
43. Chapter 90		9,652.93		*9,000.00
General Highways				
44. Wages	14,841.40		14,000.00	
45. Machinery Repairs and Maintenance	4,386.57		5,300.00	

46. Supplies and Miscellaneous	12,233.18		11,200.00	
47. Street Lights	5,788.28		6,084.00	
		37,249.43		36,584.00
TOTAL FOR HIGHWAYS		46,902.36		45,584.00

* State and County share of $6,500 to be taken from Free Cash and returned to Free Cash when received.

AID TO CITIZENS

48. Public Welfare	30,943.50		20,000.00	
49. Public Welfare Administration	575.70		750.00	
50. Veterans' Aid	203.50		500.00	
		31,722.70		21,250.00
TOTAL AID TO CITIZENS		31,722.70		21,250.00

EDUCATION

Schools

51. Salaries	83,716.47		104,333.00	
52. Transportation	18,583.72		28,689.00	
53. Tuition and Vocational Education	27,233.17		31,875.00	
54. Equipment, Supplies and Miscellaneous	18,938.41		30,781.00	
		148,471.77		195,678.00

Library

55. Salaries	3,837.50		4,270.00	
56. Books	773.92		1,175.00	

SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF 1952 AND RECOMMENDATIONS FOR 1953 — Continued

	Expenditures 1952		Recommendations 1953	
57. Supplies and Miscellaneous	957.83		910.00	
58. Repairs	342.59		295.00	
		5,911.84		*6,650.00
TOTAL FOR EDUCATION		154,383.61		202,328.00

* $400 to be taken from Library Trust Funds and $685.64 Dog Tax.

RECREATION

Ballfield and Summer Playground

59. Salaries and Wages	1,222.93		1,400.00	
60. Supplies and Miscellaneous	605.50		643.00	
		1,828.43		2,043.00
TOTAL FOR RECREATION		1,828.43		2,043.00

CEMETERY

61. Salaries, Maintenance and Interments	2,498.35		2,650.00	
62. Supplies and Miscellaneous	32.55		118.00	
		2,530.90		2,768.00
TOTAL FOR CEMETERY		2,530.90		2,768.00

UNCLASSIFIED

63. Middlesex County Pension Fund	1,545.52		2,009.80	
64. Town Reports	1,242.15		1,200.00	

65. Rent of Dump	375.00		375.00	
66. Insurance	5,732.03		6,500.00	
67. Rental of Hydrants	3,135.00		3,195.00	
		12,029.70		13,279.80
TOTAL FOR UNCLASSIFIED		12,029.70		13,279.80
RESERVE FUND				
68. (To be taken from Overlay Surplus)		2,473.75		6,000.00
TOWN DEBT				
69. Bonds	37,000.00		37,000.00*	
70. Interest on Bonds	10,640.00		9,992.50	
		47,640.00		46,992.50
TOTAL FOR TOWN DEBT		47,640.00		46,992.50
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		339,298.48		
TOTAL RECOMMENDATIONS				385,015.30
WATER WORKS		33,397.53		
From Water Works Treasury				28,475.00

* $30,000 to be taken from Free Cash.

Protection of Persons and Property

Report of the Police Department

The Police Department now consists of three regular officers, twenty-three special officers and two radio equipped cruisers. The radios are in connection with the Concord Police Department. The resuscitator, purchased at last year's Town meeting, is carried in one of the cruisers at all times and is always available for any case of respiratory disorder.

For the benefit of old and new residents alike the following information will be of value when calling for the police. The Lincoln Police telephone number, as listed in your telephone directory, is Lincoln 6-0174. Since this line has four extensions, in most cases your call will be answered. However, in case of an emergency and there is no answer on this line, simply inform the telephone operator that it is an emergency call, who you are, where you are and the nature of the emergency. The operator will contact the Concord Police who will in turn contact the Lincoln Police via radio. This service given by the Lincoln telephone office is definitely beyond their regular line of duty and is a service for which all residents of the Town should be most thankful.

Your Police Department is on twenty-four hour duty and is always ready to serve you.

I wish to extend my thanks to the local telephone operators and to the Concord Police Department for their help and cooperation throughout the past year.

The following report includes all arrests made within the Town of Lincoln during the past year.

Arrests by Lincoln Police	51
Arrests by State Police	50
Total number of arrests	101
Crimes against the Person:	
Assault and Battery	1
Crimes against property:	
Breaking and Entering and Larceny	4
Breaking glass	1
Larceny under $100.00	2
Using motor vehicle without authority	1
Crimes against Public order, etc.:	
Delinquency	2
Drunkenness	11
Escapee	6
Vagrancy	1
Violation of Game Laws	2
Violation Governors Proclamation closing woodlands	4
Violation Motor Vehicle Laws	66
Violations Motor Vehicle Laws reported to the Registrar of Motor Vehicles	34
Motor Vehicle Accident Report:	
Accidents reported	83
Occupants injured	60
Pedestrians injured	1
Fatal accidents	1
Summonses served for other Police Departments	81

Respectfully submitted,

LEO J. ALGEO, *Chief of Police.*

Report of Board of Fire Engineers

The Department responded to 86 alarms during the calendar year of 1952. To better visualize the distribution of these calls, they have been listed below by type of fire and the quarter of the year in which they were recorded:

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Total
Brush	6	13	8	7	34
Chimney	1	3		2	6
House	1				1
Dump	1	3	3	2	9
Auto	1	1	1	1	4
Oil Burner	2		1	1	4
"CD" Test	1				1
Miscellaneous	3	5	11	7	26
False	1				1
				Total Fires	86

The total property loss for the year amounted to $1,000. Although the operation costs of the Department indicated an unexpended balance in the labor account as estimated for 1952, we have recommended that the budget for 1953 be increased by $100 in the operation of equipment account, in order that better maintenance of the fire apparatus be assured.

During 1952 the Department added 500 feet of booster hose to its equipment. We have also replaced the two Civilian Defense medical kits and in their place have two

fire department type first aid units. The following list represents the call men assigned to the Fire Department:

E. MacLeod
W. Porter
E. Teabo
D. Todd
L. Todd
R. Malloy
R. Gormley
J. Knowles
W. Meriam (provisional)
J. Cotoni
C. Smith
A. Davis, Jr.
J. Algeo
Frank Gordon Jr. (Armed Services)
C. C. Wood
W. Doherty
E. Murphy
C. Bradley
A. Brooks
H. Lawson
F. Campobasso
J. Campobasso
D. Spooner
W. Dean
F. Gordon
C. Lahnstein
O. C. Wood, Jr.

A. J. DOUGHERTY, *Chief*
C. K. FITTS, *Clerk*
JOSEPH TRACEY,
Board of Engineers

Report of the Inspector of Animals

The following animals have been inspected:

Cows, 2 years and older	209	Steers	12
Heifers, 1 - 2 years	66	Horses	33
Heifers, under 1 year	66	Goats	2
Bulls	10	Sheep	5
		Swine	1,136

I have found the animals to be under the rules and regulations of the Division of Livestock Disease Control and have supplied the Division of Livestock Disease Control with a list of the owners and the number and kind of animals on the premises.

There is an epidemic among swine which is somewhat similar to the foot and mouth disease among cattle, but no case has been reported in Lincoln.

Eight dog bites were reported, six of these by local dogs, another by a dog that could not be located; the eighth bite was by an unlicensed Concord dog, and Concord took action against the owner of the animal.

ANDREW J. DOUGHERTY
Inspector of Animals

Civil Defense Agency

The Lincoln Civil Defense Agency was placed on a standby basis during the year. Certain unfinished organizational projects carried forward from 1951 were completed. All divisions, with the exception of traffic, have now been organized. The latter awaits final agreement on inter-town arrangements before volunteers to fill the posts will be recruited.

No appropriation is being asked in 1953. In 1952, $872.55, out of an allotment of $1,500.00, was expended. It is estimated that for the current year basic expenses will run about $375.00 for communications, $200.00 for clerical assistance, and $150.00 for supplies and material. This sum can be taken from the unexpended balance of the 1952 appropriation, with any overdraft coming from the Selectmen's fund.

The present policy is to continue on a standby basis, with a minimum of expenditure, to conform with the emergency laws still on the books.

ROBERT H. BOOTH, *Director*

Report of the Tree Warden

The Tree Warden's duties are established by State law and consist primarily of care of the public shade trees and control of Dutch elm disease. He has sole control of the shade trees, that is trees along the public ways, in parks, and on other Town owned property, including trimming, spraying, removal, and planting.

In the control of Dutch elm disease, he must detect infection and see to the removal of infected trees. Any infected trees on public ways or Town property are to be removed by his department or under his direction.

He has authority to order the owners of other infected trees to remove them and the power to enforce his orders.

Resitox D-25, a liquid D.D.T., was used in both the general foliage spray to control the gypsy moth in late May and June and in the August spraying of the roadside elms. A five hundred dollar increase in the appropriation is being requested for 1953 so that the work may be done more thoroughly.

A survey of all elm trees visible from the road was made this year to check on Dutch elm disease. Samples were cut from 97 suspects and the Shade Tree Laboratory at the State College confirmed 73 as being infected, 45 on private property and 28 on public ways. Pursuant to vote and appropriation at the Special Town Meeting in November, all were removed at public expense with the exception of a few on private property which the owners preferred to destroy themselves. More infection will appear in 1953. All residents of the Town are urged to report to the Tree Warden anything of a suspicious nature in elm trees so that samples may be sent for analysis promptly.

Spraying of poison ivy along the roadsides was carried on in July with good results. A continuation of this program is recommended.

In order to do a timely and efficient job, the Moth Department will need a new sprayer of greater capacity and a second-hand truck on which to mount it. The present sprayer will be used for poison ivy work, replacing the inefficient and worn out equipment now available for that purpose.

I wish to thank the members of the Police Department for their prompt notification of storm damage, and the members of the Highway Department for their cooperation and help.

Respectfully submitted,

DANIEL A. MacINNIS, JR.,
Tree Warden

Health and Welfare

Report of the Board of Health

In March of 1952, the Board of Health held its first meeting and voted to continue the duties of its members as of the previous year. Mrs. Nancy Hurd resumed her secretarial duties; Mr. Flint, member of the Nursing Committee; and Dr. Donaldson, chairman. Mrs. Ober was again appointed agent, and Mr. William Davis, burial agent. Mr. Andrew Dougherty was asked to continue as Inspector of Animals, and Dr. Alden Russell, Inspector of Slaughtering.

In May of 1952 various licenses were renewed or granted: sale of wood alcohol, 5; maintenance of piggeries, 4; home for the aged, 2; convalescent home, 1; overnight cabins, 1; sale of oleomargerine, 1; slaughtering of poultry, 1.

As required by State law, various diseases have been reported to the Board of Health by attending physicians: Measles, 305; chicken pox, 34; dog bite, 10; whooping cough, 4; mumps, 3; poliomyelitis, 3. The procedure for handling the problem of dog bite has been outlined in the reports of the past two years, and no changes have been made. Although advances have been made in the laboratory in the understanding of poliomyelitis, the best practical preventive in the summer months remains the avoidance of undue physical exhaustion and excessive sweat-

ing or chilling. Quarantine was not established last summer, and none is justified in the present knowledge of poliomyelitis. Physical rest and avoidance of strenuous exertion with playmates, particularly in the week or two after exposure to the disease, does seem rational; and this will be encouraged in the ensuing year.

On May 3, 152 dogs attended the Dog Clinic and were innoculated against rabies. The clinic will again be held this year at the Town Barn; and this seems to be the logical time to license dogs with the Town Clerk, as well as protect your dog against rabies and yourself from law suits. Due notice will be sent dog owners well in advance of this clinic in May.

We were fortunate again in having Dr. John Davies conduct the Well Child Conference in a series of eleven clinics held at regular intervals through the year. These check-up clinics are open to all, and a minimal charge is made for preventive innoculations of various types. Twenty-nine babies under one year, 47 children between the ages of one and four, and 82 in the immediate preschool age group, four to six, were presented for general physical examination.

The Dental Clinic continued its active pace in the past year. The general policy in this clinic was outlined in the Town Report of 1951. In June Dr. Harold Ehrlich was called into military service, and we were fortunate in securing Dr. David Farrell from the Harvard Dental School. After six years of training in medical and dental work at school, he comes very highly recommended, and has gained the confidence of his children patients and the respect of those who have worked with him.

The possibility of adding fluorine to the Town water supply has temporarily been tabled. It is still recommended as the best preventive of tooth decay, particularly if begun in infancy and continued for ten or twelve years, but some have felt that more data regarding its drawbacks and dangers in a rural community should be accumulated before it is used extensively.

The Board has continued its interest in the Union Health movement, and the members have attended meetings in company with the special committee appointed by the Moderator to explore this program. As in any new legislation, certain flaws have been uncovered and reports from the State House indicate that steps are afoot to make this law, effective as of 1959, more applicable and helpful to towns similar to Lincoln. A previous report discusses this projected law in more detail. Among other worthwhile features, the Union Health organization would provide a Sanitation Officer, shared by Lincoln with one or more other towns. At the present time the Board feels such an officer with special training in this field would be most useful in helping settle various problems which seem to appear with increasing frequency. It is felt that shortly a part time Sanitation Officer might be acquired, regardless of the immediate future of the Union Health Law.

Finally, some garbage nuisances continue to exist about Town, and we would call new residents' attention to the collection route conducted by Mr. Joseph Cotoni. It is hoped that an individual contract arrangement may be worked out whereby home-to-home garbage collection at regular intervals may be made for an annual fee.

NANCY HURD
WARREN FLINT
GORDON DONALDSON, M.D.

Report of the Nursing Committee

The Nursing Committee of the Town is made up of three members: one from the School Committee, one from the Board of Health, and one from the Town at large It is the purpose of this Committee to work with the Community Nurse on those problems which she encounters in her work throughout the Town

At the present time Mrs Ober, our Community Nurse, as an agent of the Board of Health covers all the public nursing needs of the Town, as well as the school health program, which she directs in her capacity as School Nurse Mrs. Ober's duties under the direction of the Board of Health include bedside nursing, social welfare work, supervision of the Well Child Conference which Dr. Davies so ably conducts, registration of the Water Safety Class which the American Red Cross sponsors at Lake Walden, one morning and one afternoon a week as assistant to Dr. David Farrell at the Dental Clinic, assistance with the annual Dog Clinic, and conference attendance.

Owing to the rapid growth of the Town — population has increased from about 1,500 to over 2,400, and the elementary school population has increased from 118 to 483 since Mrs. Ober took this position twenty years ago — the time is fast approaching when one person will no longer be able to meet the demands. In an effort to apportion her time for maximum efficiency, Mrs. Ober is seeking to adhere to a more rigid schedule than has been the custom in the past. Barring exceptional circumstances, the majority of her mornings will be spent at the school, and the afternoons devoted to community nursing and the clinics. It is also suggested that persons trying to reach Mrs. Ober leave their names for a return telephone call, thus eliminating insofar as possible evening and week-end business calls. It is possible that

some relief may be secured through volunteer assistance with routine duties. It is the suggestion of the Nursing Committee that our increasing public nursing needs be considered in any appraisal which the Town may make of the Union Health Program currently under study.

	1951	1952
Total number of calls	1,769	1,890
Medical	790	1,164
Surgical	205	119
Pre-natal	49	35
Post-natal	12	24
Child Welfare	294	233
Well Child and Dental Clinic	251*	247
Social Welfare	42	97
Board of Health	78	92
Out of town (hospitals, conferences, supplies, etc.)	48	33
Fees collected†	$445.75	$751.55

* Well Child Conference only.

† Includes all fees: nursing calls, dental, Well Child Conference.

Mrs. Ober reports that during the past year the school faculty and the bus drivers all received chest X-rays.

Again this year, as in the past, the Town has been fortunate in getting Miss Bates to substitute for Mrs. Ober during the latter's vacation in August.

LUCY BYGRAVE
ALBERTA FRADD, *Secretary*
WARREN FLINT, *Chairman*

Report of the Committee on Old Age Assistance and Public Welfare

Fundamentally the aim of the public assistance program is, through financial assistance and service, to meet the basic needs of those people who are unable to meet them through their own efforts or resources. Closely related to this aim is the responsibility to help people recognize and make full use of all their resources and capacities, as well as all available community resources, in meeting their problems and maintaining themselves in the most self-reliant way possible to them. Public assistance agencies are set up by the community as a whole to make sure that all members of the community have the means for adequate and healthy living. If the individual cannot obtain this from his own resources or through his own efforts, it is the responsibility of the public assistance agency to provide the means. The agency also has the added responsibility of helping the individual, within his abilities, to develop his resources and increase his efforts toward meeting his requirements.

There are now four categories of Public Assistance, namely Old Age Assistance, Aid to Dependent Children, Aid to Disabled, and Public Welfare. The Federal Government and the State contribute to the first three categories and for this reason there are certain rules and regulations, established by them, that must be carried out in order to receive reimbursement under these programs.

Following is a summary of expenditures and receipts in all categories.

Old Age Assistance:

Gross Cost	$36,419.88
Federal Government	13,803.01
Commonwealth of Massachusetts	17,401.91

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Meals Tax	1,332.69
Other Cities and Towns	1,740.01
Cost to Town of Lincoln	10,419.45
	$44,697.07
Balance in Federal Grants account, reserved for Old Age Assistance	8,277.19
	$36,419.88

The Old Age Assistance case load has been reduced from 42 at the beginning of the year to 37 at the close of the year. For this reason there is a substantial balance held in reserve for Old Age Assistance in the Federal Grants account and a smaller appropriation has been requested for the year 1953.

Aid to Dependent Children:

Gross Cost	$192.40

About 75% of this amount will be re-imbursed by the State and Federal Government.

Aid to Disabled:

Gross Cost	$2,583.10
Federal Government	90.00
	$2,673.10
Balance in Federal Grants account, reserved for Aid to Disabled	90.00
	$2,583.10

Although only $90.00 was received in 1952 75% of the total amount will be re-imbursed by the State and Federal Government.

Respectfully submitted,

M. ELIZABETH CAUSER,
Public Welfare Agent.

Report of the Committee to Study Union Health Departments

The Lincoln Committee, members of the Board of Health, and Mrs. Ober, have continued to meet with similar committees and representatives of Boards of Health of most of the towns mentioned in last year's report. Concord, Lexington, Sudbury and Lincoln representatives have most faithfully attended the meetings this year, but it is hoped that Acton, Bedford, Carlisle, Wayland, Stow and Maynard may be reactivated in the coming months.

Under discussion were Public Health Services already rendered in the various towns, *i.e.*—Sanitary Inspection, Health Units, Nursing Services, Well Child Clinics, and all measures that might be called for under the terms of the Act. Meetings are always open to anyone interested in attending.

There has been discussion during the fall of 1952 about new proposed amendments to the original Act. These amendments have to do with the compulsory clause and also a proposal providing financial assistance by the Commonwealth for local Health Departments. Since these amendments are scheduled to come before the present Legislature for decision, the Lincoln Committee and those of the neighboring towns are in accord that we should reserve recommendation for action by our towns until we know the results of the proposed amendments.

However, we do recommend again that the Committee be continued in existence for another year, the Moderator being empowered to make such changes in its membership as he may find necessary.

NANCY D. HURD
RICHARD K. CONANT
JEAN M. MURPHY
BRADFORD CANNON
ELLIOTT R. HEDGE

Planning and Public Works

Report of the Lincoln Planning Board

The Planning Board was organized with Alan McClennen, Chairman, and Howard Snelling, Clerk. Activities during the year covered three fields: subdivision control, zoning changes, and general long term planning.

Subdivisions

During the year the following subdivisions were approved:

Robert Pearmain, August 28, 1952, Medina Road, off Trapelo Road;

James A. Carrig, October 22, 1952, Morningside Lane, off Bedford Road.

Several other subdivisions and land problems were considered.

Zoning Amendments

The general amendment to the Zoning By-Law and Map which was passed unanimously by the Town in March, 1951, was never approved by the Attorney General. Upon recommendation of counsel, the Board is re-submitting the matter to the Town in order that it may properly be placed before the Attorney General again. The Board expects that some additional changes will be recommended to the Town.

On May 7, 1952, a public hearing was held on the petition of John O. Wilson and others requesting consideration of a proposal to create a Light Industrial District off the Airport Road. The Board devoted several meetings to the matter. Since the petitioners have not presented the matter to the Town for approval, the Board has taken no further action on it.

On May 7, 1952, a public hearing was held on the petition of Norman Brisson and others for an extension of the business area on North Great Road 544 feet westerly. This area had been considered as suitable for the proposed use when the Board was reviewing the by-law and map in 1950 and 1951. Since the petitioners have not presented the matter to the Town for approval, the Board has taken no further action on it.

Long Term Problems

The Planning Board has been giving some attention to the matter of the reservation of added land under public control. Two possibilities present themselves. The first is active play areas, which, as the Town grows, it may be found desirable to have north of Route 2 and south of the railroad. The second is the desirability of protecting the watershed of Sandy Pond.

The Board, at the request of the Selectmen, has been studying alternative locations for a Town Dump. It is hoped that detailed recommendations may be made at the Town Meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

ALAN McCLENNEN, *Chairman*
HOWARD SNELLING, *Clerk*
WILLIAM T. KING
RICHARD W. EATON
ARTHUR T. HOWARD

Report of Board of Zoning Appeals

The Board of Appeals has met more frequently during 1952 than any previous year.

The primary function of the Board of Appeals is a semi-judicial one. Because the Town of Lincoln is protected by a carefully defined zoning by-law, the Board of Appeals exists to hear appeals by individuals who feel that special circumstances entitle them to relief from a rigid application of the zoning by-law to their particular circumstances.

Each case is thoroughly and fully considered on its individual merits and in relationship to any possible effect not only on an immediate neighborhood but also on the Town as a whole.

Every effort is made by the Board to decide appeals arising under the zoning by-law fairly, impartially, and for the good of the Town as a whole. Of course the Board of Appeals is not an enforcement agency. The Board has no power whatsoever to enforce provisions of the zoning by-laws. Violations of the zoning by-law must be dealt with primarily through individuals and agencies under the Board of Selectmen. Set forth below is a summary of the decisions of the Board.

January 7, 1952

Permission granted to John C. and James J. Canella for extension of a non-conforming use to permit the sale of new and used automobiles on their premises, subject to restrictions set forth by the Board of Appeals and on file at the office of the Town Clerk.

Permission to remove loam from property on Bedford Road granted to James A. Carrig subject to terms and conditions set forth by the Board of Appeals and on file at the office of the Town Clerk.

February 26, 1952

Permission granted to Robert P. Condit to use a Multilith Duplicator in his home on Concord Road.

Permission granted to Joseph Hurd for a variance to permit the construction of a store on Lincoln Road.

Permission granted to Philip Corrigan for a variance to permit the construction of a garage and breezeway on property on Winter Street.

March 10, 1952

Permission granted to Domenic Dominichello for a variance to permit alterations to a building on Mill Street.

Permission granted for one year only to Mary A. and Delia M. Neville to store contractors equipment in a barn and yard on Nelson Road.

Permission granted to Lena Primak for a variance to permit alterations to her property on North Great Road.

March 24, 1952

Permission granted for one year only to W. Newton Nelson to store contractors equipment in a barn and yard on Nelson Road.

Permission granted for one year only to Norman F. Brisson to store contractors equipment in gravel pit off North Great Road.

April 28, 1952

Permission granted to Ferdinand L. Troisi for a variance to permit alterations to his property on Old Sudbury Road.

Permission granted for one year only to Mildred Bowles to rent ponies on her property subject to the approval of the Board of Health and provided that ponies be restricted to her property and not to exceed three in number.

July 16, 1952

Permission granted for one year only to Francis Umbrello to use a trailer on his property on South Great Road for sleeping quarters for hired help, subject to restrictions set forth by the Board of Appeals and on file at the office of the Town Clerk.

Application of Joseph Morrissey for permission to remove loam from his property on Airport Road not acted upon.

Application of Pasquale B. Conti for extension of a non-conforming use not acted upon.

September 9, 1952

Application of Pasquale B. Conti for extension of a non-conforming use denied.

Permission granted to Paul F. Shepard to use a building as a dwelling on Virginia Road.

Application of George Dubina for a variance to permit the use of property on Concord Turnpike for business purposes denied.

Permission granted to Merrill and Hope Hunt to continue the use of their house for two families for a period of one year under section 21 of the zoning by-laws.

Respectfully submitted,

ELLIOTT V. GRABILL
JAMES DeNORMANDIE
HENRY B. HOOVER
CHARLES K. FITTS

Report of the Water Commissioners

Policy of the Board on Extension and Improvement of the System

The Department is run as nearly as possible on a pay-as-you-go basis, no borrowing having been done since well before the War, when the 12" main was laid on Bedford Road. When a sufficient accumulation exists in the Water Works Treasury, a project is undertaken. A strong effort is made to give priority to possible projects in order of their value to the Town as a whole. For instance, the present project is the metering of the Town in an effort to put the charges for water on a fair basis and to eliminate wastage. Since this project, spread over three years, costs some $6,000 a year, and since water works surplus has been used in the efforts to locate a practical new water supply, no important extensions or replacements of pipe can be contemplated for the immediate future.

There are several areas in Town where increased population or the age and small original size of the present pipe would warrant extension or replacement. In making a selection as to which one of these areas to attend to first, the Board must take into consideration a number of factors. Among these are: cost of project in each area (which in turn is a function of the distances involved and the terrain); number of persons served in each area; future population trends in the Town and so on. In addition, decisions must be reached as to whether it is better to complete a smaller project as soon as funds are available or to wait perhaps another year and save toward a larger one. In any event, the Board tries to settle each situation in as logical a manner as possible.

Routine Work

The Commissioners employed a superintendent and two men full time during the year. They operated the pumps, repaired leaks, attended to general upkeep and

repairs, including attention to the hydrants, renewed worn-out services, and installed new ones. This is the routine work of the Water Works. The balance of the time and the balance of income was used in purchasing and installing meters.

The Board intends to follow the same procedure this year.

Regulations Pertaining to the Installation of Sub-Division Water Supply Mains

Regulations and requirements for the guidance of Real Estate developers applying for water connections and for those seeking extension of water mains are on file in the Town Hall and may be examined by request.

The following applications were received and acted upon:

Permain Application

An application for approval of pipe layout on proposed Medina Road in development by Robert Permain off Trapelo Road was granted after due examination and discussion.

Moscza Application

Mrs. Anna Moscza desired Town water for a distance of about 1,400 feet along the cutoff from the corner of Route 2-A and Brooks Road. The State Highway Commission will not issue permits to individuals for such work on State property, so the Town, through the Water Commissioners, with protection by contract, surety and indemnity bonds, acted as intermediary and granted the permit. This extension was completed last November and practically became the property of the Water Works. It may be accepted by the Town upon approval and recommendation of the Water Commissioners, after the two year maintenance by the contractor has expired.

James C. Carrig Application

An application from James C. Carrig (for approval) of a pipe layout to bring water to subdivisions on Shea

and Taylor Farms, was approved after Mr Carrig agreed to abide by the Water Works Regulations which included the requirements that he connect the proposed main in the Taylor subdivision with that at corner Route 2-A and Old Bedford Road.

Burkett Application

Mr. D. M. Burkett of Cambridge applied for water for a house to be built on Page Road approximately 704 feet beyond the terminus of the Town main. He was advised that according to the regulations of the Water Works, the main might be extended at his expense under Water Works supervision.

Water Waste or Leak Survey

There are extremely emphatic indications that much more water is pumped than is accounted for by consumption. The reservoir was tested for leaks and appears tight. In order to locate leaks in the pipe system the Commissioners recommend accepting the current proposal from the Pitometer Company to make a "Water Waste Survey," which includes the following:

Details of Work to Be Done

The term "Pitometer Water Waste Survey" will include the following:

FIRST: A test of the high lift pumps for slip or efficiency, if practicable, and a measurement of the total consumption.

SECOND: A division of the distribution system into each districts, and a measurement of the flow into each district throughout the twenty-four hours.

THIRD: Further investigation in all districts where excessive waste is indicated, for the purpose of locating all underground leaks of the mains and services large enough to be measured with the Pitometer. These tests will also result in determining those sections where waste

is occurring, due to leaking plumbing fixtures, so that house-to-house inspections may be made by the Town under the supervision of our engineer, if desired.

FOURTH: A check on all large industrial consumers for the purpose of detecting the unauthorized use of unmetered water, through fire lines or otherwise, and a test of all commercial and industrial meters larger than three inches in diameter in place, wherever feasible, either by direct or indirect measurements with the Pitometer.

FIFTH: At the completion of the survey a report of the work in detail will be submitted, accompanied by a map showing the boundaries of each district, the location of all gauging points, and charts showing the variation of flow into each district.

COST OF ENGINEERING SERVICES: We will undertake such a survey for the sum of Fifteen Hundred ($1,500.00) Dollars, this sum to include the services of our engineers, their living and traveling expenses, and the use of the necessary Pitometers.

COOPERATION BY THE TOWN: The Town will furnish and set corporation cocks at the points designated by our engineers, supply competent labor for operating valves and repairing leaks, construct and furnish shelter boxes for the protection of our instruments, and furnish transportation necessary for properly conducting the Survey.

TERMS OF PAYMENT: Payments will be made in the following manner:

One-third when the Town has been divided into districts and the flow into each district measured with the Pitometer.

One-third when the field work has been completed.

The remaining one-third when the report has been submitted and accepted.

Respectfully submitted,

THE PITOMETER COMPANY, INC.

By: E. D. CASE, *President*

ADDITIONAL WATER SUPPLY

The Commissioners, through the efficient efforts of Representative Russell, were successful in having the following House Bill No. 1151 passed.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

In the year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty-two.

An act relating to the disposition of certain property now used for water supply purposes in or adjacent to the Town of Lincoln.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

Section 1. In the event that the City of Cambridge or any officer or board acting under its authority, shall determine to sell, lease, abandon or otherwise dispose of its property or rights or any portion thereof lying in or adjacent to the town of Lincoln, and included in the water basin commonly called the Hobbs Brook reservoir, or in any stream or tributary connected with said reservoir, and lying in or adjacent to said town or shall be authorized or directed by the Commonwealth so to do, no such sale, lease, abandonment, or other disposition shall become effective until said Town of Lincoln, through its Board of Selectmen and its Board of Water Commissioners shall have been notified by registered mail of such intended disposition, and until said property lying in or adjacent to said Town of Lincoln shall have been offered to said town for purchase, lease or acquisition otherwise for water supply or other municipal purposes. Such notice of intention and offer shall be made by the City of Cambridge as above provided not less than one year previous to the date when such intended sale, lease, abandonment or other disposition is planned to become effective. In case any such transaction is proposed to be carried out by authority of or by direction of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts or of any board or commissioner acting under it, notice of intention as above provided shall be issued in the same manner by the Secretary of the Commonwealth.

ESTIMATES, 1953

The following budget is estimated and recommended for passing:

Salaries	$4,725.00
Labor	6,000.00
Meters, Equipment Supplies and Maintenance	10,000.00
Services and Equipment Rental	1,350.00
Power	3,000.00
Miscellaneous	400.00
Legal and Engineering	3,000.00
	$28,475.00

STATISTICS — January 1, 1953

Pipe in use	29.254 in
Number of hydrants in use	213
Number stop-gates in use	271
Number blow-offs in use	27
Range of pressure on mains	40 - 100 lbs.
Total gallons pumped	150,000,000
Number of services added	37
Number services renewed	18
Number services in use	696
Number meters in use	11

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY S. WARNER, *Secty.*
ROBERT W. SCOTT
SUMNER SMITH, *Chairman*

Report to the League of Women Voters on the Town Water Supply

By

DR. CHARLES H. BLAKE

The Water Commissioners consider the following report, prepared for the League of Women Voters, so valuable that it is being printed herewith for future reference and for the information of the Town. It is the result of very thorough work performed by Dr. Blake and his collaborators. It contains expert opinion and its conclusions are a guide to the plans of the Commissioners.

Stimulated by a general public lack of comprehension of the Town water system, the Lincoln League of Women Voters in the early fall of 1951 set up a project to remedy the situation.

A number of citizens have contributed to the technical side of this study, notably C. P. Kindleberger, E. P. Neumann, E. S. Taylor, Harland Newton, and F. S. Taylor. Under the chairmanship of Mrs. Charles Kubik, a number of members of the League have been most helpful. Finally and very importantly, the Board of Water Commissioners have been ever ready to provide us with data and to discuss the problems which arose. Prof. Rolf E iassen discussed some points at length with E. S. Taylor and C. H. Blake. All these persons deserve the warm thanks of the League and the Town.

The study fell rather naturally into two major divisions, the physical and the financial.

PHYSICAL

Typical questions which arise under this head are: What does the physical plant in Lincoln consist of? How much water do we use? How long will the present sources of suppy be adquate?

General Description — At present, Lincoln gets its entire water supply from Sandy Pond. When Sandy Pond is full the surface area is 156 acres. The water shed from which the water flows into Sandy Pond has about three times this area. The capacity of Sandy Pond when it is full is 729,000,000 gallons. If all of this water could be used and no rain fell, it would be approximately sufficient to supply the Town for four years at the present rate of consumption. However, the intake to the pump is located eight feet below the high water level and only 329,000,000 gallons or about two years of storage is available. This is assuming that none of the water in Sandy Pond is being used by Concord. Up to 1948 Concord used less than 20% of the amount of water that Lincoln took out of Sandy Pond. However, in 1949, Concord used nearly as much water from Sandy Pond as did Lincoln. This was presumably due to some changes being made in the Concord water system, and in 1950 Concord's draw from Sandy Pond was about one-third of Lincoln's.

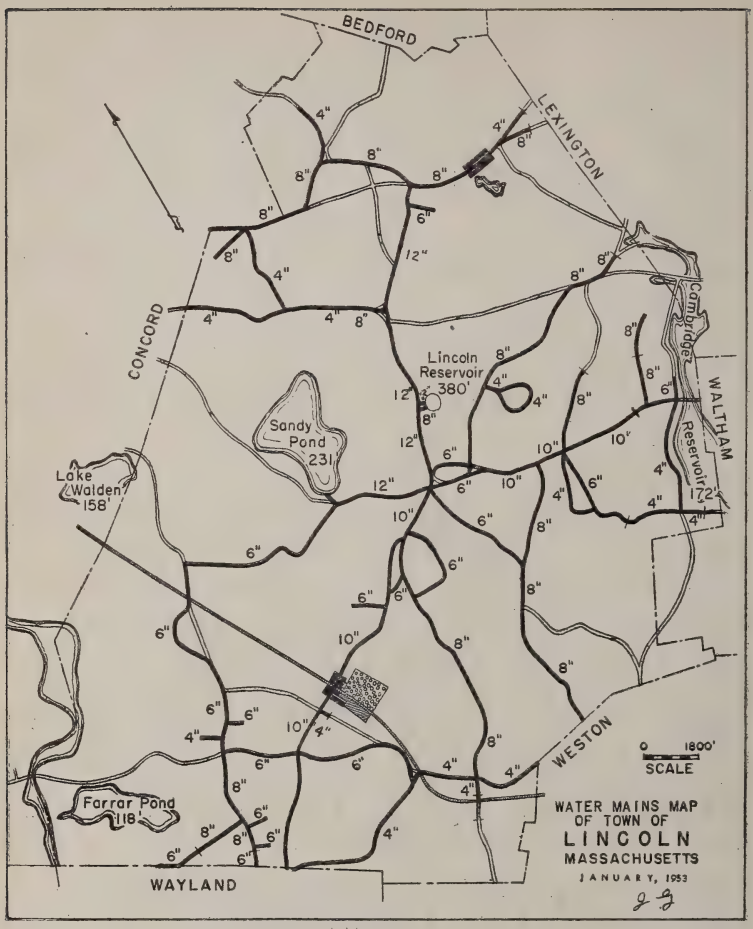
In a normal year approximately 41 inches of rain falls in this area. This means that 512 million gallons of water fall on the water shed which supplies Sandy Pond. About 45% of this is pumped out of Sandy Pond by the combined Lincoln and Concord pumping systems. (45% would be about 230 million gallons.) The rest is lost, presumably by evaporation, transpiration from the trees, and leakage through the ground. Since the pond has not overflowed in recent years, it seems reasonable to believe that this is the maximum amount of water which can be pumped out of the pond without reducing its level. If the level is reduced, somewhat less water is lost by evaporation.

Lincoln has two pumps which take water from Sandy Pond and put it into the main supplying the Town. Only one of these pumps is run at any one time. The other pump is held in reserve in case of mechanical failure. In case of electric failure, one pump is arranged so that it can be driven by a gasoline engine. When the pumps are operating, any excess of water pumped, over the amount immediately used by the Town, goes to a storage

basin (the reservoir) located on Bedford Road. When the pumps are not operating, the Town is supplied from this storage basin. The capacity of this storage basin is about three days supply at the normal rate of use in the Town. This basin (or reservoir) also has the important function of "storing" pressure. A 12-inch pipe leads from the pump on Sandy Pond Road to the basin on Bedford Road. If this pipe were clean, it would have adequate capacity to handle the flow from both pumps. However, the pipe has been in use for some time and is partially filled with deposits. Its present capacity is about equivalent to a 10-inch pipe and is just about adequate to take care of the discharge from one pump. This pipe thus forms one of the bottlenecks in the Lincoln water supply. At present it limits the rate at which water can be pumped out of Sandy Pond.

The accompanying map gives a rather complete picture of the water mains now in service in Lincoln. As a generality, we may say that the smaller the main, the longer it has been in use. The policy of the Water Board is to make replacements with 8-inch pipe or larger. The quantity of pipe replaced varies somewhat from year to year. In an average year rather more than one third of the Water Department's income goes into replacements and additions. The partition between these two categories of new pipe would hardly be expected to be fixed, *i.e.*, the proportion of new pipe laid which is additional to the system varies from year to year.

Water Consumption — Owing to the fact that there are only 12 meters on the individual services in the Town of Lincoln (December 1951), one can give figures only on how much water has been pumped. At the present time there are approximately 640 services in the Town. A service is defined as an individual connection to a water main. The figures that follow, then, will be based upon the amount of water pumped per service. A large water meter at the pumping station records the rate at which water is pumped and gives a total of the amount pumped. This meter has been checked against the specifications on

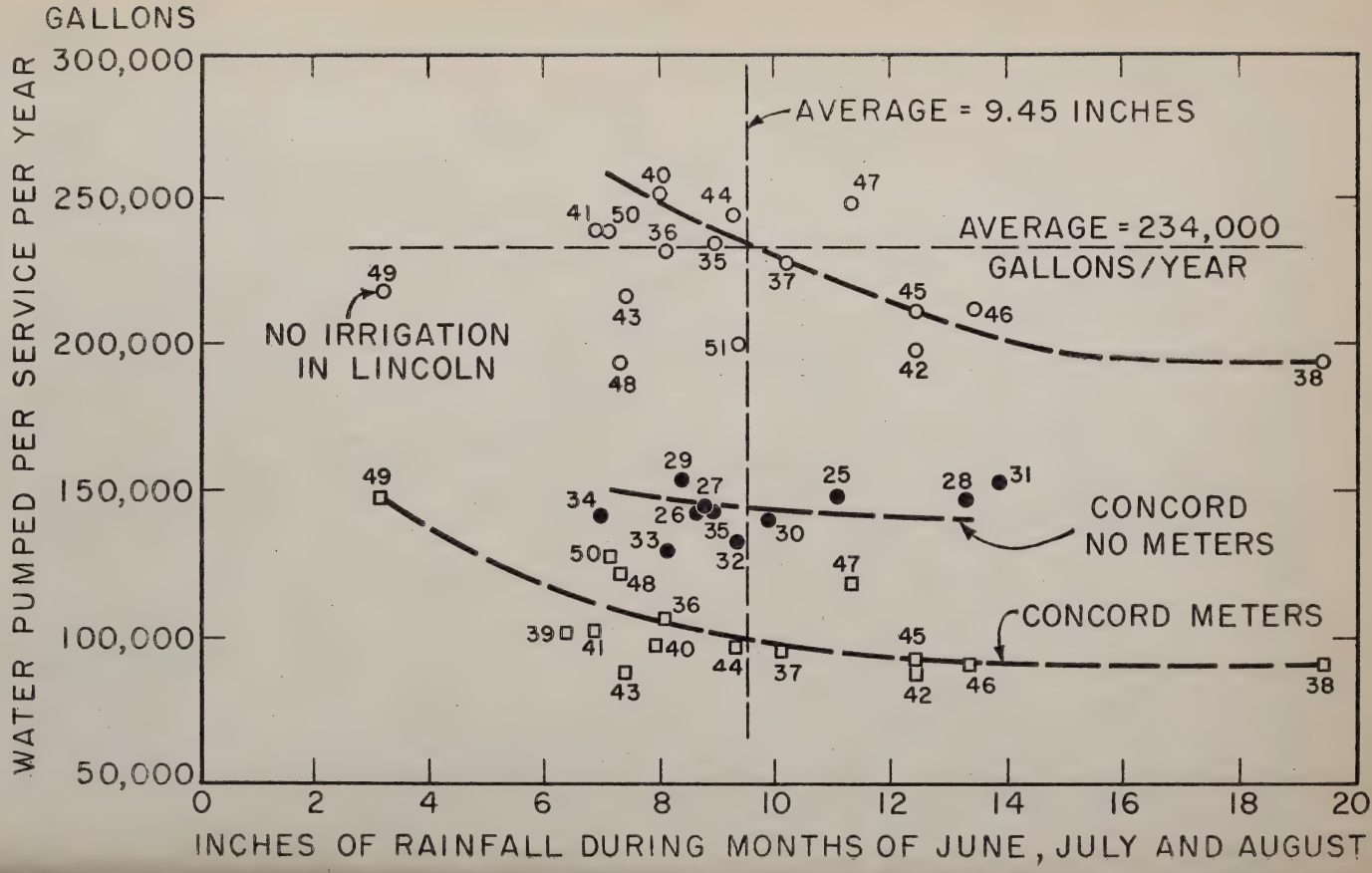


the pump and found to be adequate for our present purposes of estimation. A figure for the *average* amount of water pumped per service over the past 17 years is 230,000 gallons per service per year. It is interesting to note that this figure of 230,000 gallons per service per year compares with a figure of 100,000 gallons per service per

year for Concord, and approximately the same for the town of Wellesley. The towns of Wellesley and Concord have had individual water meters in operation for a number of years. In order to achieve some idea of the influence of water meters on consumption, data was acquired for 17 years in Concord when the Town had meters on all services and these figures were compared with the previous 15 years when Concord had no meters. This evidence, as indicated by the accompanying graph, shows that during the period after Concord installed water meters, the water consumption in the Town was reduced by approximately 28% of its previous value.

Regarding the data on the amount of water pumped in Lincoln over the 17 year period of study, the deviation from the average was about plus or minus 10%. This deviation from the average is largely caused by irrigation and depends primarily on the rainfall during the months of June, July and August. For example, during a very wet summer such as 1938, there would be virtually no irrigation of lawns or gardens. At that time the water consumption was approximately 200,000 gallons per service per year in Lincoln. However, during drier years like 1941, 1940 or 1950, the consumption went up to 240,000 gallons. It is also interesting to note that during 1949, one of the driest years during this 17-year period, the water consumption was only slightly in excess of that for 1938, the wettest year during this period. This indicates that the restriction on irrigation required by the Lincoln Water Department had a very considerable effect. It should also be noted that the inordinately high water consumption for the Town of Lincoln as compared with Concord is not due to irrigation. Information on the Town of Wellesley, which has many lawns, indicates that the monthly rate of water consumption during a dry summer is twice as great during these summer months as during the winter months.

In an attempt to estimate the future demands for water in the Town of Lincoln, the accompanying graphs may be of interest. Note that the growth of Lincoln has been


GALLONS
WATER PUMPED PER SERVICE PER YEAR
300,000
250,000
200,000
150,000
100,000
50,000
0
2
4
6
8
10
12
14
16
18
20
INCHES OF RAINFALL DURING MONTHS OF JUNE, JULY AND AUGUST
AVERAGE = 9.45 INCHES
AVERAGE = 234,000 GALLONS/YEAR
NO IRRIGATION IN LINCOLN
CONCORD NO METERS
CONCORD METERS

virtually constant since 1934 with the exception of the war period when in the years 1941 to 1947 there were virtually no new services added. However, during the period after 1947 and up to the present time, the number of services added has brought us approximately up to the point we would have been had the prewar building rate continued. If one then assumes approximately a constant rate of growth of Lincoln, these figures indicate that the number of services increases approximately 2½% per year. Or putting these same figures in other words, it will be approximately 28 years before the number of services in Lincoln has doubled, if one is willing to assume that the rate of growth is constant.

How long will Sandy Pond be adequate? — No categorical answers can be given to this question. It could be answered with some precision if we knew just how many services would be supplied by the Town on December 31 of each future year. Less precise answers can be given on certain reasonable assumptions:

1. The number of services will not increase at a rate much greater than has been true in the immediate past. This rate can be reevaluated each year.

2. The *average* annual rainfall will not change in the foreseeable future.

3. The average service will not use much more water relative to the actual summer rainfall than has been true in the past.

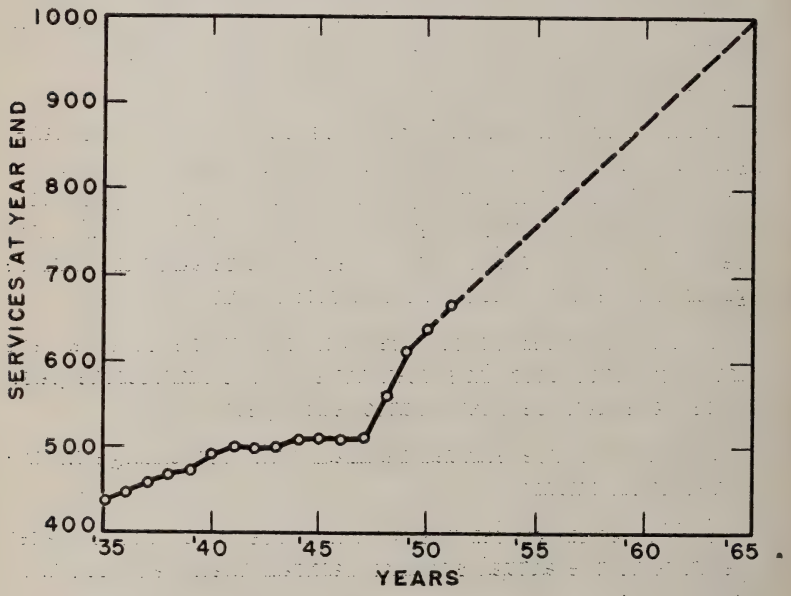
4. Concord's draught on Sandy Pond will not change; for purposes of computation, it is taken as one sixth of Lincoln's.

On the above basis it is estimated that we will be just in balance at the beginning of 1959. However, if metering reduces water consumption by 28% as it has in Concord, the balance date will be at the beginning of 1971. Any further reduction, by repairing leaks in the system, should still further postpone the balance date. It is recommended that a check of the balance date be made each

year. This means also a check of the correctness of the above four assumptions.

Barring a drastic sudden change in conditions, at least two years warning should always be available before the water supply position becomes critical.

Water Meters. — Since the Town is not generally metered, the problem of meters is a rather special one. There are three significant arguments in favor of meters.



1. They appear to be the most equitable way of levying the water rates. This does not mean that the present method is grossly inequitable but it could hardly avoid being in some cases, mildly so, because it allows no scope for inevitable changes in water use by consumers. Such changes certainly occur.

2. In spite of some statements to the contrary, we conclude that meters do result in a somewhat lower use of water. Concord has held its lowered use for 17 years.

3. Meters furnish a continuing check on the integrity of the physical plant. Ideally the total of water through

all the meters should be but little less than the total pumped. Any gross difference would be a symptom of trouble.

A possibly less significant reason for meters is that the General Court is unlikely to reduce the draught from Sandy Pond by Concord until Lincoln is metered.

The cost of buying and installing meters has been conservatively estimated at $50.00 per house, or $35,000 for 700 houses. There were 623 un-metered and 12 metered users at the end of 1950. Some allowance for new services makes 700 houses an appropriate figure for estimation.

If meters were bought and installed serially over a ten year period, the annual cost amounting to $3,500 (on the assumption of unchanged costs) could be met out of current receipts and still leave a safe margin for operating expenses and normal replacement and additions. Any substantial acceleration of this program would seem to require some slowing down of normal replacement or higher rates for water, or moderate borrowing. The Water Department's action in procuring over 100 meters in 1952 as a start on conversion to metered rates has been undertaken without borrowing or much increased rates as part of normal expansion.

FINANCIAL

This section is designed to answer two major questions: Where does the Water Department's income come from? What is this income spent for? The following statement also answers certain other questions.

The accompanying table sets out the record of receipts and expenditures of the Lincoln Water Department for the last 15 years. This record is based on the Department's books which are kept on a cash basis, with no accounting for outstanding receivables or commitments at the end of each year.

Receipts are mainly received from charges for water. The bulk of these is earned on rates based on number

Accounts of Lincoln Water Department -- 1936 - 1950

(in thousands of dollars)

Year	RECEIPTS Charges	Water Connections	Rent Hydrants	Misc.	Total	DISBURSEMENTS Power	Operating Expense Salaries*	Additions Replacements*	Debt Service	Legal and Engineering	Total	Net Receipts + or Disbursements −
1951	21.1	1.9	3.1	0.6	26.8	2.5	1.1	16.3	.....	10.6	30.1	−3.8
1950	19.9	2.1	3.0	*	25.0	2.7	2.5	9.6	.....	3.9	18.6	+6.3
1949	17.2	1.7	3.0	.....	21.9	2.6	2.0	16.6	.....	.....	21.2	+0.7
1948	15.7	.....	3.0	.....	18.7	2.5	2.4	15.8	5.1	.....	25.7	−7.0
1947	16.00	.....	.....	*	16.0	2.3	1.5	23.3	5.1	.....	32.2	+6.2
1946	15.5	.....	.....	.....	15.5	2.1	2.3	4.0	5.2	.....	13.7	+1.8
1945	15.8	.....	.....	.3	16.0	2.0	1.4	1.4	5.3	.....	10.1	+6.0
1944	15.6	.....	.....	.1	15.7	1.4	2.2	0.9	5.3	.....	9.8	+5.8
1943	15.7	.....	.....	.5	16.2	1.9	1.9	0.4	5.4	.....	9.5	+6.6
1942	14.4	.....	.....	.2	14.6	1.0	2.9	2.5	5.4	.....	11.8	+2.8
1941	15.1	*	.....	.4	15.5	2.2	1.4	6.3	5.5	.....	15.4	.....
1940†	13.9	.1	.....	.6	14.6	2.0	1.9	1.8‡	5.6	.....	11.2	+3.4
1939†	7.8	.....	.....	1.1	8.9	1.8	1.6	3.8‡	5.2	.....	12.4	−3.5
1938†	12.7	.....	.....	.1	12.8	1.7	2.2	11.5‡	.....	.....	15.4	−2.6
1937	15.4	.....	.....	*	15.4	1.9	1.5	6.1	.....	.....	9.6	+5.8
1936	15.9	.....	.....	*	15.9	2.4	1.4	5.8	.....	.....	9.6	+6.3
AVERAGES												
'46-'50	16.9	.8	1.8	.....	19.4	2.4	2.1	13.7	3.1	.8	22.3	−2.9
'41-'45	15.3	.....	.....	.3	15.6	1.7	2.0	2.3	5.4	.....	11.3	+4.2
'36-'40	13.1	.02	.....	.4	13.5	2.0	1.7	5.8	2.2	.....	11.6	+1.9

* Allocations between categories partly estimated. † Less than $50.00.

‡ Excluding approximately $135,000 financed by P.W.A., loan, and Water Department surplus.

NOTE: Owing to rounding, figures will not prove to last decimal.

and type of outlets. In the last five years less than $1,000 each year has been received from some 12 metered services.

A charge for water connections was levied in 1949 and increased in 1950. The number of new connections has increased from 19 in 1947 to 32 in 1948, 44 in 1949 and 29 in 1950.

Hydrant rental, paid to the Water Department by the Town, was reinstituted in 1948, after lapsing in 1934 when the Water Department joined in the attempt to reduce the Town's tax burden in depression. A flat rate of $3,000 was charged in 1948, 1949 and 1950 when the Town had in use 173, 207 and 209 hydrants respectively. The Town's appropriation for 1951 however, was increased to $3,135 or $15 per hydrant per year, based on 209 hydrants, which is similar to the charges levied by a number of other towns. The justification for any charge is that the hydrants and water provided by the Water Department to the Town for fire protection should properly be paid for in taxes rather than by charges against private users. The level of the charge at $15 assumes an initial cost of the order of $300 per hydrant and something like 25 year replacement.

Operating expenditures, including power and salaries, are only a small portion of total revenues, somewhere between a fourth and a third. Power costs have grown in recent years with the increase in gallons pumped, but variation occurs normally as dry and wet years alternate and with them, consumption.

The major expenses in the period covered by the table have been those for additions and replacements. These capital expenditures have been made partly for pumping facilities, but primarily for water mains. Expenditure was held to low levels during the war by unavailability of supplies. In consequence, the Water Commission's balance reached $26,000 on January 1, 1947. Subsequent expenditure in excess of receipts in 1947-1949 completed

the work of replacing most of the 4-inch mains with 8-inch pipe and reduced the balance on January 1, 1950 to $3,700. A decline in pipe renewal in 1950 permitted some recovery in the balance to January 1, 1951, despite $3,900 in legal and engineering fees.

Expenditures for pumping facilities have been cared for as required out of revenue and accumulated surplus. The renewal and replacement of pipe has also taken place generally out of revenues or accumulated balances. In 1938, however, the Town borrowed $50,000 with 1¼% 10-year serial bonds which was used with surplus and a P.W.A. grant of approximately $45,000 to replace 7½ miles out of the 29.2 miles in the system with large pipe. An earlier project in 1937 involving a P.W.A. contribution of $13,850 cost the Water Department $17,000, paid for out of accumulated balances. The final payment of interest and amortization of the 1938 bonds on December 1, 1948, left the Water Department free of debt.

With present rates, or with a system of metered charges which will produce the same general level of revenue, and assuming that the present supply of water is adequate, the Water Department is in position to continue its program of additions and replacements in the distribution system out of current revenues. Thus the extension of Town water to new roads, the replacement of 6-inch by 8-inch and 10-inch pipe, etc., could be undertaken as needed on a gradual basis. Should needs of this character be low, it would be possible to reduce rates. Prudent financial management would suggest, however, the wisdom of accumulating a substantial balance to meet the ultimate capital cost of an expanded water supply.

If capital expenditures to enlarge the water supply for ultimate requirements must be undertaken before a substantial surplus has been accumulated, the Water Department may need to borrow again. Borrowing by the Town for the Water Department, by which the Town pledges its full faith and credit along with the earning capacity of the water system may somewhat increase the

acceptibility of the bonds in the capital market. It would not encroach on the legal debt limit of the Town because water debt is self-sustaining and not met by tax liabilities.

It is probably safe to assume that the Town could borrow a very considerable sum at 2 percent on 20-year serial bonds, of which one-twentieth was paid back each year. If this rate can be obtained, the following table shows initial, average and final cost to the Water Department of borrowing different sums:

COSTS OF BORROWING VARIOUS SUMS WITH 2 PER CENT BONDS 1/20 Repaid Each Year

		Annual Amortization and Interest		
Borrowing	Amortization	1st Year	Average	20th Year
$ 50,000	$ 2,500	$ 3,500	$ 3,000	$ 2,550
$100,000	$ 5,000	$ 7,000	$ 6,000	$ 5,100
$250,000	$12,500	$17,500	$15,000	$12,750

The table suggests that the Water Department could probably undertake capital expenditures costing $100,000 without requiring a higher level of income, so long as current additions and replacements for the distribution and pumping systems remained fairly low. If any sum substantially larger than $100,000 were to be borrowed and spent, the rate structure would have to be adjusted upward to produce a higher level of revenue. Abolition of the 10 percent discount now accorded users who pay their bills promptly would be a measure to raise a small amount of revenue, — perhaps as much as $2,000 a year additional, — but would probably somewhat delay collections.

The table may further be taken to suggest that any capital expenditure much in excess of $250,000 is likely to require a drastic increase in water rates or a period of borrowing longer than 20 years. Neither alternative holds much attraction. Even an increase in rates by 50 percent, which would raise income initially to the level of $30,000 a year, would probably be insufficient to sustain interest and amortization charges of $20,000 a year, without jeopardizing replacement needs.

What of the Future?

There seems to be no real doubt that there are significant leaks in the system. The first step would be to determine their location and render the system tight. A loss of 20% of the water pumped is not abnormal. The evidence at hand indicates that our loss is much more than this.

Metering has already been started. It may take longer to complete than the first step. The reasons for metering have been stated earlier.

Since the two steps just mentioned might possibly postpone the need of new sources of water beyond the foreseeable future, the attempt to put price tags on new sources becomes rather academic. In spite of this, some consideration of the cost factors in a new source should be useful. There are now in sight four possible new sources:

1. Wells in southwest Lincoln, near Sudbury river.
2. Metropolitan District Commission.
3. Town of Wayland.
4. Hobbs Brook Basin.

The following factors will have to be considered in making a choice:

1. Cost of development of the source. This applies only to wells, since they do not now exist.

2. Cost of pumps, motors, pump housings, intakes, water treating equipment and incidentals. It is to be anticipated that this item will be very nearly the same for all sources.

3. Cost of installing piping between source and Town mains. Since longer pipe lines should be of larger diameter to keep friction losses within reasonable limits, we may expect the cost of this item to be larger per mile for longer lines.

4. From any source except our own wells we would have to pay for the water itself. The Metropolitan District Commission is about to charge $50.00 a million

gallons. From Hobbs Brook Basin we feel sure the charge would be under $32 a million gallons at this time (December, 1951).

5. Cost of operation. Actual power costs and those for treating chemicals should not be very different regardless of source.

NOTE: Water from source other than Sandy Pond will almost certainly require sanitary treatment immediately or very soon after the source comes into use. How long Sandy Pond water can be used without treatment remains to be seen. Each source will need its own treatment equipment and an increase in number of sources means an increase in supervisory personnel. Hence an advantage in the most efficient use of Sandy Pond is evident.

6. Maintenance costs. As a rough estimate, we may put this item at a fixed percentage of the total of items 2 and 3.

For the sake of argument, let us assume that competent engineering advice says we will eventually use Hobbs Brook Basin as a second source. Two actions might be undertaken by the Town.

1. We buy from the City of Cambridge an option allowing us to draw water from the Basin whenever we wish. Obviously a good many questions such as intake location and method of determining the price we pay for the water would be covered in the option.

2. We put the line up Trapelo Road in condition to act as the main carrying the water into Sandy Pond for storage. If the decision were reached early, this second action could be carried on over a number of years.

The possibility of one other action might be canvassed. Instead of washing out Concord's right to draw water from Sandy Pond by legislative action, might the right be bought up?

The broad conclusion we may draw is that the water situation in Lincoln is anything but hopeless and not immediately critical; that several courses of action are open to us.

In spite of the apparent complications of the problem, we are sure that when a decision is necessary, all the relevant facts as they stand, can be made clear.

Finally, the undersigned as editor, is wholly responsible for the introductory paragraphs, the section on balance dates, the first half of that on meters and the section on the Future.

CHARLES H. BLAKE

February 11, 1952.

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ADDITIONS TO THE REPORT — DECEMBER, 1952

The very dry summer of 1952 brought us face to face with the problem of the main from the pumping station to the storage reservoir. Sandy Pond was essentially full at the beginning of the drought and dropped its level relatively little. The record shows that the pumps were run 24 hours a day and delivered the full amount (1 million gal./day) to the main and occasionally over that. This rate was not enough to keep up with unrestricted use, hence the restrictions.

In its present condition the main will probably be adequate longer than present sources. However, the main must be adding deposits at an unknown rate. The present number of services indicates a restriction on the use of water for lawns and gardens about one year in three or four. When we come, with additional services, into an arithmetical balance the restriction will be necessary about two years out of three. This arises from the relation between the sizes and frequencies of deficits and surpluses in summer rainfall.

It should be considered that the obvious place to store water from any additional source is in Sandy Pond because of its capacity and its altitude relative to possible sources. This being so, the main from the present pumping station to the storage reservoir will have to be replaced before any new source can be of real use to the Town.

The balance dates given in the main report and computed for December, 1950, were unchanged at the end of 1951.

In late September, 1952, Mr. Sumner Smith handed me the meter readings for 17 residential services, covering the late winter, spring and summer. This included the dry spell. Using these as a basis, I estimate the loss from the system to be roughly 46 million gallons a year or about 35% of the water pumped. A full year on a larger number of meters will give a better estimate. In the late fall of 1952 Messrs. Newmann and E. S. Taylor conducted a delicate test of the tightness of the storage reservoir. It was witnessed by Messrs. Smith, Gilbert and Blake. We concluded that the reservoir is tight.

CHARLES H. BLAKE

Report of the Superintendent of Streets

The most troublesome problem encountered in 1951/52 was ice. Snow was light and was easily handled without undue inconvenience to the public, but conditions were such throughout the winter that ice formed on the roads quickly and frequently. Although the salt spreader purchased in 1951 was of material assistance in breaking up ice on heavily travelled roads, the equipment for spreading sand to protect traffic after a sudden icing condition and when temperatures prevented effective use of salt was inadequate to meet the conditions in early 1952.

The sand spreader, purchased at a cost of $1,650 pursuant to vote and appropriation of the Town under Article 14 of the 1952 Annual Town Meeting, arrived too late to be of use until the winter of 1952/53. Operations so far have shown that, as expected, it permits more efficient application of sand, for the truck can move faster and the sand is spread thinner but more evenly so that more miles can be covered before reloading, and only two men rather than four are required on the truck. Although it is too early to tell how fast it can pay for itself, increased convenience to the public and safer travel for our growing and faster-driving population may be more important considerations than an exact determination of operating costs. Further observation of this equipment in use may indicate the advisability of buying another sand spreader before another winter.

Chapter 90 construction to which the State and County contribute was limited to completion of Bedford Road from approximately the intersection of Bedford Lane to Route 2A. The surface applied as specified by the State and County has met with such general approval that it will be used on Town resurfacing work to a considerable extent in spite of the somewhat increased cost.

The motor equipment now owned is adequate for the job. The Ford 1½-ton Truck and the Chevrolet pick-up

are new and the three White dump trucks bought just after the war are in satisfactory condition. The last pre-war truck was retired without replacement in 1952. It is possible that in 1954 the Town should start replacing the White Trucks, all of which are about the same age, so that we do not suddenly face the necessity of replacing all of them in one year.

The program of oiling Town roads was continued so that the present standard is maintained. This standard, however, is fast becoming inadequate and the Town may have to face increased highway appropriations. The older roads are high-crowned and narrow, leaving inadequate room for snow removel which results in complaints from citizens and produces hazardous conditions when there is ice on the roads.

There has been unusual comment this winter on snow piled in driveways by the Town plows. It is admittedly annoying to the resident who wants to keep his own driveway open at all times, but so far there has been devised no method for removal of snow from narrow roads except by moving it to the sides, and a few minutes' reflection will indicate the impracticability of either trying to avoid piling snow in driveways or stopping to plow them out.

It is worth noting that during this period of inflation the highway appropriation has increased from $19,365 in 1941 to only $25,000 in 1953 — an increase of only 35%. Probably we are building up a backlog of deferred maintenance and improvement which must be met soon, but we recognize that during this period increased expense of education has made it necessary to reduce all such expenses to a point below what they should be.

Respectfully submitted,

CLIFFORD BRADLEY,
Acting Superintendent of Streets

Report of the Cemetery Commissioners

There are three cemeteries under the direction of the Cemetery Board:

1. The Burial Ground behind the Town House which was given to the Town by Deacon Samuel Farrar in 1760.
2. The Arbor Vitae Cemetery in the triangle bounded by Trapelo Road, Lexington Road and Old Lexington Road, purchased by the Town in 1832.
3. The Lincoln Cemetery on Lexington Road including the Old Cemetery, given to the Town by Ephraim Flint in 1764, which had previously been a private cemetery.

The remainder of this cemetery was acquired by a gift of ten acres from George Bemis in 1883, and by purchase by the Town of two more acres in 1927.

Virtually all of the currently available lots are located in the last two acquisitions, which are known as the New Cemetery.

During the past year work on the cemetery grounds has been confined largely to regular maintenance involving spring clean-up, mowing, and fall clean-up. Certain soft spots in the roadways have been repaired, and more of this work is needed. There is an unexpended balance at our disposal for this work, so that no additional appropriation is needed now.

Additional lots have been surveyed recently in the New Cemetery, making a backlog sufficient to care for the Town's needs for several years to come.

A brief summary of the cemetery regulations may be useful to our fellow citizens:

1. Lots are for sale only to residents of Lincoln.
2. Lots are sold with the understanding that they may be graded immediately at the buyer's expense under

the direction and approval of the Board.

3. All planting, setting of monuments, and any other type of work must be done under the direction of the Board.
4. Owners are encouraged to place Perpetual Care on their lots. The minimum amount is $150, but a sum amounting to approximately $1.00 per square foot of space is suggested for most lots.

Burials

January 7, 1952	Aubrey W. Burgess
January 10, 1952	Caroline Rogers
January 27, 1952	Anna R. Snelling
February 11, 1952	Lydia S. Brown
March 11, 1952	Dora Farrar
May 8, 1952	Joseph S. Newell
May 24, 1952	Hannah A. Benjamin
July 11, 1952	Iva S. Mann
July 29, 1952	Edwin B. Rice
September 9, 1952	George Kolyshkin
October 16, 1952	James Wood
October 17, 1952	Elizabeth P. Witherton
October 24, 1952	Ida M. Metcalf
October 27, 1952	Joseph Ross Farnsworth

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE E. CUNNINGHAM,
ROBERT D. DONALDSON,
JAMES B. BILLINGS,
Cemetery Commissioners.

NOTE: For Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds, see Appendix.

Inspectors of Building, Plumbing and Wiring

The Inspectors of Buildings, Plumbing and Wiring are charged with the responsibility of maintaining the standard of construction set by Town By-Laws, State Law, and accepted sound practice. Generally speaking, no construction, remodeling or alterations of buildings may be undertaken until an application has been filed and approved by the appropriate inspector who must inspect the work from time to time and may order changes if the established standards are not being met. All applications may be filed at the Town House.

Building permits issued during 1952:

New residential buildings	39
New non-residential buildings	9
Alterations and additions	18
Moving	2
Tearing down	1
Fees collected	$265.00
Plumbing permits issued during 1952	67
Fees collected	$124.00
Wiring permits issued during 1952	82
Fees collected	$99.50

Submitted by

M. ELIZABETH CAUSER, *Clerk*
NILS P. SWANSON, *Building Inspector* (deceased)
WILLIAM M. DEAN, *Wiring Inspector*
GLENNY S. CUTTER, *Plumbing Inspector*

Report of the School Building Committee

The addition to the New School authorized by the Special Town Meeting of June 11, 1951, was substantially completed during the year 1952 and should be ready for occupancy in January 1953. Parking space for cars has been provided to the south of the gymnasium and the field to the west has been regraded. This work will not be completed until Spring. We believe the Town has been fortunate in having the continued architectural advice and supervision of the firm of Anderson and Beckwith and that the contractor, J. F. Rand and Son, has provided us with a well constructed building.

Considerable thought has been given to the accoustic qualities of the Assembly Hall-Gymnasium which should prove highly satisfactory. We wish to express the Town's appreciation to Mr. and Mrs. Pearson Hunt for the gift of a fine old weathervane which will be placed above the school's main entrance.

The Committee would like to call to the attention of the Town the fact that another addition to the building, when built, will leave only slightly more than the original Ball Field as play area. This will not be consistent with the maintenance of a good diamond for adult use nor will the area be adequate for a school of this size. It is our feeling that steps should be taken while the land is available to acquire additional acreage both for protection of the present plant and to provide an adequate recreation area for adults and pupils. When this is considered the question of access to the school from both Sandy Pond and Baker Bridge Roads for pedestrians and bicycles must be faced.

ELIZABETH SNELLING
ELLIOTT V. GRABILL
ANDREW J. DOUGHERTY
PEARSON HUNT
JAMES DeNORMANDIE

Education and Recreation

Report of the Library Trustees

Lincoln Public Library opens its doors in 1953 for its sixty-ninth year. To the older inhabitants of the Town, the Library is taken for granted, since during that time it has been one of the physical and cultural landmarks of the Town. Some watched it being built, and have seen its influence on the educational and recreational life of the community expand until today it compares favorably with the libraries of similar towns.

There are many newcomers to Lincoln in the past few years. Some find the Library a pleasant place to spend a few hours and marvel at its completeness for a small town library; others expect it to be the counterpart of a large city library with complete reference files on every subject. Obviously, the latter is impossible; the former is complimentary; something between should be our aim.

A short history of the Library may be of interest. In 1798 a group of Lincoln people formed the "Lincoln Social Library Society." A committee consisting of the Reverend Stearns, a Mr. Hoar, a Mr. Farrar, a Mr. Wheeler, and a Mr. Tarbell framed its by-laws. Lineal descendants of these men still are benefactors and participants in the Library operations. In 1869 Mrs. Eliza Farrar, wife of Professor John Farrar, Lincoln born, bequeathed her library as the beginning of a "public library

for the inhabitants of Lincoln." George G. Tarbell built the present building and gave it to the Town in 1884. A true "public library" then came into existence, and such it has been since. The deed of gift named three life trustees to serve with the then Chairmen of the Selectmen and School Committee, ex officio. The life trustees appoint their successors, and the Chairmen of the Selectmen and School Committee function with them as trustees. The librarian is selected by them annually. The present librarian, Mrs. Farrar, is the daughter-in-law of one of the original life trustees and has ably filled that position for twenty-two years.

The care of the building and the maintenance of the library services are part of the educational responsibilities of the Town, as are the schools. Each year the trustees estimate the financial needs, the Town Finance Committee considers them, and the resultant request is voted on in Town meeting as are the requests of other departments.

The Town Trust Commissioners have in their care approximately $10,000 in funds that over a long period of time have been given or bequeathed to the Library. None of these funds are very large; several are of $100 or thereabouts. Each fund represents a desire on the part of the donor to do something tangible for the people of Lincoln. Most of the larger gifts are for books only, and only the income from such can be used. This income amounts to about $200 annually and is used. Of a few of the gifts the principal may be used, some only for books, other for general purposes. The tendency has been to utilize the latter for special purposes.

Throughout 1952 the Library was open three afternoons and evenings a week. This seems to have been fully justified, since the Librarian's report shows an increased circulation. The usual maintenance of the interior and grounds, repairs to the chimneys, cleaning the cesspool, etc., have been attended to as well as minor incidentals. All of this was handled within the appropriation.

A situation that should be met in the not too distant future is the fact that the Library is being outgrown. Though this has been apparent to the trustees, they have realized the need for increased school facilities and the resultant strain on Town finances. Nevertheless, the Library is a part of the educational structure of the Town and its needs should also be considered.

The Library bookshelves are full; recently new ones have been added, and there is little room for more. Possible conversion of heating from coal to oil can make usable otherwise wasted basement space, some of which could be converted to a much needed children's reading room. This latter is recognized as a real necessity by the trustees for several years. It is our hope to make it an accomplished fact soon.

Many friends of the Library have contributed in service, gifts, and exhibits during the year. We are grateful, and express our hope that their interest will continue. Mr. David Mann has supervised the operation of the tower clock; and the Fire Department helped to replace the hands. The Garden Club and various individuals have placed flowers and interesting exhibits in the book room. One juvenile user of the Library made a stool ladder to reach the upper shelves. Acknowledgment of the many gifts is made in the list following. If any have been omitted, it is hoped the oversight will be forgiven.

Donors to the Lincoln Library, 1952

Mrs. L. B. Anderson
Rachel Billings
Mr. C. V. Briggs
Mr. Paul Brooks
Laurie Cannon
Concord Free Library
Mr. E. R. Davis
Mr. F. W. Denio
Mrs. James De Normandie
Mrs. Robert L. De Normandie
Mr. R. J. Eaton
Mrs. N. W. Fradd
Lincoln League of Women Voters
Mrs. Walter Lovejoy
Mrs. R. S. Meriam
Mrs. Lester Monks
Dr. John P. Monks
Allan H. Murphy
Ethan A. Murphy
Stephen E. Murphy
Miss K. O'Sullivan
Mrs. Roland Robbins
Mrs. Sumner Smith
Rev. C. M. Styron

Mrs. John B. Garrison
Mrs. H. R. Healey, Jr.
Mrs. Stanley Heck
Mrs. E. W. Herman
Mrs. Chester Jones
Mr. H. B. Kane
Mrs. W. T. King
Lincoln Garden Club
Mr. G. G. Tarbell
Mrs. E. S. Taylor
Mrs Arthur E. Thiessen
Mrs. Robert Thorson
Mrs. Henry Warner
Miss Elizabeth F. Wheeler
United States Steel Corporation
E.I. Dupont deNemours Company

LIBRARY STATISTICS — 1952

Number of volumes, January 1, 1952	16,022
Number of volumes added by gift	135
Number of volumes purchased	390
Number of volumes withdrawn	701
Number of volumes, December 31, 1952	15,846
Number of borrowers, December 31, 1952	839
Number of days open	154
Amount of fines collected	$265.00

Circulation

Fiction	6,217
Non-Fiction	3,107
Juvenile	7,413
Periodicals	1,525
Total	18,262

Bemis Free Lectures

The Trustees wish to call to the attention of the townspeople that suggestions in regard to programs are always welcome. Over a period of time many ideas given to the Committee have been the source of excellent lectures. There is a conscious effort each year on the part of the Committee to provide variety in the content of the program offered to suit the varied interests of the townspeople.

Income and Expenses of the Trustees are shown in the report of the Commissioners of Trust Funds. It is well to note that the current fees for first class lecturers are noticeably higher than in years past, but that the income remains approximately the same. This fact limits the number of lectures the Committee is able to provide.

Again it should be pointed out that musical programs are limited because of the piano in the Town House. Perhaps the question of the location of these lectures should be discussed by the townspeople and legal advice sought as to the possibility of having the lectures in the New School in future years.

The Bemis Mailing List is an address list intended to reach all households in Lincoln. The list is available for use on the payment of a fee by others in mailings to Lincoln residents. It is now kept at the Town House and additions or subtractions should be given to Mrs. Causer. It is still requested that permission for its use be asked of the Trustees in order to protect Town property and the inhabitants of Lincoln.

CHRISTOPHER W. HURD, *Chairman*
LEONARD C. LARRABEE
MABEL H. TODD

Report of the Work of the Middlesex County Extension Service in Lincoln

The Middlesex County Extension Service is an organization maintained by the County in cooperation with the University of Massachusetts and the United States Department of Agriculture to serve the citizens of the Town in the field of agriculture and home economics. The work is carried on under the guidance of the Town director who is assisted by the chairman in homemaking and boys and girls 4-H Club work.

The County office makes farm and home visits to help when requested and, in addition, carries on organized projects County-wide under the guidance of farmers' and homemakers' service on County committees.

Radio service is maintained weekly on WBZ; monthly on WHDH and five days a week during the summer on WKOX. A monthly bulletin with a circulation of 5,000 is maintained and timely notices of interest to dairymen, fruit growers, market gardeners, poultrymen and commercial florists are sent to anyone as requested.

Some of the special activities of local interest follow. Dairymen were primarily interested in cooperating in the New England-wide Green Pastures Program, the Dairy Herd Improvement Association, Owner-Sampler work and Selective Breeding.

The Extension Poultry Program in 1952 was keyed to help poultrymen and turkey growers to improve the efficiency of their operations, maintain flock health and take better advantage of their marketing opportunities. Efforts were made to provide breeders with information which might help them to hold their prominent place in the industry and routine service was provided in all phases of poultry and turkey farming.

George Browning, Jr., of Conant Road, participated in the 1952 Middlesex Flock Health Program.

A spray service is maintained by radio to all fruit growers as well as market gardeners. Fruit growers also follow closely the weekly twilight meetings held during the growing season to keep abreast of production and marketing problems. There has been an increased demand from home owners for information on vegetables, flower gardens and lawns.

Twenty-one boys and girls carried on 4-H activities in garden, poultry, livestock and clothing under the leadership of Mrs. Medford Huntley, Almon Huff and Donald Burgess. Local Club members won honors at the County Fair. Carleton Huff was the outstanding rabbit exhibitor. Laurie Cannon won First on his American chinchillas. Hildred Snelling and Marilyn Bloome won First in clothing classes. Five girls took part in County Girls' Day in Lexington. Ten Club members attended Camp Middlesex.

$18 in prizes donated by Robert D. Donaldson were awarded to Club members doing the best work. The four highest awards went to David Donaldson, Carleton Huff, Lawrence Cannon and Philip Cannon.

ROBERT D. DONALDSON,
Town Director.

Lincoln Recreation Committee

The summer playground continues to attract more children each summer. Under the supervision of Mr. Edward Czarnowski a full eight week program of diversified activities was offered to the children of the community on the summer playground. A few of the activities enjoyed by all were baseball, softball, kickball, newcombe, tumbling, tennis, croquet, horseshoes, volleyball, and many other team and individual games.

An extensive arts and crafts program was carried out by our woman director, Miss Nancy Geutch.

Tournament play in various sports was carried on throughout the summer. Many quiet games were offered for the younger set. The older boys participated in a playground baseball league with the neighboring communities and the girls played in a softball league with the same towns.

Various trips were taken through the season: a boat trip to Provincetown, two visits to the major league baseball games, and two trips to Whalom Park.

The season closed with a playday. At this time recognition was given to those who had won the tournaments during the summer.

The annual spring and fall adult tennis tournament continues to attract new players each year and provide enjoyment for fans as well as players.

Invited by the School Committee to make use of the new gymnasium we are planning to try several activities during the remainder of this year on an experimental basis. If the response is sufficient and cost not too great these activities will become a permanent part of a year-round program.

Respectfully submitted,

ASTRID DONALDSON	DAVID TODD
SADIE SHERMAN	WILLIAM DeFORD
EDWARD ROONEY	JOHN GARRISON
ROBERT GRAY	MALCOLM DONALDSON

ETHAN MURPHY, *Chairman*

Report of the Memorial Day Committee

In accordance with the Vote of the Town Meeting of March 3, 1952, Memorial Day Exercises were held on May 30, 1952, with appropriate ceremonies at the three cemeteries and at the Memorial in front of the Library.

The exercises concluded with an address by Mr. William Rand at the Town House.

The Committee extends its thanks to the Town officials, Boy and Girl Scouts organizations and townspeople for their cooperation in helping to pay fitting tribute to those who served their country in the causes of Freedom and Democracy.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. MARY HENDERSON
MRS. EVERETT SHERMAN
REV. MORRIS ROBINSON
E. DONLAN ROONEY
METRO FEDOCK, *Chairman*

Report of the deCordova Museum

We are happy to report that the DeCordova and Dana Museum has continued to make good progress in the last year. We should like to thank all those who have contributed to this progress.

A more detailed review of the Museum's activities is contained in the report of our executive director

Respectfully submitted,

The Directors
JOHN QUINCY ADAMS, *President*
JANE K. VANCE, *Vice President*
PEARSON HUNT, *Treasurer*
ELIZABETH SNELLING, *Clerk*
CHARLES H. BLAKE
RICHARD S. MERIAM
ARTHUR E. THIESSEN

REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Staff

Frederick P. Walkey	Executive Director
Joseph Hodgson	Director of Education
Nancy Luxford	Assistant to Director
Mavis Derby	Registrar
Karl Lahnstein	Building Superintendent
Floriy Campobasso	Caretaker
John Witherton	Guard

Perhaps the most significant factor to be considered when assessing the importance of any Art Museum is the growth of such an institution. This growth can be

measured by the actual physical increase of the plant itself, or by improved effectiveness in the area which it serves. While the buildings of the deCordova Museum have remained unchanged, the response by the public to our services and the functions have increased tremendously in the past year. We have every intention of continuing to increase our services, wherever possible, over larger and larger areas, but each new undertaking by the Museum brings us up sharply against a situation which makes us more and more dependent on you, our present or potential supporters.

No finer compliment can be bestowed on us than that which is made by each individual who becomes an Associate of the Museum. Here is the tangible evidence of approval, and each payment makes our hope of expansion a greater reality.

Recently the figures on the number of our Associates were published, and the most recent total has reached 236. This shows an increase of 10 Sustaining Associates, 33 Professional Associates, and 74 Associate over the past year. The figures are most encouraging, but we hope to increase the total still further. It is very apparent that our future growth must depend on the support of many hundreds. The trust income from our benefactor, Julian deCordova is not sufficient to cover the activities in which we wish to engage if the Museum continues to develop as it must.

A small town cannot support a museum alone. It needs the help of all those in the surrounding communities whom it serves. Recognizing that we have good friends in these surrounding communities, we have instituted an advisory committee of citizens from the nearby towns around Lincoln to advise us on the particular needs of their towns, which might be more effectively served by the Museum than by any other existing institution, and to help us with public relations.

The staff at the Museum has seen several changes during the past year. Lorena Hart resigned to travel

abroad with her husband. Virginia Slade decided to retire, and Mrs. Sheldon Briggs, part-time clerical assistant, left for full-time employment. Now two new people have come to the Museum. Mrs. Mavis Derby has taken over the position as Registrar, Mrs. Nancy Luxford is the Assistant to the Director, who, along with her office duties, will take charge of publicity and act as membership secretary.

This report would not be complete without special thanks and recognition to Karl Lahnstein, Floriy Campobasso and John Witherton, who are responsible for the appearance of the Museum and Park. No institution can surpass us in this. It is a source of great pride to all who work at, or are associated with the Museum.

The change-over in staff is perhaps the best indication of the rapid growth of the Museum. One office can no longer handle the diverse functions peculiar to this institution. The School now requires a full-time Registrar, who, in addition, also handles all financial matters and serves as librarian. The Museum office, thus freed from the School, will be able to do a more consistent job with publicity and can undertake and promote special functions, such as concerts, movies, and lectures.

The School

The growth of the Educational program of the Museum has been most encouraging. The classes continue to expand, and each term we have been able to offer more and more diversity of subjects. The Fall term of 1952 saw the largest enrollment in the children's classes of any since the program was first instituted, the total of registrations reaching 315. This compares significantly with the enrollment figure of 250 in 1951, and with 150 in 1950. When we consider that the registrations from the Town of Lincoln have remained about the same for the past three years, it becomes apparent that the services which the Museum renders to the surrounding communities is needed and appreciated.

Increased enrollment in the adult classes has also been apparent. More than 160 registered in the fall term in the courses in water color, oil painting, drawing, block-printing, jewelry and silver smithing, sculpture, ceramics and music appreciation.

Such enrollment figures are in a large measure due to the excellence of the outstanding teaching staff. The young, enthusiastic group of instructors, most of them artists in their own right, are under the supervision of Joseph Hodgson, Director of Education. Those of you who have taken classes will already be familiar with the names of Merrilyn Delano, Florence Hollingsworth, Robert Grady, Marion Weston, Barbara Ahern, Lois Tarlow, Paula Graham, and Kalman Novak. The entire group receives our sincere praise and commendation for carrying out the Museum program so effectively.

In the Fall of 1952, an organizational meeting of the deCordova Camera Club was held, and since then the Club has grown, through the efforts of its chairman, Robert Brown of Lincoln, into an energetic group of fifteen who meet biweekly at the Museum.

Exhibitions Program

The Museum's exhibition program for 1952, presents, in retrospect, an interesting array of great variety. A total of 30 special exhibitions were held beginning in January with an invitation watercolor show by many of New England's outstanding artists. This exhibition "With A Sable Brush" received excellent press notices for its scope, ninety paintings, its variety and quality. Two other large group shows, the annual exhibition of the New England Chapter of Artists Equity in March and the traveling portion of the Boston Independent Artists Exhibition, both regional in character, provided our visitors with a cross section view of the many current trends, styles, and approaches of most of the region's better artists.

Sculpture was presented by four one-man shows and a group show. The sculptors' search for form through the increasing use of unconventional mediums was amply demonstrated in a choice selection from the New England Association for Contemporary Sculpture. The one-man presentations included those of Alfred Duca and Peter Abate, Daniel Kornblum and Charles Chase. Variety in sculpture was achieved with the diverse efforts of Kornblum, who works with driftwood and depends heavily on nature's vagaries, to Chase, who went directly to nature for inspiration, carving birds with great skill and admirable craftsmanship.

For further demonstration of our unceasing support of the local artists, the always popular annual exhibition of the Boston Printmakers was held in November. Other drawing and print exhibits were held, including a refreshing and appealing display of linoleum cuts by Elaine B. Livingston. Twenty prints from this exhibit were sold, a record to date for any one show. Crafts shown included jewelry, silver, enamels and hand woven textiles.

The month of May was given over to the camera artists in New England when the Museum sponsored a New England-wide juried contest entitled "New England, a Photographic Interpretation." Jules Aarons, who was at that time photography instructor at the Museum, was chairman of the exhibition which was comprised of several sections: one from the Library of Congress, one from Standard Oil, a group of five selected New England photographers, and finally the entries to the contest. *American Photography* carried a feature story on this exhibition as did the *New York Times*, which sent its photography editor to cover the event.

The ten one-man painting exhibits were climaxed by one of the Museum's most important efforts. With loans from museums, collectors and the Rosenberg Gallery in New York, the Museum was able to present the work of Karl Knaths, one of America's foremost artists. We thank all the individuals and institutions who contributed

to the 1952 exhibitions, for without their help the program as outlined would not have been possible.

Each year we come closer to fulfilling our promise of making the Museum a cultural center with sufficient variety in its program to attract everyone occasionally. The program for 1953 promises to be lively and instructive, as we have scheduled for March an exhibition from the Corning Glass Museum called "The History of American Glass." This will be followed in April by the annual Massachusetts Crafts Exhibition, which proved so popular at the Worcester Museum last year. They both warrant your attention, and a visit to the Museum.

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERICK P. WALKEY
Executive Director.

School Committee

Report

to the

Town of Lincoln

For The School Year 1951 - 1952

School Calendar 1953-1954

September	7—Monday	Labor Day
	8—Tuesday	Staff Organization and Workshop
	9—Wednesday	School Opens
October	12—Monday	Columbus Day Recess
November	11—Wednesday	Armistice Day Recess
	12—Thursday	Annual Open House
	26-27—Thursday-Friday	Thanksgiving Recess
December	23—Wednesday	Christmas Vacation, Closing
January	4—Monday	School Resumes
February	19—Friday	Winter Vacation, Closing
March	1—Monday	School Resumes
	19—Friday	Teachers' Visiting Day
April	16—Friday	Spring Vacation, Closing
	26—Monday	School Resumes
May	31—Monday	Memorial Day
June	16—Wednesday	Summer Vacation, Closing
	18—Friday	Commencement
	21-25—Monday-Friday	Staff Organization

ADDITIONAL CALENDAR DATA

It is planned to continue the policy of no school on Wednesdays for Grade 1 children through November 12, 1953.

Kindergarten morning and afternoon sessions will reverse on February 1, 1954.

Staff Meeting Half-Days will be the second Wednesday of each month except September, December, and June.

Organization

	Term Expires
MALCOLM L. DONALDSON, Chairman	1953
(MRS.) LUCY E. BYGRAVE	1954
ERNEST P. NEUMANN	1955

MEETINGS: Regular: First Tuesday of each month; 7:30 p.m. at the Superintendent's office. LI 6-0333.

Called: Third Tuesday of each month usually and other meetings as stated; time and place designated.

Superintendent of Schools

ANDREW J. MANGES, Lincoln Road, LI 6-0103-J
Office at New Elementary School, LI 6-0333

Secretary to Superintendent

SOLVAY G. VALENTINE, Lexington

Building Principals

ROBERT B. PATCH, Dunstable
New Elementary School, LI 6-0333

LOUIS J. SAPIENZA, Everett
Center School, LI 6-0462

Clerk — Center School

(MRS.) EDITH W. HARVEY, Weston Road

Office Hours

School Days — 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.
School Vacation — 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

No-School Signals

Local signals will be given on our fire alarm system:

7:10 a.m. 3-3-3 repeated at
7:15 a.m. 3-3-3

Radio station announcements will be read between the period 6:30 and 7:30 A.M. On stormy mornings, if con-

venient, tune in on two or more stations since it is not always possible to get messages through to several stations in the brief time allotted us. Please refrain, too, from tying up local phone lines to school officials and bus operators during the morning hour, 6:30-7:30. We try to contact all of the following when it is necessary to announce "No School:"

WBZ	1030K	WHDH	850K
WEEI	590K	WNAC	1250K

If an announcement is read, "No School — All Schools" it will mean that **no buses** will operate and high school pupils will govern themselves accordingly. Announcements refering to Lincoln and merely stating "No School" will apply to elementary pupils only.

During extremely stormy or cold weather, parents are urged to exercise their own judgment in sending the younger children.

Report of the School Committee

To the Town of Lincoln:

In 1947 Lincoln had two school buildings, the Center School and "the little red school house" in the south part of the Town. The latter belongs to the Codman estate, and under terms of the will the building can be used by the Town only for public school purposes. Elementary school enrollment in October, 1947 was 259 pupils. Some classrooms had thirty-five or more pupils, and there was much agitation for a new building. It was forecast that the enrollment would be 300 by 1949.

At last the new building was constructed and opened in the fall of 1949 with an enrollment of 347. The South School was then closed. The problem of what to do with the Center School took care of itself as all rooms in that building were still needed for the large primary classes, which were divided to provide more individual instruction for the younger children.

By the fall of 1951 enrollment had reached 384 pupils, and the need for still more classrooms, in the near future, was becoming obvious. The New School addition was voted that year. In the meantime, to provide for the enrollment of 445 pupils in the fall of 1952, the South School was reopened and the former shop room in the Center School was equipped as a classroom. We expect to move into the new addition in February, 1953. In the meantime, enrollment has reached the new high of 453. At this rate, it will require the registering of two more in-coming classes and we will have doubled the enrollment of five years ago.

Hence it is obvious why our budget has risen and risen fast. More pupils mean more teachers, more books, more supplies, and more school buses. More classrooms mean more janitor service, more supplies, and more maintenance. We now have 22 teachers compared to 11

teachers five years ago. To attract good teachers our salary schedule has been raised. As a result our staff has many capable teachers and the rate of turnover among them has been reduced. Today experienced teachers are not only coming to us, but, once added to the staff, they are staying with us, thereby making it possible to establish a plan of teaching with some continuity. The Lincoln Schools are becoming less and less a training ground for young teachers looking for a year or two of teaching experience before applying for a position in the larger school systems of the metropolitan area.

Increased enrollment has put a strain on our transportation facilities. As new houses appear about town, more miles must be covered to gather more pupils, all this in the same number of minutes in the morning. In the near future we may ask more pupils to walk further to bus stops or to school buildings. Two old buses have just been replaced to insure reliable service. We have finally abandoned the old, complicated bus contracts, under which we have been operating, wherein the Town bought the buses. We have adopted a type of contract with bus operation on a straight mileage basis with the contractor supplying everything required to provide the service.

As the school plant increases in size it becomes necessary to make further provisions for operation and maintenance. The 1953 Budget shows a considerable increase in these departments. The former has to do with the new addition, while the latter provides for care of the Center School. Maintenance of this building has been too long neglected. The roof, gutters, and coping need attention. All outside trim needs painting. Doors and windows need glazing and caulking. To provide for adequate maintenance and equipment of buildings we have now set up a five year plan which should lighten the burden for any one year.

At this time we would like to mention the secondary school problem we may soon be facing. The large classes which have slowly been advancing through the elemen-

tary grades will soon reach the high school level. This applies to other towns as well as Lincoln, and there is a question how long Concord and Weston will be able to accommodate our students in their high schools. Regional high schools are being talked of more and more, high schools which would be supported by two or more adjacent towns. More than a year ago we met with the School Committees of Weston, Wayland, and Sudbury on several occasions for general discussion of this problem. So that we may be fully posted on current developments we are apointing a committee to study the regional high school problem and to consult with the proper authorities in nearby towns.

Outside our own immediate Lincoln School activities, the School Committee has attended several meetings sponsored by the New England School Development Council, thereby enabling ourselves to keep abreast of current thinking and to discuss with other School Committees problems similar to our own. In February, we were invited by NESDEC to send a representative to help plan the agenda of the annual spring meeting in Cambridge. Other committeemen came from Connecticut, New Hampshire, and Massachusetts. We were pleased to have our town and schools so recognized.

In March, the superintendent was granted a short leave of absence to attend the Annual Meeting of Elementary School Principals at the University of Massachusetts where he had been invited to participate as a panel consultant. He also represented our schools at the Annual Meeting of the American Association of School Administrators held in Boston last April.

The Committee would like to acknowledge the splendid cooperation of the teaching staff and the untiring efforts of the Superintendent to establish and maintain a good school system. We are grateful to the townspeople for their support. Some would undertake more than we have done; others feel we are extending ourselves too far.

Actually we are trying to establish a sound school program, which will enable our children to compete successfully and live happily in the years to come.

Respectfully submitted,

LINCOLN SCHOOL COMMITTEE
MALCOLM L. DONALDSON,
Chairman
(MRS.) LUCY E. BYGRAVE
ERNEST P. NEUMANN

Report of the Superintendent of Schools

It is a pleasure to submit my fifth annual report for the Lincoln Public Schools, the sixty-second in the series of Superintendent's annual reports. The format follows that pattern established last year in which subject and activity areas are reported as separate departments.

In Retrospect

Organization and Personnel—Judging from the questions and comments heard from time to time it is alarming to conclude that familiarity with local school organization, program, and personnel is so limited. This report seeks to set forth a few facts as simply as possible.

Looking back over the past half decade or so we see numerous changes in organization and personnel. These may be ascribed to the impact of community growth and the emerging role of twentieth century education. Emphasis placed on the individual learner has required an expansion in extent and variety of activities designed to promote growth. Special areas of the curriculum have been given particular attention. These have resulted in the appointment of full time personnel and the necessary

budgeting provisions enabling the development of the subject. This applies especially to music, art, shop, physical education, and remediation, with due attention to accelerated as well as latent learners.

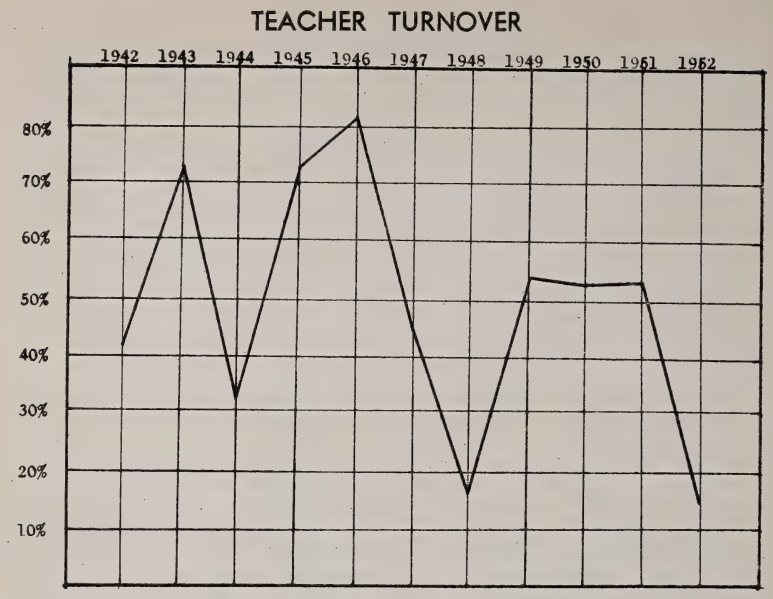
Reorganization is in order when it helps to solve a temporary problem or meets the needs of a class or grade. For example, the departmental plan was introduced and extended to the sixth grade for several reasons. Not the least of these reasons was to minimize the number of preparations required of the straight-grade teacher. The plan provides more time and continuous contact with a subject, thus enabling the instructor to develop a wider range of activities and projects designed to challenge pupils at all levels in a given class.

When it became apparent last year that one first grade was showing unsatisfactory achievement in reading, the normal homeroom division of the grade was altered. Learning to read was given particular attention by making it possible for one teacher to be released from the usual grade activities, in order to concentrate on the reading needs of each child. As mentioned in my report for last year, this plan brought excellent results.

A few years ago music classes were divided on the basis of sex rather than age, grade, or ability level due to complications arising from teacher-pupil maladjustment. At the present time these classes are organized in mixed groups by grade levels.

Staff membership has grown from 11 in 1943 to 22 this year. Enrollment figures may be found elsewhere in this report. However, their significance may justify repetition of the fact that elementary pupil enrollment has increased from 259 in 1947 to as many as 461, at one time, in late 1952.

Mere figures, however, leave a lot to the imagination. For example, while the staff has been doubled in number during the past ten years, the **percentage** rate of teacher turnover has fluctuated from sixteen to eighty-two, as the following table shows.



Under the subject of Testing and Remediation will be found the results of achievement testing. In spite of the special attention that has been given the current seventh grade, the general achievement is somewhat below grade level, hence, there is reason for our continued concern. Psychological testing has revealed that this class is not unlike the usual run of classes in our schools. Test results show the group to be above average. Unchallenged conclusions may not be drawn from the results of a testing program since there are so many other factors which influence those results. Nevertheless, it is interesting to note that at the time of highest incidence of teacher turnover this class was in the primary grades. The median incidence was fifty per cent. Staff turnover does not occur in an isolated way. How serious may be the effect generally, in addition to the effect on a particular class, is debatable. It does manifest itself in the concern of parents for particular class assignments, as evidenced by the frequency with which this subject has been the basis for a school visit or other form of communication. Such concern is readily understandable, though it is not

likely to be as serious as, at first glance, it appears. There are certain commitants of maturity. One of these is the ability to summon apparently non-registered knowledges and undeveloped abilities. This is borne out in the recorded achievement of our Grade 10 students in Weston High School. There may be some doubt as to the effectiveness of the Lincoln elementary school program, but Table II indicates that these fears are not too well founded.

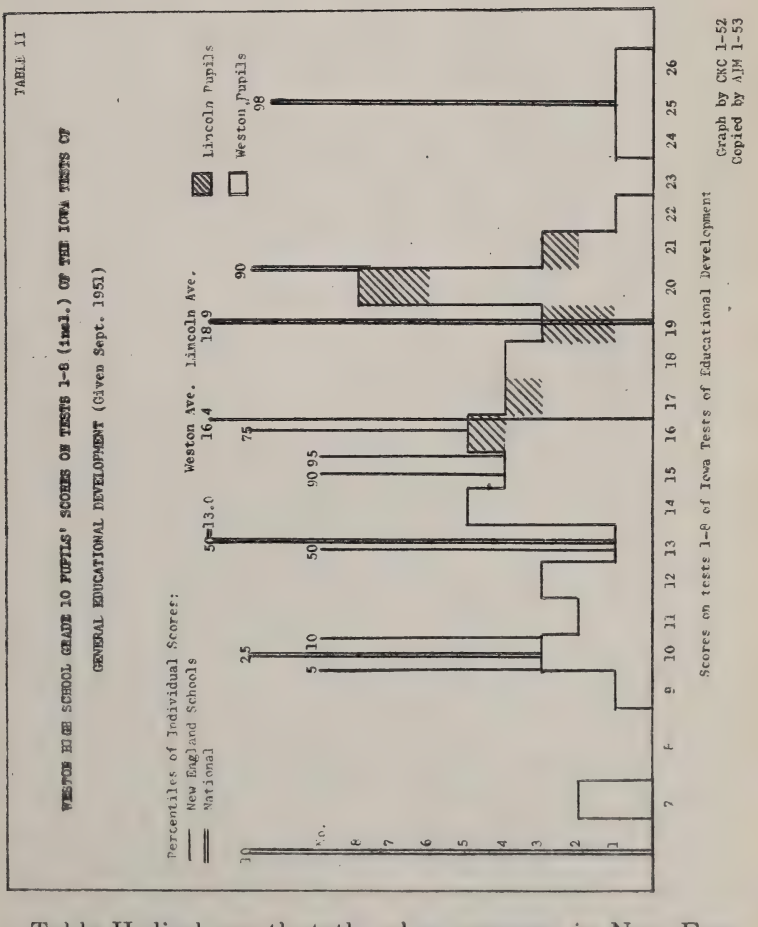


Table II discloses that the class average in New England Schools 50 percentile was at 12.7 while the national

scores percentile was at 13.0. Weston Grade 10 average percentile was 3.4 above the national scores and 3.7 above New England scores. The Lincoln Grade 10 pupils in Weston (7 cases, scoring 18.9) was 2.5 better than Weston; 5.9 better than the national average and 6.2 better than the New England average. Only one Lincoln pupil was at or near the Weston average; all others were above. Again, let us remember that these data prove nothing; however, certain inferences may be drawn.

More of such comparative statistics need to be collected as they relate to all of our high school students, but even these have certain implications.

Plant and Operation—Five years ago the two buildings, Center and South Schools, kept one custodian busy due to the distance between them and their respective needs. South School consisted of two nice, large, fairly well-lighted classrooms. Heating was by an oil-burning boiler. The grounds needed improvement and they still need it. The major problem was toilet facilities, aggravated by water lines that had become so filled over the years that water barely managed to seep through.

We have used South School; moved out and loaned it to the Lincoln Nursery School, Inc.; moved back and plan to move out again very soon. This pattern of recent years appears to have established itself and may be repeated in the near future. Three years ago the water lines were replaced. This improved the toilet conditions. However, it is likely that South School will be called on again and again in the next decade while the problems of providing adequate high school education and meeting the challenges of the Town's "growing pains" are being considered. In view of this conclusion it appears prudent to renovate as and when needed, avoiding postponements.

Center School is an unusually well constructed building. Despite a limited maintenance program over the years since 1908, this building is in remarkably good condition. Five years ago all eight classrooms (counting the small, long, and narrow former library room) were in constant

use. Even so, conditions were such as to require screen partitioning of the two rooms at South Schohol in order to use them as four classrooms. The heating system consisted of steam heat supplied by two coal burning, hand-stoked boilers. Very rarely were they in use simultaneously. Lighting was good as school lighting went at that time; classrooms were in the process of being brightened through the application of paint with higher light-reflecting qualities; the toilet facilities were unsatisfactory.

To date, the rooms have been repainted. Toilet facilities have been improved, though they need further attention. A No. 2 oil-burning boiler has been installed. This has aided materially in the effort to maintain a more uniform building temperature. All classroom floors of wood have been sanded, sealed, and waxed. Two classrooms have linoleum or tile floor coverings and two classrooms, the office and the former library room have cold cathode lighting thereby improving this factor between one hundred and two hundred per cent.

During this five-year period the New School came into existence with its kindergarten, six classrooms, shop, music, teachers' room, health unit, and office space. At this writing, the addition to the new building nears completion, and occupancy appears probable about February 2, 1953. Our plant facilties will then consist of twenty classrooms, a kindergarten, a general purpose room at Center, offices, a health unit, teachers' rooms, music, shop, lunchroom, and a combined auditorium-gymnasium. South School, with two classrooms, will remain in a stand-by status. Our outside play areas will be quite adequate.

During this same period our program has been augmented by addition to staff and equipment. To those things mentioned in the foregoing paragraphs may be added:

Tape Recorder

2 Film Strip projectors

Film Strip Library
Bioscope
Microscope
Reading accelerator
Extension of shop opportunities as far as grade four
Providing a course in Human Relations
Development of the rhythm and instrumental phases of the music program
Remediation and testing
Emphasis of physical education
High School Visiting Day for eighth graders
Completed initial stages and first printing of a local course of study

Personnel—The following teachers resigned at the close of the 1951-52 school year: Martha H. Booth, Music; Eleanor F. Sullivan, Grade V; Ruthjane Robitaille, Grade III; Judith C. Weaver (second semester), Grade II. Of these, two left with their husbands who had received appointments out of state, one for personal reasons, and one to assume family responsibilities.

New appointments included Elizabeth B. Fenno, Grade IV; Nancy J. Heaton, Grade III; Prudence Morey, Grade V; Jane R. Owen, Kindergarten; Spero Pappas, Science; Jean C. Scott, Music and Robert B. Patch, Principal and Math. Four of these were replacements, two were additions to staff, and one made it possible to assign a teacher to full time work in physical education, sports, and recreation.

The Years Ahead

Two tasks now face the Town. One, painful as it may be to admit, is an "adult education program" covering three areas: (1) Understanding of the organization, curriculum, and administration of the local educational plan, in all of its aspects; (2) Re-educating or re-training adults in terms of services and the costs thereof which

will determine the extent of restrictions that may be required as the schools expand and budgets increase; (3) An awareness of all that constitutes the emerging role of public education as it affects the political, religious, economic, and social aspects of our culture. The last is essential in order that freedom-loving people may make intelligent choices in the selection of those desirable developments being borne along in the stream of educational and social science research.

Much of this may be accomplished through the program of the Lincoln School Association begun in the fall. The outcomes of this study, an inquiry into the status of the curriculum of the elementary schools, may point toward further courses of action which may aid materially in solving this problem. In this connection, studies performed by this organization, the League of Women Voters, and other delegated groups should have considerable impact on this problem and on the task mentioned in the following paragraphs.

The second major task is to provide adequate high school education for the young people of Lincoln. This is a job to be done in the immediate future. It will require conscientious, intelligent, cooperative effort on the part of local individuals, committees, and larger groups. it will succeed only to the extent that calculated risks may be defined from data provided by us and those who would launch such an enterprise with us.

Based on experience and familiarity with the plans which have unfolded in recent years in neighboring communities, it would appear desirable to effect a coalition with some one or more towns very soon. Without going into statistical analysis as a basis for the proposal it appears to the writer that there are sufficient common factors existing between ours and one neighboring community to warrant overtures intended to result in a practical regional high school plan. A quick projection of the current enrollment will disclose that our high school population may exceed 200 by 1958. Such a figure contains no allowance for drop-outs occurring prior to grade

nine (which amount to nearly 20 per cent) or increased enrollments, which, as they affect total enrollment figures, amount to about 23 per cent. It should be recalled that all recent predictions of future enrollments have been underestimated by from three to five years. Interestingly enough, the Report of the John H. Pierce Park Committee, submitted to the Town in 1931, estimated a total school population of 546 in 1950 which is within two of our total for 1952 — a good nineteen-year guess. An enrollment of 200 pupils would be equivalent to one-half of the enrollment considered necessary to warrant a high school. If our present growth continues, and every indication is that it will exceed the current rate, our facilities in the process of completion will have to be expended by the early 1960's, assuming that South School had relieved the bulge sometime earlier. It is conceivable that an adequate high school plant would be constructed such that, in the initial stages of its occupancy, there would be extra classroom space. Such space might be utilized by our own upper grades, creating a 6-6 plan thus giving some relief locally. At such time as the high school enrollment would require the extra classrooms, we should have provided for our local needs and the organization would shift from the K-6-6 to a K-6-3-3 or to that K-8-4 plan under which we now function.

Tapering off of school expenditures may be expected to the extent that the following factors permit:

1. Broadening and enriching the curriculum, especially developing the manual arts, home arts, physical education, and health programs.
2. Wider community use of the plant facilities at the expense of the school budget.
3. Needs for additional staff personnel determined by program expansion.
4. Revision of transportation policies.
5. State regulations as they affect teachers' minimum salaries and the enforcement of currently existing permissive legislation, particularly as it relates to health and safety.

6. Rising tuition rates at neighboring high schools.
7. A functional plan for maintenance (renovations, repairs, and replacements) which was introduced in the 1952 Budget.

As the economy stabilizes, school costs should tend to level off, since the fundamental requirements will have been met and improvements generally may be expected without a disproportionate increase in cost. Elsewhere in this report comparative data will indicate that the Town is getting a high return on its per pupil cost when it is recalled that our children compete most favorably with other pupils in the high schools of their choice. (See Table III.)

Transportation is no small factor in the increasing cost of our public schools. Even so, it may be a very small price to pay when one considers the safety of the children being transported versus the threatening hazards to children afoot on our numerous, narrow, winding streets. To provide safety for a sudden increase in the foot traffic could require alarming increases in other Town budgets; namely, the police and highway departments.

In closing, I should like to express my appreciation to the entire staff, the secretaries, the custodians, the school nurse, the local clergy, and the various departments of the Town for their cooperation which has had its effect on the success of the past year. More specifically, I want to thank those staff members, friends, committees, and other groups who have gone beyond the obligations of mere membership or organization status in their efforts to insure the success of the local educational program. Finally, I would express my appreciation to the School Committee, individually and severally, for its friendly, cooperative help and guidance during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

ANDREW J. MANGES,
Superintendent of Schools.

Report of the Principal --- New School

To the Superintendent of Schools:

Four months of activity are hardly enough to gain familiarity with the program and procedures in effect. It has, however, been sufficient to gain considerable respect for the quality of education in the Lincoln Schools.

In our effort to train the whole child, a second set of 3 R's is taking its place alongside the traditional Reading, 'Riting, and 'Rithmetic. This second set has been listed as including Responsibilities, Rights, and Relationships with other people. In our homeroom organizations, Safety Patrol, Student Council, student-run convocation programs, and what might be classed as extracurricular activities, we are attempting to provide opportunities actually to practice these newer 3 R's. Pupils, especially in the Junior High Grades, are capable and desirous of taking an active part in the running of their school. Only by having opportunities to practice democratic living in their school can our pupils learn that citizenship with social concern which they will use in later life.

The number and quality of our convocations have been limited by the lack of facilities in the Music Room. We look forward to the time when the facilities of the addition will be available for our use. As we become familiar with the facilities our convocations will become a more valuable part of our educational program.

With the addition of grade 4 to the New School, a total of 220 pupils will be housed in one plant. Without making any allowance for pupils new to the Lincoln system, we can look forward to 245 pupils in Septmber, 1953.

Certainly, the task of providing the best possible educational program for so many pupils will require the continued best efforts of our splendid faculty. As we look for-

ward to the challenge of the new year, may I take this opportunity to express my thanks to the staff and pupils for their excellent cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

R. B. PATCH

Report of the Principal --- Center School

To the Superintendent of Schools:

Each year a new group of beginners comes to enroll in the schools which the Town provides for them. They come gaily, confidently, happily, shyly, and longingly into this new world to which they have looked forward. We are duty bound to provide for them the best start in school that is possible.

"Well begun is half done" is an old adage which is never more true than when applied to the education of children. I recall reading this somewhere and feel that it is the theme to which the staff at Center has become dedicated. One major stride was made toward this end by the return of a greater number of Center teachers than we had heretofore experienced in my short term in Lincoln. Progress and growth toward any end can be achieved only by continuity of purpose and endeavor. The type of continuity necessary in education demands a permanence in ideas which can be gained through a well-knit staff, orientated and acquainted with the objectives and attitudes which the parents in Lincoln expect their children to attain in their schools.

In the school year 1951-52 a program in reading for the second grade was put into effect which was aimed at negating a deficiency in that area which was brought to our attention through the achievement testing of the previous school year. This plan was explained in the 1951 Town Report in the Superintendent's Annual Report. The program is not in effect this year since the objective

was reached — chiefly to give the children (that 2nd grade in particular) a good start in school. That the program was a success was borne out by our testing in the spring of 1952.

With the return of familiar faces, 1952 saw the start of regularly scheduled holiday programs at Center School with the responsibility for them shared by the teacher and the program taking place at the Town House.

A safety patrol was inaugurated in 1952 with added inspiration from the Town's Chief of Police. January, 1953, will see the installation of a new safety patrol made up entirely of third grade children.

Visual aids have been introduced quite extensively in the form of film strips. A complete library has been provided covering many areas and subjects for grades I-VIII. The new year will see the addition of many more film strips. The use of the motion pictures in the classroom will assume its place again in our program.

Respectfully submitted,

LOUIS J. SAPIENZA

Art

To the Superintendent of Schools:

Some of our general aims in our art program throughout grades 1-8 for 1952 were: to encourage free expression realistically and imaginatively by reliving past experiences, reading stories and listening to music; to enable the individual to be creative by giving individual help and a variety of media for expression; to encourage the individual to develop the ability to work with his hands; to encourage group participation for social development; and to realize the importance of art in our daily life as a means of communication and as a means of enriching ourselves and our community.

In that part of our program where we have encouraged individual and group work, results have been very rewarding. To cite some instances, we can remember this years fifth grade executing more stained glass windows to enhance the entrance of our new school, or the combined efforts of the seventh and eighth graders in painting all the scenery for the "Gondoliers."

But we should not forget the many opportunities we have had to work together in the lower grades too. In grade 3, the children saw marvelous results in their efforts as a class working on the Nativity scene for Christmas. There was also, in this one project, opportunity to work with their hands in constructing figures from clay and construction paper, to learn to paint on clay, and to develop the ability to understand depth, contrast, and composition.

In grades 1-3 the children were given more freedom to express themselves, and though there was direction in teaching a new medium or a phase of art, no formal adult standards were imposed on them. Then they were given such media as crayons, poster paint, clay, papier maché, construction paper, finger paint, yarn, and buttons to enable them to try different means of expression.

There was added emphasis in grades 4-5-6 on keeping the individual free to express himself, for now it became apparent that as the child was maturing and becoming more aware of his inability to create realistically, he was losing confidence in his work. Individual assistance was more necessary, and group work in figure and animal drawing renewed some confidence in the individual's ability to draw. More media — such as charcoal, pastel, frescol, watercolors, stick and potato printing — were introduced for further encouragement in self-expression.

Wood blocks and linoleum block printing and stenciling were successfully used in the seventh and eighth grades where the children were able to understand and execute more difficult media.

Other projects, including advanced study in design and color, and art appreciation in the form of reports and slide lectures, were also carried out at this level.

Our art exhibit in April evidenced a fulfillment of our aims and objectives. Although many of the projects could not be exhibited due to insufficient space, those on view to the public showed the children successfully using various media in self-expression, and proved to us the importance of art in our daily life as a means of comunication and as a means of enriching ourselves and our community.

Respectfully submitted,

Art Supervisor

Testing and Remediation

To the Superintendent of Schools:

Standardized tests, both those which measure mental development and those which measure academic achievement, provide the means for the comparison of the growth of children in a particular group against the measuring stick of others throughout the nation. The true value of standardized tests is achieved only to the extent that the test results are carefully scrutinized for the purpose of discovering particular elements of success or failure.

Dr. Sherman Tinkelman, in the pamphlet, *Are Your Basic Skills Showing?* in explaining certain characteristics of appraisal as guidance says:

The chief value of testing will lie in its regularity. A one-shot testing program may help solve the immediate problem, but usually provides insufficient information for a program of continuous guidance and instruction. Administration, supervisory and teacher planning are likely to be most effective when based upon regular appraisal of the growth and development of the child. On the basis of such a program of testing, the elementary school will be in a better position to determine the effectiveness of its program of instruction.

Our testing program in Lincoln is *not* that of the 'one-shot' variety; it continues with regularity. Well over fifty *new* students have been tested for mental development and academic achievement this year as an aid in placing each of them in his proper group. Consistent with our practice, only the most extreme cases were accelerated or retarded, for we hold that social development and physical maturity are equally important with intellectual development. Through an enriched program and varied experiences the capable child is challenged and frustration is minimized for the slow maturing boy or girl.

Because the results of several tests should be considered, instead of judging a child on the result of a single test, the California Achievement Tests were supplemented, in the spring of 1952, with the Gates Reading Test for grades four through six, and the Cooperative English Test for grades seven and eight. The results generally were favorable as the following figures indicate.

		Average Speed of Comprehension
Grade four	Gates	Grade 5.0
Grade five	"	" 6.3
Grade six	"	" 6.5
		Median Percentile
Grade seven	Coop. Eng.	76
Grade eight	" "	66

This year our plan is to progress one step further. Grades four through six will be given the Gates Reading Test while grades seven and eight will again have the Cooperative English Test. Further assessment will be made of mental development in the Third grade from results of the Kuhlman-Finch Intelligence Test. In the sixth grade we plan to administer the Otis Quick-Scoring Mental Ability Test.

We have an understanding this year with the Guidance Departments of both Weston and Concord. They have agreed to accept the results of our own tests instead of

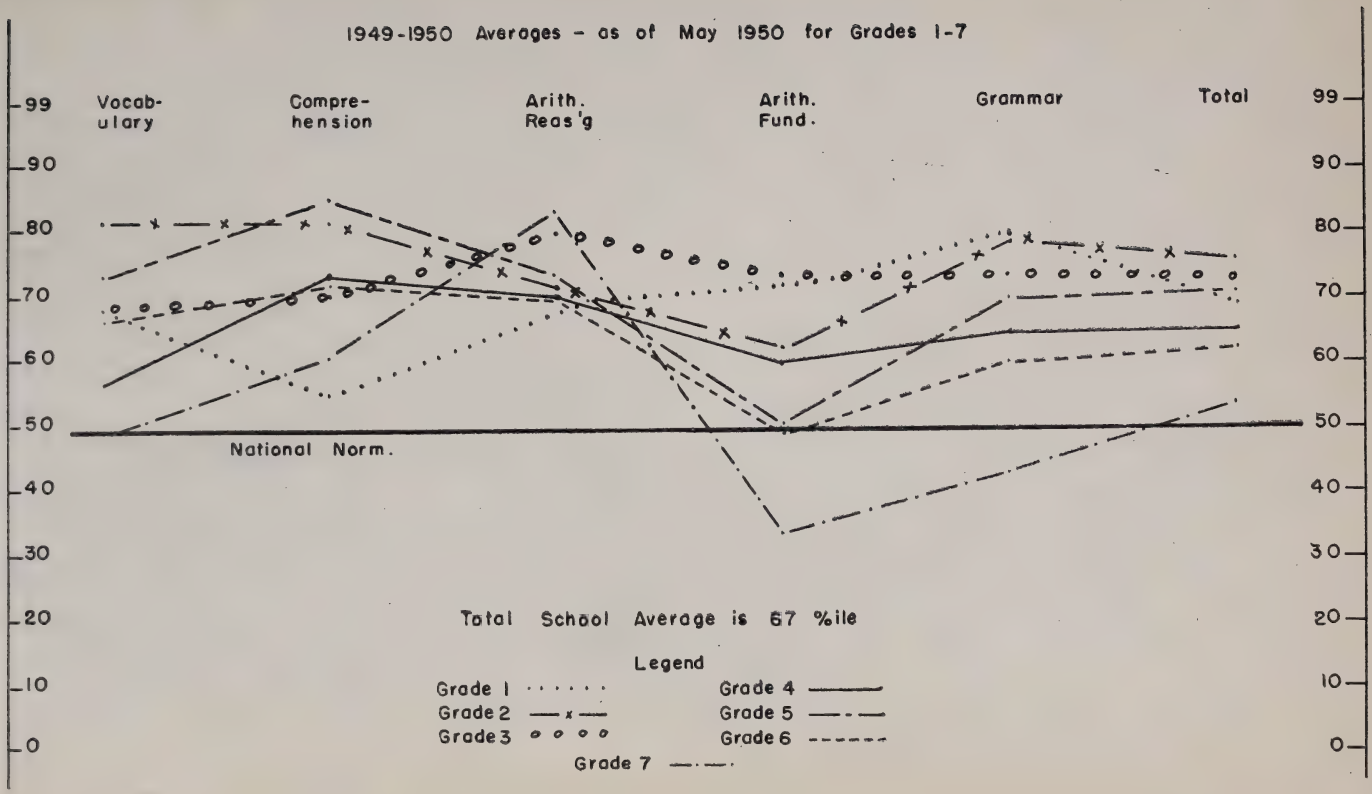
asking their freshmen, from Lincoln, to take two different batteries of their own choosing. This will facilitate the transition to high school and be less confusing to the students.

The whole school testing program will remain as finally established this year. Thus, by the time the student has finished the eighth grade, there will be the results of four mental development tests by which to judge him, including the Binet in kindergarten, and a complete battery of achievement test results from year to year which will show his progressive achievement.

The following report was submitted to the School Committee in June, 1952, together with other pertinent data.

Facts to Be Noted

1. The school average has remained the same for all three years of the testing program — at the 66th percentile — or sixteen points above the national average.
2. The low averages have shifted from arithmetic fundamentals to English and Grammar. The change in the latter may be accounted for by the fact that Spelling is now rated separately. The graph shows Spelling to be quite high, except for the sixth grade.
3. The medians run higher than the averages shown on the graphs where the very low scores of a *few* pulled them down. In no case was any median below the 50 percentile except mathematics in the sixth grade and English in the first. As little or no formal English is taught in the first grades in Lincoln, this is no great cause for alarm.
4. There *is* cause for concern, however, in the steady decline of the sixth grade (seventh in 1952-1953). The cumulative records give two clues as to the cause of the poor attainment in this group.
   a. The group was unusually large (over forty) in grades one through three; and there were two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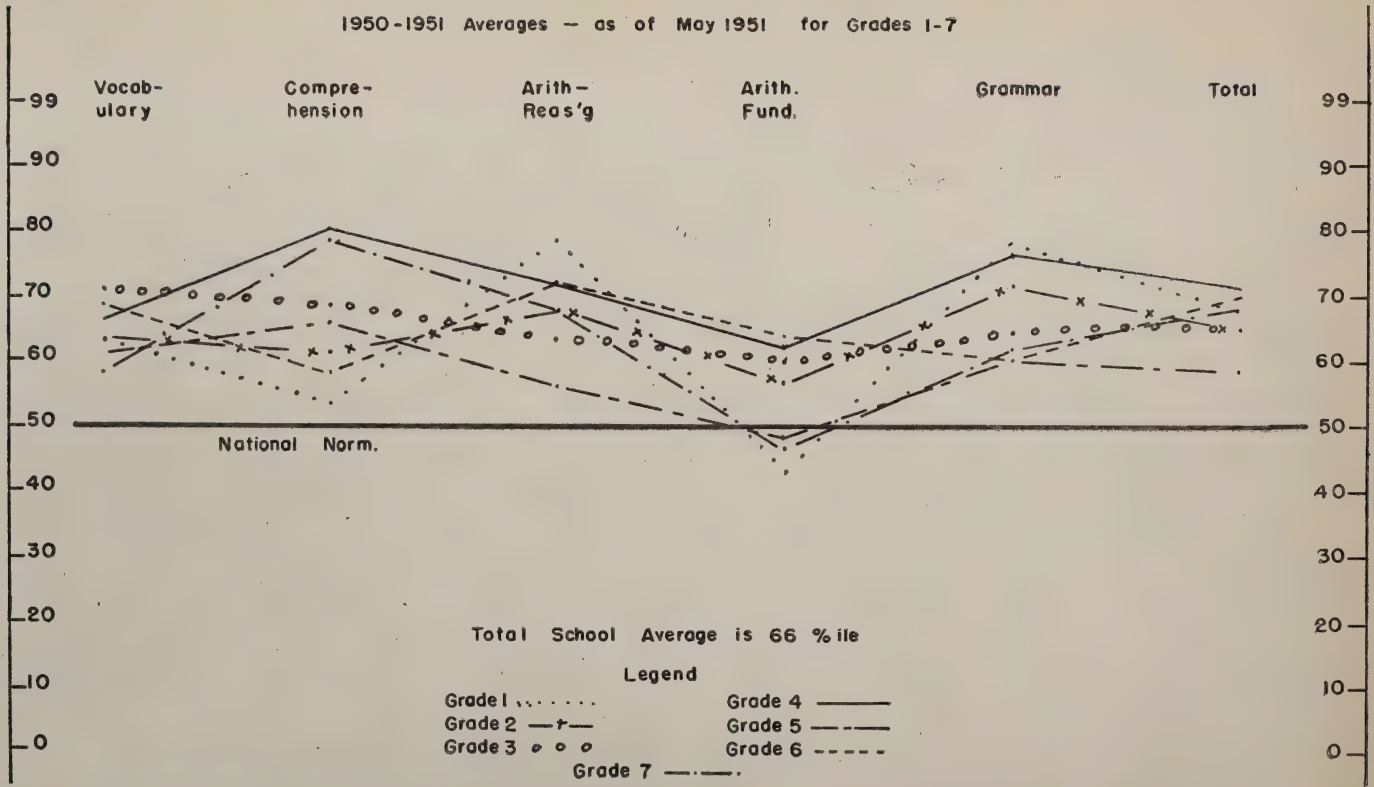
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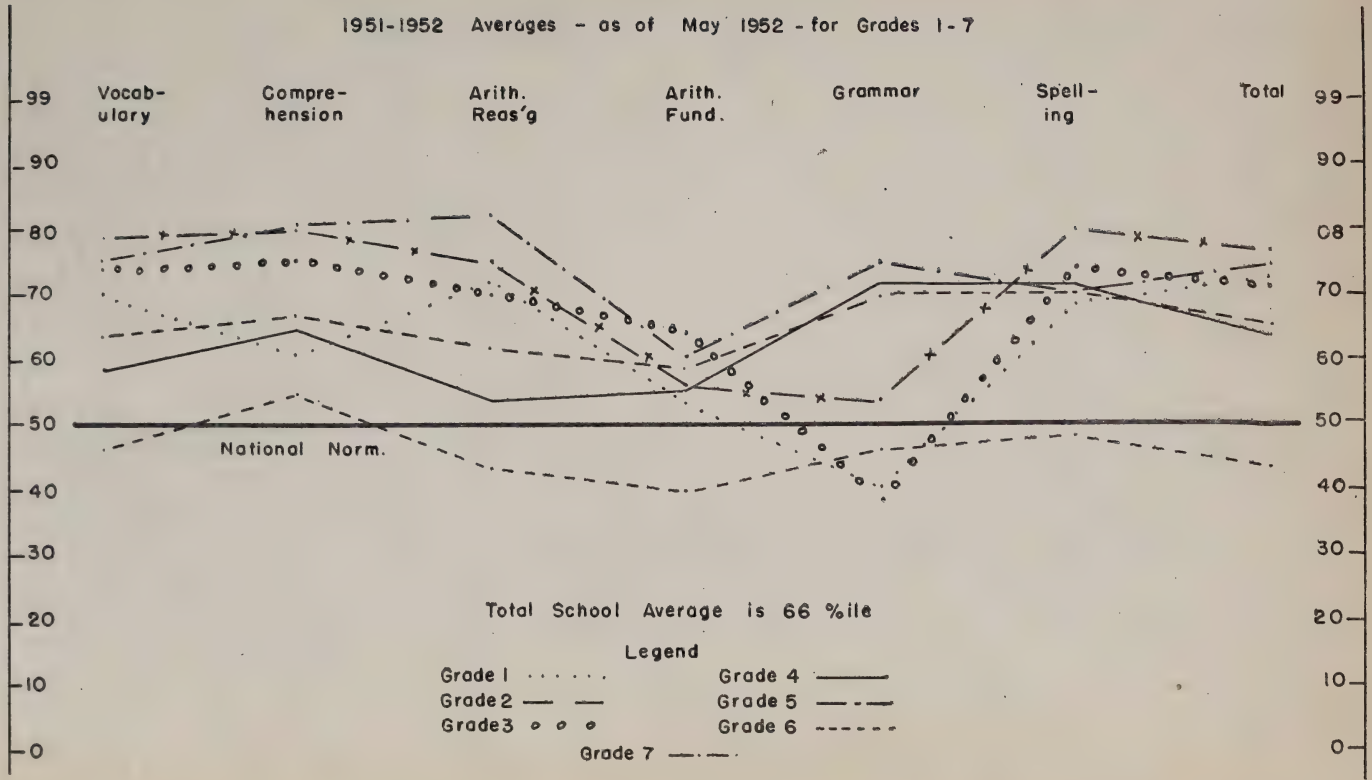
1951-1952 Averages - as of May 1952 - for Grades 1-7
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different teachers in both grades four and five (a half year each).

b. There are eleven children who are from five months to a year under age for the grade.

For these reasons the seventh grade will require our special attention during the coming year.

5. The charted graphs for 1951 and 1952 show that grade one of 1951 has gone up from the 67th percentile to nearly the 76th percentile in grade two for 1952. The *median* for this same group in 1952 was at the 80th percentile, again showing how the *very* low scores of a few can pull down a class average. Our special groupings this year no doubt played a great part in this improvement.

The remedial or development reading groups (1951-1952) were comprised of seventeen pupils in grades five through eight The last half year five first graders were added to the list as we were able to return five of the older pupils to their regular classes Testing in January showed that this move was warranted. Subsequent testing in May showed that the attainments of these five older students were not only sustained, but improved upon with one exception

When the results of the May tests were tabulated the following facts were disclosed.

1. The average gain in reading for the group of seventeen was 1.9 years. The highest single gain was 4.2 years and the lowest was for one individual who appeared to have made no gain.
2. The average gain in spelling was 1.6 years. The highest single gain here was 4 years (the same individual who appeared to make no gain in reading). Only one pupil made less than a year's gain in reading.

In September of 1952 new groups were formed which included seven third graders (who improved so rapidly that they were returned to their regular classes, after

four months, where they are doing good work as reported by their teachers), six fifth graders, and five sixth graders.

A new group of fourth graders, in need of assistance, will be formed immediately upon their arrival in the new building. They had been receiving help from the primary teachers on Wednesdays until the first grades returned to a regular five-day week.

The seventh grade students are receiving the extra help they need for the development of skills in reading.

Respectfully submitted,

Supervisor of Testing and Remediation

Music

To the Superintendent of Schools:

The following report covers the music program for grades 1 through 8 from September 8, 1952 to December 31, 1952.

Music is no longer considered a "frill" in the school of today but a vital part of the educational system. Since education is living as well as preparation for life, the music we study in school today is the music we will be singing when school days are over and we are adult members of the community, participating in the community chorus and church choir. Or, having grown to love music through pleasant associations in school, the individual will be a more appreciative and ardent listener throughout life.

The program in the primary and elementary grades can be broken down into five divisions, which, of course, are graduated according to level. These are: singing, listening, dancing, creating and reading. At all levels,

emphasis is placed on the singing of good folk songs, appropriate to the age group, or suitable for all ages. Listening is developed through hearing each other's singing, instrumental music, phonograph records, becoming familiar with the great composers and attending concerts. Folk dancing has been carried on in Grades I through III and folk and square dancing for Grades IV through VIII. Tonettes introduced in Grade III have proven an aid in learning to read music. Part singing has been started at the fourth grade level.

An attempt is made to stimulate the children's interest wherever possible. Using a wide variety of books from which to draw their songs offers them a more interesting collection of music. Accompanying their singing when possible by the auto-harp or by instrumentalists from their own classes has given them a satisfying experience. Using such percussion instruments as the claves, maracas and dance drum encourages them to digest more readily the rhythmic aspects of music theory. Including several different activities and attempting to initiate new activities into each lesson has enriched the musical experience.

The instrumental program has been expanded. Six teachers are giving private and group lessons to the school children four afternoons each week, and in addition, one day is devoted to piano lessons for children in the Center School. Instruments being studied are: piano, violin, guitar, auto-harp, recorder, clarinet, flute, trumpet and trombone. Children in Grades II and VIII are participating in the program, which now includes 70 students. A beginner's band of 25 has been organized. The instrumentation is fairly well balanced. This group includes children in Grade III through VIII and meets at 8:30 A.M. for an hour once a week.

The United Nations, Thanksgiving and Christmas programs have given others a chance to enjoy our work. The cooperation of the school staff and parents has been most gratifying. We are looking forward to our Gilbert

and Sullivan opertta, folk festival, instrumental concert and piano recital in the Spring.

It is strongly recommended that a music series be adopted, with the hope that this will enable the children to learn to become better music readers through a plan which is graduated to their particular age level.

Respectfully submitted,

Supervisor of Music

Physical Education and Sports

To the Superintendent of Schools:

A well-rounded program of physical education activities was provided for the pupils of the Lincoln Public Schools. The program was based upon recognition of individual differences, was wide in range, and was adapted to meet the needs and interests of the students. The activities engaged in were based upon seasonal sports with equal use of facilities for boys and girls. Tennis, football, soccer, basketball, kickball, tumbling, softball, baseball, newcombe, badminton, and volleyball were a few of the sports enjoyed by all. Each child has a chance to lead according to his merits, and follow according to his willingness. It can honestly be stated that no child had "spectatoritis."

Grades 1 - 3 have one 35-minute period a week with the physical education instructor plus daily play periods with their homeroom teachers. Large muscle-building activities, creative activities fundamentals of catching, throwing, and tumbling are taught. Through these activities self-confidence, poise, coordination, and the enjoyment of physical exercise are acquired.

Grades 4 - 6 have two 45-minute periods a week with the physical education instructor plus play periods with their homeroom teachers. They have games of low or-

ganization such as newcomb, kickball, dodgeball, and other games. Individual games such as ping-pong, bowling, checkers, and chess are provided for the children's enjoyment. Self-testing activities, tumbling, and rhythmic activities are provided. Our aim is to develop the large muscles, to improve coordination and agility, and to teach basic skills in some of the sports.

Grades 7 and 8 have two 45-minute periods a week. They have games of higher organization such as baseball, football, soccer, speedball, basketball, volleyball, and the like.

Rhythmic activities, which include square-folk dancing and social dancing are also stressed. Tumbling is carried on in a more advanced degree as well as individual sports. We seek to develop sportsmanship, team work, leadership, cooperation, and the enjoyment of play in all our activities.

After school sports are conducted on an intramural basis. Here children have a chance to practice skills learned in their physical education classes. Our intramurals consisted of football, soccer, kickball, newcombe, and volleyball games. The teams were chosen according to classes.

In inter-scholastic sports Lincoln was fortunate to win the National League Pennant but lost the world series to Concord. Basketball was played by both girls and boys and they did very well, considering the lack of facilities.

Recommendations:

1. A full time Physical Education instructor for girls.
2. Smaller classes.
3. Field hockey for girls.
4. Building of a sports library.
5. Insurance for all.

Respectfully submitted,

Director of Physical Education

Report of the Kindergarten

To the Superintendent of Schools:

The Town of Lincoln has had a kindergarten now for nearly a decade. During this time, kindergarten enrollment has fluctuated from a beginning of twenty-five pupils to a current enrolment of seventy-two. It has obviously become necessary to have more than one group of children and more than one teacher. Group divisions were effected several years ago. Further division was necessary last year at which time an additional teacher was appointed.

I am familiar with the objectives of the Lincoln kindergarten in past years, but it appears safe to assume that they did not differ greatly from our current ones which are helping the child to

1. Think and act for himself
2. Feel at ease with the group
3. Work and play with other children
4. Be able to handle mediums for expression
5. Be ready for first grade experiences.

These are carried out through the activities of the daily program which, though varied and flexible, generally follows this pattern:

1. Conversation period
2. Constructive work
3. Story time
4. Snack and rest
5. Music
6. Outdoor play.

In conversation period the children learn how to take turns talking in group discussions — being patient and thinking of each other are important outcomes. At this time pertinent subject material is brought up by the children which leads to a wealth of experiences, of which the following may be mentioned: the seasons of the year,

airplanes, trains, buses, and buildings. The topic of the day is generally carried through to the constructive work time, during which children learn how to handle clay, tools and materials required in easel painting, finger painting, and to work at the carpenter's bench. These help in developing small muscles so necessary for later work.

Story time is important as the children become acquainted with many characters and situations as well as enrich their vocabulary. Music, stories, and art media are all closely correlated with the science or social studies being discussed. Simple excursions, such as walks in the surrounding woods, and frequent trips to the beginning construction of the new school addition, gave the children chances for first-hand observations. Throughout the activities, the children are helped to develop respect for others' ideas, rights, and privileges, cooperativeness, sharing in all phases of work and play, self-discipline, thinking for themselves, listening to and following directions.

The whole program is a readiness program — readiness for the more formalized program involved in adhering to more definite schedules and following mass patterns of behavior and working by oneself with others in the room participating in various activities, versus the readiness program of grade I which is more synonymous with reading. Even in the latter instance, we provide an introduction to reading readiness toward the end of the year as dictated by the needs and abilities of the children at that time. Social and emotional development are closely watched and every effort is made during the kindergarten year to prepare the children for the formal education of the years ahead and the parents for their return to the primary school.

Prior to his entrance and during the kindergarten year every child is given a psychological test and a physical examination. These, along with the information blanks that every parent fills out before school entrance and other pertinent material, constitute the beginning of a

file folder which follows the child through his elementary school years.

Respectfully submitted,

Teachers of Kindergarten

School Nursing and Health

To the Superintendent of Schools:

I hereby submit my annual report of school nursing for the period ending December 31, 1952.

Schools have been visited daily. Weighing and measuring was done twice, and scalps were examined frequently. I assisted Dr. Randolph Piper with physical examinations in kindergarten (a.m. group) and grades V. Due to the pressure of work, Dr. Piper was unable to continue physicals, although I was expecting and waiting for him on several occasions. Arrangements were made for the entire faculty to go to Middlesex Sanitorium for chest x-rays.

Our kindergarten children and those new to first grade attended our Well Child Conference, where they were examined by Dr. John A. V. Davies, and received triple innoculations and vaccination as necessary.

There have been 233 office calls for treatment or advice; 67 pupils were taken home; and 209 home visits were made to check on causes for absence.

There was no severe injury or accident during this year.

The schools closed two days in March because 143 pupils were absent due to many cases of measles, virus infection, grippe, and severe colds.

During May I had the Massachusetts Vision Chart, also the Maico Audiometer from the State Department of Health: since we could have these for one week only,

not all pupils were examined. Taken first were those referred by a teacher.

Examined	287
Defects (eyes)	4
Defects corrected	2
Defects (ears)	1
Defects under treatment	1

Among our pupils there have been:

Measles	291
Chicken pox	29
Whooping cough	4
Mumps	2

The dental clinic held two meetings a week. We lost Dr. Harold Ehrlich to the Navy, but were fortunate in having Dr. David Farrell come to us in June. He is carrying on with the very fine work our dental clinic has established.

At present our pupils are enjoying good health. Thanks to a good group of teachers and a fine superintendent to work with, the year's activities have been a pleasure.

Respectfully submitted,

MARION N. OBER, R.N.

SCHOOL CENSUS

A. Distribution of Minors by Age and Sex October 1, 1952	5 yrs. or over and under 7	7 yrs. and under 16
1. Boys	71	215
2. Girls	62	199
Totals	133	414
B. Distribution: Location		
1. In public Day School	119	362
2. Other	.....	
3. In private schools	13	50
4. Not enrolled in schools	1	1
5. Special — Elementary	.....	1
	133	414

VOCATIONAL SCHOOL ENROLLEES

October 1, 1952

1. Arthur A. Hansen Trade School 1

TUITION PUPILS ATTENDING SECONDARY SCHOOLS

Outside of Lincoln

October 1, 1952

School	9	10	11	12	Totals
Concord	11	19	17	11	58
Weston	9	10	4	7	30
Other	1	1	1	0	3
	21	30	22	18	91

SCHOOL STATISTICS

Membership by Rooms and Grade

December 31, 1952

Grade	Teacher-Room	Boys	Girls	Totals	
Kdg.					
A.M.	Mrs. Warren	10	11	21	
P.M.	Mrs. Warren	8	10	18	
A.M.	Miss Owen	9	7	16	
P.M.	Miss Owen	9	7	16	71

I	Miss Johnson	16	12	28	
	Mrs. Booth	17	14	31	59
II	Miss Wilson	15	12	27	
	Miss Gavel	13	11	24	51
III	Mrs. Heaton	10	7	17	
	Miss Antonangeli	10	11	21	
	Mr. Sapienza	11	7	18	56
IV	Mr. Johnson	14	15	29	
	Miss Fenno	11	15	26	55
V	Mrs. Flagg	12	12	24	
	Miss Morey	11	12	23	47
VI	Mr. Czarnowski	11	11	22	
	Mr. Pappas	14	8	22	44
VII	Mr. McVinney	9	13	22	
	Mrs. Paranya	10	9	19	41
VIII	Mr. Berger	16	16	32	32
20	TOTALS	236	220		456

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AGE - GRADE TABLE

October 1, 1952

Ages by Sex

Grade	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	totals
	4		5		6		7		8		9		10		11		12		13		14		15		
Kdg.	13	5	**23**	**32**																			73
I			4	6	**27**	**20**	1																58
II					8	8	**18**	**14**	3	2	1												54
III							7	5	**24**	**18**		2	1										73
IV									6	8	**15**	**23**	2		1								55
V											4	8	**13**	**16**	5	1							**47**
VI													5	3	**18**	**15**	2	1					44
VIII															2	8	**13**	**13**	3	1	1		41
																	2	5	**11**	**11**	3		32
	13	5	27	38	35	28	26	19	33	28	20	33	21	19	26	24	17	19	14	12	**4**		**461**

PER PUPIL COSTS — 1952

1.	Population of Town	2,427
2.	Average School Membership	503
3.	Equalized Valuation, per Pupil	$10,184.00
4.	Expenditures for Schools	148,471.77
5.	Receipts Accredited to School	33,214.17*
6.	Net Expenditures from Local Taxation	115,257.60*
7.	Expenditures per Pupil	295.41
8.	Per Pupil Net Expenditures from Local Taxation	229.32*
9.	Receipts per Pupil	66.08*

10. Transportation:	Elementary	High School	Total
Number of Pupils	372	89	461
Mileage	25,866	21,164	47,030
Expenditures	$10,111.05	$8,272.67	$18,383.72
Expenditure per Pupil	$27.18	$92.95	$39.88

* Based on estimated receipts.

SCHOOL EXPENDITURES AND PROPOSED BUDGET FOR 1953

	Budget Items	Expenditure 1951	Expenditure 1952	Recommended 1953
I.	General Control:			
	Salaries	$9,158.08	$11,340.87	$12,629.00
	Expenses	675.96	313.61	367.00
II.	Instruction:			
	Salaries	55,488.20	68,316.50	84,705.00
	Textbooks	2,300.96	2,374.44	4,609.00
	Supplementary Books and Materials	3,846.33	3,448.85	4,303.00
III.	**Operation:**			
	Salaries	4,523.14	4,828.32	7,750.00
	Fuel	3,429.91	4,427.50	7,585.00
	Supplies	1,459.82	939.47	1,490.00
	Utilities	2,184.05	2,579.67	5,501.00
IV.	Maintenance:			
	Repairs and Upkeep	2,129.03	1,411.87	3,767.00
	New Equipment	2,706.51	2,013.50	1,346.00
V.	Auxiliary Agencies:			
	Health	746.03	567.27	885.00
	Transportation	12,824.73	18,383.72	28,369.00
	Tuition	25,496.10	27,013.67	31,675.00
	Miscellaneous	352.17	293.01	407.00
VI.	Vocational	169.02	219.50	290.00
	Totals	$127,490.00	$148,471.77	$195,678.00

GRADUATED IN JUNE, 1952

Grade VIII

Judith Anderson
Christopher Billings
Barbara Ann Campobasso
John Chales Campobasso, Jr.
Matilda Cole
Timothy Cole
Andra Olmsted Cowles
David Marbury Donaldson
Allen Raymond Dougherty
Geraldine Frences England
Virginia Anne Farnum
Sandra Forbes
George Michael Gordon
Adam John Gradeski
Carole Elaine Hart
Ellen Edith Harvey
Diana Healey
Katrina Allen Jenney
Joanne Chapman Kane
Claudette LeBlanc
Murray Mills
Daniel Seymour Parish
*Sarah Wood Preston
Ann Carleen Ritchie
Francis Joseph Smith, Jr.
Katherine Henriette Van Leer
Annette Weld
Kate Wells
Kathryn How Wilson

Concord High School

Marjorie Bean
Richard Brooks
Robert Curtis Chapin
Frank Domenichella
Janet Henley
Christina Kleindienst
Sarah MacLea
Ronald McIvor
Arthur Mills
Dana Murphy
Hans Van Leer

Weston High School

John Olmsted Cowles
Philip Playfair Kimball
James Carter Kubik
Eleanor C. Nelson
Robert Livingston Loud
Frederick Baylies Taylor, Jr.
John Pennock Wiley

Honors

Thomas Tuttle, Class of 1953	Harvard Prize Book
Marjorie Bean	Scholarship— Peirce Secretarial School
Richard Brooks	Lincoln Scholarship
Dana Murphy	Lincoln Scholarship
John Olmsted Cowles	2nd Class Honors
Frederick Baylies Taylor, Jr.	2nd Series Essay Prize
John Pennock Wiley	3rd Series Essay Prize
Llewellyn Bigelow, Class of '53	Harvard Book Prize

* deCordova Award.

TABLE III

Cities and Towns in the Vicinity of Lincoln
Comparative Data

City or Town	1950 Pop.	Eq. Val. Per Pupil	1951-1952 Sch. Support Per Pupil*	1951 - 1952 Exp. Per Pupil Excl. Gen. Control All grades	1951 - 1952 Exp. Per Pupil Excl. Gen. Control I - VIII	Organization Plan
Brookline	57589	$25,673	$339	$353.93	$301.97	8–4
Concord	8623	10,569	279	281.25	249.81	8–4
Lexington	17335	8,979	227	205.90		6–3–3
Newton	81994	14,859	287	285.93		6–3–3
Wayland	4407	6,264	206		122.19†	8–4
Wellesley	20549	15,049	272	249.96		6–3–3
Weston	5026	12,958	295	302.73		6–3–3
Belmont	27381	17,658	331	333.74		6–3–3
Winchester ...	15509	13,698	257	252.32	213.31	8–4
Waltham	47187	10,556	235	222.23		6–3–3
Lincoln	2427	10,184	232.56	244.09	204.00	8
Andover	12437	12,255	232	179.75		6–3–3

	Minimum Salary	Median Salary	Maximum Salary	Number at Maximum	Number over Maximum	Total Teachers
Brookline	$3,400	$4,900	$5,000	148	0	311
Concord	2,700	3,550	4,400	7	13	72
Lexington	2,600	3,600	4,200	6	15	130
Newton	2,800	4,200	4,700	17	121	548
Wayland						
Wellesley	2,700	4,300	4,400	21	56	156
Weston	2,700	3,700	4,800	1	9	51
Belmont	2,600	4,100	4,100	24	71	172
Winchester	2,800	4,200	4,700	5	21	114
Waltham	2,700	4,000	4,000	83	41†	244
Lincoln	2,800	3,300	5,000	0	0	22
Andover	2,600	3,400	3,700	11	7	71

* Does not include tuition, transportation of private school pupils, school lunches, out-of-town transportation, evening and vocation schools.

† Data for previous year.

STAFF ROSTER — JANUARY 1, 1953

Name	Position	Training	Appointed
Andrew J. Manges	Superintendent of Schools	Butler University Harvard Grad. Sch. of Ed. A.B., M.S. Ed.	1948
Robert B. Patch	Principal—New School	State Teachers' College, Fitchburg, B.S. Ed.	1952
Louis J. Sapienza	Principal—Center School	Boston University, B.S. Ed.	1950
Phyllis Johnson	Grade One	Lesley College, B.S. Ed.	1946
Augusta F. Sisk	Remedial and Guidance	Boston University, B.S. Ed.	1946
Ann G. Paranya	Language Arts	S.T.C. Montclair, N.J., A.B.	1949
Irma Antonangeli	Grade Three	Fitchburg State Teachers College, B.S. Ed.	1950
Edward J. Czarnowski	Physical Education	Boston University, B.S. Ed., Ed. M.	1950
Joseph P. McVinney	Manual Arts	Boston University, B.S. Ed.	1950
Hazel Flagg	Grade Five	Sargent	1951
Miriam Zartarian	Art	Tufts College, B.S. Ed.	1951
Harvey R. Berger	Social Studies	Tufts College, A.B., Ed. M.	1951
Dorothy E. Booth	Grade One	Indiana University, B.S. Ed.	1951
Sylvia Gavel	Grade Two	Tufts College, B.S. Ed.	1951
Robert J. Johnson	Grade Four	Boston University, A.A., B.S. Ed.	1951
Joan B. Warren	Kindergarten	Boston University, B.S. Ed., Ed. M.	1951
Madeleine C. Wilson	Grade Two	Wellesley College, A.B.	1951
Elizabeth Feno	Grade Four	Wheaton College, B.A.	1952
Nancy Heaton	Grade Three	Arizona State Teachers, A.B.	1952
Prudence Morey	Grade Five	Duke University, A.B.	1952
Jane Owen	Kindergarten	Wheaton College, A.B.	1952
Spero Pappas	Science	State Teachers' College, North Adams, B.S. Ed.	1952
Jean C. Scott	Music	Fort Hays Kansas State College, B.S. Ed.	1952

Warrant for 1953

NOTICE

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Lincoln in said County:

GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Town of Lincoln qualified to vote in Town Meeting for the Transaction of Town affairs, to meet in the Town House in said Lincoln, on Monday the second day of March next at 7:30 o'clock P.M. then and there to act on the following articles except Article 1 and also to meet in said Town House on Saturday, the seventh day of March next, at 12 o'clock Noon, then and there to act on the following Article 1, by posting a copy of this Warrant, by you attested in each of the Post Offices, and in some other public place in said Town seven days at least before the second day of March next.

The polls for voting the Australian ballot on Saturday, March seventh will be open at 12 o'clock Noon, and may be closed at 7 o'clock P.M.

Article 1. To bring in their votes for the following Town Officers and any other officers required by law, to be elected by Australian Ballot viz:

One Town Clerk for one year.

One member of the Board of Selectmen for three years.

One member of the Board of Assessors for three years.

One Treasurer for one year.

One Collector of Taxes for three years.

One Auditor for one year.

One member of the School Committee for three years.

One member of the Board of Water Commissioners for three years.

One member of the Board of Health for three years.

One Tree Warden for one year.

One member of the Trust Fund Commissioners for three years.

One member of the Trustees of the Bemis Fund for Free Public Lectures for three years.

One member of the Board of Cemetery Commissioners for three years.

One member of the Planning Board for five years.

One Director for the deCordova and Dana Museum and Park for four years.

and also the following question:

Shall the Town accept the provisions of Chapter 402 of the Acts of 1952? (See page 25)

This measure provides for restricting the use of lands abutting the Highway now known as Route 2 in the Towns of Lincoln and Concord.

Article 2. To bring in their votes for any committees, commissioners, trustees, and other officers, required by law to be elected by ballot or otherwise.

Selectmen

Article 3. To hear and act upon the reports of Town Officers, Committes, Commissioners and Trustees.

Selectmen

Article 4. To fix the salaries and compensation of the several elective officers of the Town and to determine whether any Department, Board or Committee shall be authorized to employ for additional compensation any of its members and to fix additional compensation of such members.

Selectmen

Article 5. To raise and appropriate money for the necessary and expedient purposes of the Town and enact anything in relation to the same.

Selectmen

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1953, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Selectmen

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to conduct services on Memorial Day, the thirtieth of May, appoint a committee, raise and appropriate money, or take any other action relative thereto.

Selectmen

Article 8. To see if the Town will accept as a public way, the private road known as Huntley Lane, as shown on a plan recorded with South Middlesex District Registry of Deeds, Plan book 7820 plan 4 and approved by the Planning Board of the Town of Lincoln June 11, 1952.

By Petition

Article 9. To see if the Town will approve the installation of an oil-burner in the present library furnace at a cost of approximately five hundred dollars to be paid from available trust funds, or take any action relative thereto.

(See Report of Library Trustees).

Library Trustees

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $406.80 to pay the following unpaid 1952 bills:

Cemetery Department	$272.00
Fire Department	35.89
School Department	98.91

Treasurer

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to continue the Committee for the 200th Anniversary of the Town and appropriate the sum of $2,500 for its use, or take any other action relative thereto.

(See Report of the Selectmen).

Selectmen

Article 12. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a sprayer and second hand truck for the use of the Tree Warden, or take any other action relative thereto.

(See Report of the Tree Warden).

Selectmen

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $300. for work on the Assessor's Maps, or take any other action relative thereto.

Assessors

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $4,000. for the salary and expenses of an assistant, to be employed by the Selectmen, or take any other action relative thereto.

(See Report of Board of Selectmen).

Selectmen

Article 15. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of $1,750. to be used in settlement of the suit against the Town by Frederick Stickel, or to reimburse the Water Department for funds paid in settlement of said suit, or take any other action relative thereto.

(See Report of Board of Selectmen).

Selectmen

Article 16. To see if the Town will appropriate for the use of the School Building Committee, the sum of $2,000. or such other sum as will complete the addition to the New School or take any other action relative thereto.

School Building Committee

Article 17. To see if the Town will authorize the School Building Committee to take preliminary steps toward the acquisition of additional land and ways adjacent to the New School, appropriate the sum of $1,500. for expenses, or take any other action relative thereto.

School Building Committee

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a sand spreader for the use of the Highway Department or take any action relative thereto.

(See Report of Superintendent of Streets).

Selectmen

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law by striking out Sections 2 to 23 inclusive, as amended, and substituting therefor the following Sections 2 to 16, inclusive:

Section (2) **Definitions:**

In this by-law the following terms shall have meanings as described below:

(a) Structure: An entire building, including appurtenances thereto, or any construction upon which human effort has been expended and which extends more than eight feet in length or breadth and seven feet in height measuring to the extremities of all parts.

(b) Dwelling: A structure, house, or building which is used or occupied in whole or part for residence.

(c) Family: Any number of persons living together as a single economic unit.

(d) One-Family Dwelling: A dwelling designed for one family.

(e) Two-Family Dwelling: A dwelling designed for or occupied by two families.

(f) Apartment House: A dwelling occupied by more than two families, or a structure occupied by one or more families above a first floor used for non-residential purposes.

(g) Rooming or Boarding House: A dwelling in which the family resident therein provides eating and/or sleeping accommodations for not more than three paying guests.

(h) Hotel or Lodging House: A structure or part thereof, or a group of structures on a single lot, where space is used for sleeping or feeding more than three persons as paying guests, regular or transient.

(i) Lot: The whole area of a single parcel of land under one ownership. Whenever such a parcel is divided on a plan which has been recorded or filed at the Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds the term "lot" as used in this by-law shall mean a lot as shown on such plan; or a lot shall mean a single parcel on the plot plan accompanying application for a building permit.

(j) Street: A public way, a way opened or dedicated to public use or a way plotted and laid out for ultimate public use, whether or not constructed.

(k) Street Line: The sideline of a street or way, as determined by deeds and plans recorded at the Registry of Deeds; where no line is thus legally established, then a line parallel with and twenty feet distant from the center line of a travelled way.

(l) Use: The act of using land or structures, or where the context permits, the erection, construction, repair, enlargement, or alteration of a structure intended for use.

(m) Accessory Use: A use which in the Town of Lincoln is customarily incidental to the principal use to which it is accessory.

(n) Non-Conforming Use: A legally existing use which does not conform to the zoning regulations for the district in which it is located.

(o) Private Garage: Covered space for the housing of motor vehicles, no more than two of which belong to others than the occupants of the lot on which such space is located.

(p) Service Station: A structure or lot used for the sale of gasoline and oil or for servicing or storing motor vehicles, other than a private garage.

(q) Automobile Repair Shop: A shop or garage for the repair of motor vehicles, other than a private garage or service station.

Section (3) **Administration**

(a) The provisions of this by-law shall be administered and enforced by the Inspector of Buildings.

(b) No application of any kind shall be approved unless the plans, specifications and intended use set forth in said application conform in all respects with this by-law, or unless the applicant has secured a written permit from the Board of Appeals, pursuant to Section 11 below.

(c) Any application for a new or altered use of land or structure shall be accompanied by a specific reference to the subject lot as recorded in the Registry of Deeds, or by two copies of a plan of the lot, drawn to scale, showing the entire recorded ownership, all existing structures, all abutting streets, and the exact area and boundaries of the parcel to be assigned to the subject use. A record of such application and plan shall be kept on file.

Section (4) **Zoning Districts**

(a) For the purpose of this by-law the Town of Lincoln is divided into 3 classes of districts, designated as follows:

Single Residence Districts, General Residence Districts, Commercial Districts.

(b) Said districts are established as shown, defined and bounded on the map accompanying this by-law, entitled Zoning Map of Lincoln, Mass., dated February 2, 1953, and filed with the Town Clerk. Said map and all explanatory matter thereon are hereby made a part of this by-law.

Section (5) **Single Residence Districts**

In a single residence district no lot shall be used and no structure shall be erected, maintained, altered, or used for any purpose other than the following, including accessory uses:

(a) One-family detached dwelling, provided that there shall be only one such dwelling per lot.

(b) Rooming or boarding house.

(c) Church, parish house, religious or denominational school not conducted for profit.

(d) Publicly operated building, school, park or area dedicated to municipal use or service.

(e) Farm, greenhouse, nursery, truck garden; stand for sale of farm produce by a resident of Lincoln, provided that a major proportion of all products sold shall have been raised within the Town and provided further that space for customers' cars is available off the right-of-way of the street.

(f) Office or studio operated or maintained by a person resident in the structure, or a customary home occupation conducted in a dwelling structure or accessory building by a resident, provided that not more than one person not resident in the structure is employed therein. In such cases one sign of not more than two square feet in area may be displayed.

(g) Accessory uses, including private garage, private stable, or farm buildings used as part of the operation of a farm.

(h) Subject to permission of the Board of Appeals, as provided in Section 11 below, the following: private school, cemetery, hospital, sanitarium, nursing home, or charitable institution; use of land or structure by a public utility; community club not conducted for profit; conversion of a one-family dwelling existing at the time this by-law was originally adopted into a two-family dwelling, provided that the exterior appearance be not significantly altered, and provided further that the lot appurtenant to said dwelling have an area of at least 60,000 square feet.

(i) Subject to permission of the Board of Appeals, as provided in Section 11 below, a sand or gravel pit or the removal of soil, loam, sand or gravel from a property not in public use. In granting a permit therefor the Board shall specify such limitations and safeguards as it may deem appropriate. This provision shall not limit the removal of excess material from a property when such removal is incidental to the construction of an approved structure or street.

Section (6) **General Residence Districts**

Uses permitted in a general residence district shall be the following, and no others:

(a) Any use permitted in a single residence district subject to the same restrictions as are prescribed therein.

(b) Two-family dwelling, provided that there shall be only one detached dwelling per lot.

Section (7) **Commercial Districts**

Uses permitted in a commercial district shall be the following, and no others:

(a) Any use permitted in a general residence district, including as a right those uses listed in Section 5h, and including subject to permission of the Board of Appeals those uses listed in Section 5i.

(b) Apartment House, Hotel or Lodging House.

(c) Retail store or service establishment.

(d) Business or professional office; bank.

(e) Restaurant or other place for serving food.

(f) Place of business of caterer, confectioner, decorator, dressmaker, optician, mortician, craftsman, or member of a building trade, and similar uses.

(g) Service station, provided that repairs shall be limited to minor changes and adjustments, and provided that gasoline pumps and equipment shall be so located that vehicles can not be serviced unless they are entirely on the service station lot.

(h) Automobile salesroom, provided that no display of vehicles for sale shall be permitted closer to the street line than the major structure on the same lot.

(i) Sign or display advertising goods or services available on the lot, provided that no sign or display shall project beyond the street line, shall be illuminated other than by indirect white light, or shall have a gross area of more than 30 square feet.

(j) Subject to permission of the Board of Appeals, as provided in Section 11 below, the following:

Theatre, moving-picture house, bowling alley, skating rink or similar commercial amusement place, but not including outdoor moving picture or dancing establishments;

Lumber, fuel, feed, or ice establishment, yard for the keeping of materials or equipment by contractor, landscape constructor, or landscape gardener; automobile repair shop.

Light manufacturing and similar activities, provided that such proposed activities will not be offensive, injurious or noxious because of noise, vibration, smoke, fumes, dust, odors, danger of fire or explosion, or other characteristics detrimental to a dominantly residential town.

Any permit granted under this subsection (j) shall be subject to the provision that no storage of materials appurtenant thereto shall be permitted between the street line and the front line of structures on the subject lot, or if there be no structure, within 40 feet of the street line.

Section (8) **Height Regulations**

(a) The maximum height of any structure in a single residence district shall be 35 feet or three stories.

(b) The maximum height of any structure in a general residence or commercial district shall be 30 feet or two and one-half stories.

(c) In determining the height of structures any floor level shall be counted as a story if it is to be used in part for sleeping rooms, or if it is higher than three feet below the average ground level around the exterior walls of the structure. A half-story is that portion of a structure under a sloping roof, the cubic contents of which are never more than half of those of the story below; if the cubic contents are greater than half, it shall be deemed a story. Limitations of height shall not apply to chimneys, ventilators, skylights, towers, spires, tanks, silos and other features usually carried above roofs, if such features are in no way used for living purposes.

Section (9) **Area and Yard Regulations**

(a) Except as hereinafter specified, there shall be provided for each dwelling or other main structure or use a lot with a minimum area as follows:

	Area
In single residence districts	40,000 sq. ft.
In general residence districts	12,000 sq. ft.
For dwellings in commercial districts	12,000 sq. ft.

Under no conditions shall there be less than 6,000 square feet of lot area for each family to be housed on said lot.

(b) Except as hereinafter specified, there shall be provided for each dwelling in any district and for each main non-residential structure in a residential district a lot having at least 80 feet of frontage on a street, at least 80 feet in any direction from side lot line to side lot line between said street and such structure and the shortest distance taken through such structure, from side lot line to side lot line, shall be at least 160 feet.

(c) The provisions of paragraphs "a" and "b" shall not prevent the use of lots, legally established at the time these provisions were first adopted, which are non-conforming as to width or area, but no such lot shall be changed as to size or shape so as to decrease its width or area.

(d) No more than 25 percent of the area of any lot may be covered by structures.

(e) No structure or part thereof in any district shall be so located as to extend within 40 feet of a street line, except that this shall not apply to uncovered steps.

(f) No structure or part thereof in a residential district, and no dwelling or part thereof in a commercial district, shall extend within 30 feet of a side or rear lot line. This restriction shall not apply to accessory building in residence districts, provided that the distance from any part of such structures to the lot line shall exceed its height above the ground level.

(g) No accessory or main buildings shall at any points be less than 10 feet apart unless they conform to building code regulations relative to fire safety.

Section (10) **Non-Conforming Uses**

(a) Nothing in this by-law shall prevent the continuation of a non-forming use of lot or structure.

(b) No increase in the extent of the non-conforming use of a structure or lot may be made.

(c) Wherever a non-conforming use has been changed to a more restricted use, it shall not again be changed to a less restricted use.

(d) Wherever a non-conforming use has been abandoned for a period of more than one year it shall not be re-established and any future use shall conform to this by-law.

(e) Wherever a structure, or part thereof, put to a non-conforming use is destroyed or damaged, it may be reconstructed substantially as it existed prior to such destruction or damage and may continue to be used for the same or a more restricted use; provided that reconstruction is in fact commenced within a year following the date of such destruction or damage, and the reconstruction is completed and the structure occupied within a reasonable time thereafter.

Section (11) **Board of Appeals**

(a) A Board of Appeals is hereby established in accordance with Section 30 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws, as amended. Said Board shall consist of five members each appointed by the Board of Selectmen for a term of five years provided that only one term shall expire each year; there shall be two Associate Members, each appointed by the Board of Selectmen for a period of four years, one term to expire every second year, to serve on said

Board of Appeals in case of a vacancy, inability to act, or interest on the part of a member.

(b) The Board of Appeals shall adopt such rules of procedure and exercise such powers and duties as are consistent with paragraphs 3 through 9 of Section 30 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws, as amended. Said rules of procedure shall include provisions for submission of petition in writing, for advertising and holding hearings, for keeping records of proceedings, for recording the vote of each member upon each question, for setting forth the reason or reasons for each decision, and for notifying the parties at interest, including the Building Inspector and the Planning Board, as to each decision. The powers and duties of the Board of Appeals shall include the power to determine action in the cases set forth in paragraphs "c", "d" and "e" below.

(c) The Board of Appeals shall hear and decide appeals taken by any person aggrieved by reason of his inability to obtain a permit from the Building Inspector acting as enforcement officer under this by-law.

(d) The Board of Appeals shall hear and decide requests for special permits as provided in Sections 5-h, 5-i, and 7-j of this by-law.

(e) The Board of Appeals shall hear and decide requests for variance from the terms of this by-law where, owing to conditions especially affecting the lot or use in question, a literal enforcement of the provisions of the by-law would involve substantial hardship to the appellant, and where the desired relief may be granted without detriment to the public good and without substantially derogating from the intent or purpose of this by-law.

(f) In carrying out the provisions of paragraphs (d) and (e) above, the Board may impose, as a condition of its decision, such restrictions as to manner and duration of use as will in its opinion safeguard the legitimate use of the property in the neighborhood and the health and safety of the public, and conform to the intent and purpose of this by-law, such restrictions to be stated in writing by the Board and made a part of the permit.

(g) No petition considered under paragraphs (d) or (e) above which has been unfavorably acted upon by the Board of Appeals shall be again considered on its merits by said Board within two years after the

date of such unfavorable action, except with the written consent of all members of the Planning Board.

Section (12) **Amendments**

The Planning Board may, or upon written petition petition of ten citizens shall, initiate proceedings for the amendment of this by-law or map, pursuant to the provision of Section 27 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws as amended.

Section (13) **Conflict of Laws**

Where this by-law imposes a greater restriction upon the use, height, and the area of structures or the use of premises than is imposed by other by-laws, the provisions of this by-law shall control. The invalidity of any section or provision of this by-law shall not invalidate any other section or provision thereof.

Section (14) **Penalty**

Whoever violates any provision of this by-law shall be punished by a fine not exceeding twenty dollars for each offense. Each day or portion thereof that such violation continues shall constitute a separate offense.

Section (15) **Effective Date**

This by-law shall take effect as provided by Section 32 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws as amended.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to accept Chapter 624 of the Acts of 1952, which provides for an increase in the annual amounts of certain pensions, retirement allowances, annuities and other benefits payable by the Commonwealth and its political subdivisions to certain former employees and persons claiming under them, or take any other action relative thereto.

Treasurer

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk, at or before the time for the meeting aforesaid. Given under our hands this 14th day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-three.

EDMUND W. GILES
HENRY DeC. WARD
JOHN O. WILSON,
Selectmen of Lincoln

Appendix

Vital Statistics

56 Births, 21 Marriages and 29 Deaths were recorded during the year 1952.

Births

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Names of Parents
Jan 11	Eric Alan Williams	Edwin L. and Helena R. Williams
Jan 12	Thomas James Geary	Edward T. and Katherine D. Geary
Jan 13	Edith Elliott Chase	Irving H. and Anne O. Chase
Jan 15	Norberti Francis Roberti, Jr.	Norberti F. and Frances O. Roberti
Jan 22	David Stewart Tew	John B. and Valerie H. Tew
Feb 2	Susan Miriam Lush	Morley J. and Mary K. Lush
Feb 4	Douglas Clyde Spence	Robert A. and Helen M. Spence
Feb 4	Earl Francis Daniels	Francis J. and Claire M. Daniels
Feb 9	Richard Jackson Parker	Jackson B. and Jacqueline A. Parker
Feb 12	Dan Metro Fedock	Metro and Hazel A. Fedock
Feb 12	Kenneth Rudolph MacLeod, Jr.	Kenneth R. and Margaret M. MacLeod
Feb 12	Benjamin Redway Pierce	Charles E. and Dora R. Pierce
Feb 14	Edward James Denehy	Edward J. and Bernadetta J. Denehy
Feb 15	Thomas Andrew Falter, Jr.	Thomas and Theresa H. Falter
Feb 19	Delafield Coert DuBois	Eliot and Barbara R. DuBois
Feb 19	Dorothy Blanchard Mead	Varnum R. and Janice H. Mead
Feb 26	Richard Fay Withington, Jr.	Richard F. and Katharine D. Withington
Mar 8	Patricia Marie Neville	James M. and Marjorie J. Neville
Mar 14	Bruce Rowlands Winchell	Gilbert S. and Amy J. Winchell
Mar 16	David Drew Hale	Hazen G. Jr. and Gail R. Hale
Mar 17	Joyce Louise Fillmore	Bruce R. and Eleanor L. Fillmore
Mar 18	Cynthia Louise Schoales	Gilbert C. and Dorothy M. Schoales
Mar 22	Elizabeth Heberton Donaldson	Gordon A. and Elizabeth H. Donaldson

Apr 2	Patricia Bernice Sweeney	Joseph E. and Jeanne M. Sweeney
Apr 5	Thomas White Crawford	John D. and Joanna Crawford
Apr 8	Lindsay Sherman Burk	George W. and Ruth M. Burk
Apr 19	Ellen Hutchison Lummus	John W. and Ann A. Lummus
May 15	Faye Bulkley Gilfoy	Donald A. and Helen B. Gilfoy
May 20	Deborah Lee Huntley	Oland F. and Alberta T. Huntley
May 23	Patricia Winefred Dean	William M. and Lorraine C. Dean
May 27	Patricia Ellen Goodno	Ralph H. and Pauline E. Goodno
Jun 2	Lisa Jane Lustwerk	Ferdinand and Ingeborg Lustwerk
Jun 9	Thomas Bradbury Gross	Thomas A. O. and Judith C. Gross
Jun 12	Walter Joseph Bonia, Jr.	Walter J. and Germaine O. Bonia
Jun 16	Cheryl Ann Bean	Malcolm C. and Theresa M. Bean
Jun 18	Deborah Ann Burke	James F. Jr. and Catherine C. Burke
Jun 23	Carol Ann Bergen	Kenneth W. and Emily K. Bergen
Jun 27	Linda Lou Messina	Charles C. and Lucy I. Messina
Jul 16	Cynthia Denise Hyde	Benjamin D. and Mildred B. Hyde
Jul 19	Deborah Ruth Busfield	Gibson L. and Marilyn R. Busfield
Jul 31	Nathaniel William Niles, 2nd	Robert L. and Virginia M. Niles
Aug 20	Bruce Edward Harte Johnson	Ernest and Grace M. Johnson
Aug 27	Deborah Kimberley Wood	Roy W. and Claire M. Wood
Aug 27	John Farrar Giles, 3rd	John F. and Mary C. Giles
Aug 28	Robert Howard Gormley	Robert F. and Gloria V. Gormley
Aug 31	Mark Joseph Hagenian	Joseph C. and Irene R. Hagenian
Sep 5	Mark Basil Moynihan	Paul V. and Rita Moynihan
Sep 5	Mark Alan Arnold	S. Leonard and Anna M. Arnold
Sep 15	John Eric Gray	Robert W. and Dorothy G. Gray
Oct 11	David Marcy Kirkpatrick	David W. and Margaret Kirkpatrick
Dec 1	Starr Daggett Lothrop	John W. and Ellen D. Lothrop
Dec. 11	Linnea Mae Hanson	Everett O. and Doris A. Hanson
Dec. 11	Ralph Stephen Flannery	Ralph and Constance H. Flannery
Dec. 17	Richard Lintz	Worth B. and Annette Lintz
Dec. 19	Patricia Ellen Cook	Harry and Kathleen G. Cook
Dec 30	Polly Brown	David R. and Sarah J. Brown

Marriages

Date of Marriage	Names	Residence
Feb 6	Jacob Robert Leed	Pennsylvania
	Mary Marguerite Snider	Lincoln
Feb 22	Lincoln Dodd Richardson	Lincoln
	Katherine Landsdowne Wood	Wellesley
Feb 21	Malcolm Rodman Stone	Lincoln
	Judith artha Koch	Concord
Apr 19	Richard Brakeley Hutchins	Worcester
	Suzanne Fradd	Lincoln

Jun 7	Robert Henry Hux	Virginia
	Rhoda McAllister Henry	Virginia
Jun 8	Rodney Pierce Cowen	Falmouth
	Eleinor Jane Henley	Lincoln
Jun 14	Leo Joseph Algeo	Lincoln
	Elaine Therese Costello	Lincoln
Jun 20	Paul William Maraist	Pennsylvania
	Mary Sawyer Kubik	Lincoln
Jun 21	Worcester Meriam	Lincoln
	Edith Margaret LeBuff	Brighton
Jun 28	Leigh Hale Gibbs	Lincoln
	Marian Lockwood Day	Brighton
Jul 4	Ralph Flannery	Concord
	Constance Helen Moszka	Lincoln
Jul 4	Gordon H. Greenlaw	Waltham
	Virginia J. Russes	Lincoln
Jul 5	Joseph Shipley Newell Jr.	Lincoln
	D. Catherine Hardman	Buffalo, N. Y.
Sep 14	Stephen Hopkins David	Lincoln
	Carolyn Wheelock	Auburndale
Sep 20	Wallace Dunbar Dexter 3rd	Milton
	Gwendolyn Stearns Gale	Lincoln
Nov 8	Alfred M. Bartlett Jr.	Lincoln
	Faith F. Sousa	Waltham
Nov 8	Walter A. Kinsler	Lincoln
	Barbara E. Croney	Cambridge
Nov 15	William Richardson Ericson	Quincy
	Marilyn Louise Dresser	Lincoln
Nov 20	Thomas Nickerson Rogers	Boston
	Jane Anthony Richardson	Lincoln
Nov 29	Joseph Francis Manning	Lincoln
	Josephine Mary Russo	Belmont
Dec 12	Chester Joseph Legere	Maynard
	Lillian Therese Gainer	Lincoln

Deaths

Date of Death	Name	Age Y.	M.	D.
Jan 4	Aubrey W. Burgess	62	11	3
Jan 10	Donald Robert Murphy			6 hrs.
Jan 25	Anna Rosamond Snelling	45	3	8
Feb 15	Mary Alice Algeo	70	10	23
Feb 22	Marjorie Lee Sharpe	34	8	8
Mar 22	Caroline Louise Conary	86	10	10
Apr 14	George Frederick Folger Osborne	79	—	—
May 4	Robert F. Rasmusson	61	—	—
May 5	Joseph S. Newell	54	8	25
May 19	James Gill Stephens	89	5	1
May 18	Mary Ellen Bradley	60	1	14
Jun 8	Campobasso			11 hrs.
Jul 9	Iva S. Mann	63	10	19
Jul 13	Margaret Crowley	75	—	—
Jul 21	Frank Herman Ehlert	79	10	14
Jul 27	Edwin Brooks Rice	87	3	11
Aug 9	Mary E. White	86	—	—
Sep 2	Ann Crowley	79	8	28
Sep 6	George Kolyshkin	84	11	12
Sep 12	Charles A. Hews	75	—	—
Sep 22	James N. Aveni	33	—	—
Sep 30	James Wood	66	11	10
Oct 2	Clara Wilhelmina Behrens	90	7	9
Oct 6	Mary C. Rooney	77	4	10
Oct 7	Grace Dudley	79	8	3
Oct 8	Caroline Snelling	84	11	28
Oct 15	Elizabeth Papple Witherton	75	7	14
Nov 7	Jan Anthony Rudzki	89	—	—
Dec 26	Frances Elizabeth Boyce	74	10	18

Valuation List, January 1, 1952

Name of Taxpayer	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real and Personal Estate
Abbott, John A. and Diana B.		$7,050	$317.25
Adams, John	$100.		4.50
Adams, John Q. and Lucy D.		39,550	1,779.75
Adams, John Quincy	510.		22.95
Adams, Ramelle C.		10,500	472.50
Adams, Thomas B.	200.		9.00
Adkins, Archibald W. and Dorothea		10,000	450.00
A'Hearn, Marian E.		3,150	141.75
Albano Bros.		300	13.50
Algeo, John T. and Catherine R.		4,750	213.75
Algeo, Mary A.		4,600	207.00
Allen, Lloyd R.		250	11.25
Anderson, Lawrence B. and Rosina DuP.		13,300	598.50
Antinarelli, Joseph J. and Helen J.		500	22.50
Appleby, Richard B.		4,500	202.50
Appt. Harry S. and Etta E.		3,250	146.25
Arnold, S. Leonard and Anna M.		4,250	191.25
Aruda, Manuel J.		250	11.25
Ashworth, Harold T. and Irma D.		7,000	315.00
Avery, Abigail D.		7,500	337.50
Ayer, Richard B. Jr., and Constance M.		9,200	414.00
Aylward, Claire M.		1,000	45.00
Baggs, Arthur E. Jr., and Marion S.		1,200	54.00
Baker, Fred L.	985		44.33
Baker, Fred L. and Lulu G.		4,580	206.10
Baker, John C. and Elizabeth E.		2,000	90.00
Baker, Margaret C.		5,000	225.00
Baker, Theodore C. and Mary Amory		9,250	416.25
Bardsley, Doris A.		2,600	117.00
Barker, Elliot R.		1,500	67.50
Barnaby, John M. and Charlotte B.		4,600	207.00

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Barthel, Walter and Emma C.		4,950	222.75
Barthel, Walter		100	4.50
Baylis, Lloyd T. and Leonne P.		1,000	45.00
Bartlett, Theodore		1,650	74.25
Bean, Anna K.		6,000	270.00
Bean, Elmer A. and Henry N.		3,075	138.38
Beebe, Alice W.		47,000	2,115.00
Beers, Roland F. and Helen C.		10,650	479.25
Belanger, Walter E. and Mary F.		7,400	333.00
Benton, Carl R. and Barbara A.		100	4.50
Bernson, Bob	350	1,000	60.75
Bernson, Bob and Edith J.		3,350	150.75
Bernson, Edith J.		18,000	810.00
Bertolami, Leo F.	110	4,700	216.45
Bertolami, Paolina		400	18.00
Bigelow, Dr. Barry	500		22.50
Billings, Bruce H. and Virginia M.		7,280	327.60
Billings, Bruce H. and Sarah W.		750	33.75
Billings, James B.	250		11.25
Billings, James B. and Marion		10,650	479.25
Bingham, Elizabeth A.		9,250	416.25
Bingham, Elizabeth P. B.		250	11.25
Bingham, George C.		500	22.50
Bishop, Fern W. and Marjorie B. Sharp		10,200	459.00
Black, Everett A.	4		18
Black, Everett A. and Anne E.		32,000	1,440.00
Blake, Charles H. and Helen L.		10,500	472.50
Blake, Donald D. and Alicia B.		4,550	204.75
Boccadoro, Joseph and Ida		100	4.50
Bogner, Walter F. and Edith		9,200	414.00
Bonia, Walter J.		5,400	243.00
Booth, Alice Burrage		500	22.50
Booth, Robert	3		.13
Booth, Robert H.		14,300	643.50
Boston Consolidated Gas Co.	85,000		3,825.00
Boston Edison Co.	143,666		6,464.97
Boston & Maine R.R.		900	40.50
Bowles, Clifford		7,000	315.00
Bowles, Mildred E.	225	12,150	556.88
Bowles, William	1,275	4,000	237.38
Boyce, Brothers	2,975	12,000	673.88

Name of Taxpayer	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real and Personal Estate
Boyce, Manley B.		3,000	135.00
Boyce, Manley B. and Alice M.		2,500	112.50
Boyce, Michael J.		4,500	202.50
Bradford, Robert L. and Martha A.		5,300	238.50
Bradley, James and Mary E.		4,550	204.75
Bradshaw, Fred and Julia S.		5,000	225.00
Bradshaw, Sally B. Davis		10,500	472.50
Briggs, Susan L.		13,500	607.50
Brisson, Norman F.	250	100	15.75
Brooks, Albert S. and Maude M.		5,400	243.00
Brooks, Albert	500		22.50
Brooks, Paul		9,750	438.75
Brown, Elizabeth G.		14,000	630.00
Brown, Marion I. and Bernice I. Stevens		3,000	135.00
Brown, Robert P. and Polly F.		5,900	265.50
Browne, Secor D. and Mary D.		7,000	315.00
Browning, Edgar C. and Katherine A.		4,950	222.75
Browning, George U.	2,760	6,000	394.20
Buerger, Martin J. and Lila		12,000	540.00
Burckett, Douglas M. and Phillippa C.		500	22.50
Burgess, Catherine M.		1,500	67.50
Burgess, Aubrey W. and Rebecca		3,250	146.25
Burke, Francis J.		4,250	191.25
Burns, Melvin P.		3,050	137.25
Burns, William C. and Daisy May Day		3,000	135.00
Busfield, Gibson L. and Marilyn A.		5,500	247.50
Butcher, Charles R.		1,950	87.75
Butcher, Henry A. Jr. and Margaret V.		2,100	94.50
Butcher, Ralph E.	450	4,300	213.75
Buthman, Fred A. and Ednah E.		500	22.50
Butler, Wm. H. and Mary G.		4,750	213.75
Buttrick, David Co.	2,500	10,100	567.00
Buxton, David and Lois Pardee		6,000	270.00
Calkins, Ramona T. and Whittier		4,500	202.50
Campbell, Coburn A. L. and Louise J.		4,200	189.00

Name of Taxpayer	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real and Personal Estate
Campbell, Fannie S. and Adeline S.		7,500	337.50
Campobasso, Anthony B. and Dorothy M.		3,100	139.50
Campobasso, Ethel		1,500	67.50
Campobasso, Joseph R.		1,820	81.90
Cannella, Calagero and Francesca	1,100	3,800	220.00
Cannon, Ellen DeN. and Bradford		22,800	1,026.00
Carman, Eleanor T.		10,200	459.00
Carney, Florence T.		3,575	160.88
Carrig, James A.		1,700	76.50
Carrig, James A.		2,400	108.00
Carstensen, Warren and Evelyn G.		3,000	135.00
Cassidy, Henry J. and Verna E.		3,650	164.25
Cassidy, Verna E.		1,300	58.50
Catoia, Angelo and Mary J.		3,100	139.50
Catoia, Anthony J. and Lucy M. A.		2,850	128.25
Causer, William O. and Mary E.		3,300	148.50
Chapin, Robert C. and Margaret E.		3,500	157.50
Chapin, Louise B. and Bertha L.		11,500	517.50
Chapman, James S.		4,775	214.88
Chapman, Lily T.		750	33.75
Chase, Ann O.		11,300	508.50
Chellis, Herbert N. and Eleanor M.		4,500	202.50
Chipman, Robert H.		4,000	180.00
Chisholm, Edward C. and Margaret F.		4,900	220.50
Chu, Chauncey C. and Margaret		1,000	45.00
Church, Robert T. and Priscilla S.		10,100	454.50
Cibel, Stanley A. and Thelma W.		6,300	283.50
Churchill, Robert R. and June D.		5,400	243.00
Ciraso, Michael and Amelia		3,650	164.25
Clark, George A.	45	3,650	166.28
Clark, W. Van Alan and Mary H.		6,400	288.00
Coan, James P.	100	3,250	150.75
Coan, Thomas F., Estate of		3,350	150.75

Name of Taxpayer	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real and Personal Estate
Coane, John H.		3,400	153.00
Coane, John H. Jr.		2,400	108.00
Coburn, Edward S.	1,195	6,200	332.78
Codman, Thomas N., et al Tr.	750	67,300	3,062.25
Codman, Dorothy S. F. M.		5,000	225.00
Cole, Edwin M. and Lucy F.		11,200	504.00
Cole, Nancy W.		8,800	396.00
Comey, Arthur C. and Elizabeth P.		8,000	360.00
Community Store	1,500		67.50
Comstock, Joan B.		7,350	330.75
Conant, Lily R.		9,000	405.00
Conary, Frances P.		4,500	202.50
Concannon, Marian E.		4,200	189.00
Condit, Robert P. and Phyllis C.		5,000	225.00
Conlin, James J. and Winifred I.		1,100	49.50
Connair, John J. and Margaret J.		3,100	139.50
Connally, J. Irving and Evelyn		3,475	156.38
Conti, Bartolomeo B.		6,750	303.75
Cook, Harry and John F.		4,950	222.75
Cook Brothers	600		27.00
Corcoran, Francis J.		3,000	135.00
Cormey, Henry J. and Illione W.		900	40.50
Corrigan, Edward D.		3,500	157.50
Corrigan, John F. and Mary		7,000	315.00
Corrigan, Leo W.		2,300	103.50
Corrigan, Martin		2,400	108.00
Corrigan, Mary K.		1,500	67.50
Corrigan, Phillip K. and Muriel		3,400	153.00
Costello, John D.		100	4.50
Costello, William B.		1,800	81.00
Cotoni, Carolana M.		4,600	207.00
Cotoni, Joseph	3,100		139.50
Cousins, Ashley B.		2,400	108.00
Cousins, Fred E.		3,600	162.00
Cousins, Harold S.		19,250	866.25
Cousins, Laurence B. and Jeanne B.		4,400	198.00
Cousins, Laurence B.	50		2.25
Cousins, Willis N.		3,450	155.25
Cowles, Addison and Alexandra C.		5,150	231.75

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Crane, Charles E. and Hazel G.		15,000	675.00
Crawford, John D. and Joanna W.		5,000	225.00
Crawford, Marshall, Estate of		8,750	393.75
Creelman, Gilmore B. and Alice M.		3,550	159.75
Creelman, Gilmore B. Jr.	50		2.25
Crider, John H. and Maxine R.		8,600	387.00
Croft, Robert		200	9.00
Crook, Russell G.		3,000	135.00
Crowley, Timothy J.		2,000	90.00
Crowson, Leslie W. and Madeline W.		6,800	306.00
Crozier, Christina B.		5,000	225.00
Culver, Perry J. & Kate S.		3,000	135.00
Cunnert, Fritz, Est. of	1,000		45.00
Cunningham, Elizabeth A.		500	22.50
Cunningham, Elizabeth A. and Edward B.		3,200	144.00
Cunningham, George E.		4,915	221.18
Cunningham, Harold L. and Corrine		3,600	162.00
Cunningham, Robert M.		2,900	130.50
Cushing, Gustave		4,500	202.50
Dahl, Thyra		5,800	261.00
Damico, Louise		2,350	105.75
Damico, Ralph	50		2.25
Danosky, Edward A.	350	1,400	78.75
Danosky, Edward A. and Mary C.		3,600	162.00
Danosky, Stefania	1,000	9,650	479.25
D'Arrigo Bros. Co.		2,000	90.00
Davenport, Robert H. Jr.		4,300	193.50
Davis, Alfred M.	1,250	4,750	270.00
Davis, Bradford D. and Barbara G.		10,200	459.00
Davis, E. Russell		19,000	855.00
Davis, Prescott L.	2,600	9,100	526.50
Davis, Saville R. and Anita V.		7,500	337.50
Davison, Archibald T.		13,000	585.00
Davison, Everett H.		2,600	117.00
Dean, Emma W.		3,200	144.00
Dean, Louis W.	7,750	9,800	789.75

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Dean, William M.	19	1,000	45.86
Dean, William M. and Lorraine C.		3,000	135.00
Dee, Helena A.		2,000	90.00
Dee, Thomas J., Est. of		2,200	99.00
DeFord, William and Elinor S.		7,100	319.50
Denehy, Edward J.	900		40.50
Denehy, Edward J. and Bernadette J.		10,800	486.00
Denio, F. Winchester		3,500	157.50
DeNormandie, Alice W.		34,500	1,552.50
DeNormandie, James	8,650	1,000	434.25
DeNormandie, James and Martha		9,950	447.75
DeNormandie, James and Robert L.		33,550	1,509.75
DeNormandie, Robert L.		21,925	986.63
DePavla, Dominick		500	22.50
Dewey, Davis R., II		15,600	702.00
Diamond, James E.		900	40.50
Dodge, Orien B.		2,850	128.25
Doherty, Josephine C.		17,000	765.00
Doherty, Mary E., Margaret A., and Marjorie J.		2,000	90.00
Doherty, Matthew H. d/b as Doherty's Garage	1,600		72.00
Doherty, Matthew H. and Elizabeth H.		11,300	508.50
Dole, Gertrude E.		2,880	129.60
Dominichello, Dominic		500	22.50
Dominichello, Frank	935		42.08
Dominichello, Frank and Mattie M.		3,800	171.00
Donaldson, Est. of Charlotte H.		8,000	360.00
Donaldson, Donald	60		2.70
Donaldson, Gordon A. and Elizabeth A.		7,000	315.00
Donaldson, Malcolm D.		8,250	371.25
Donaldson, Robert D. Jr.		6,500	292.50
Donaldson, Robert D.		67,000	3,042.00
Donnelly, Bernard F. and Josephine B.		1,500	67.50

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Dorian, Newart		3,750	168.75
Dougherty, Andrew J.	2,535	6,350	399.83
Dougherty, Dennis M.		2,900	130.50
Dresser, Charles N. and Ruth C.		6,200	279.00
DuBois, Anson M. and Olive S.		5,100	229.50
DuBois, Eliot and Barbara		4,900	220.50
East, John A. and Edla A.		5,500	247.50
Eaton, Gertrude S.		7,500	337.50
Ehlert, Heirs of Ellen		5,625	253.13
Emerson, Beatrice W. and Goulet, Dorothy W.		1,300	58.50
Emerson, Beatrice W.		1,000	45.00
Emerson, Heirs of Edward W.		500	22.50
Emerson, Heirs of Ralph W.		500	22.50
Erickson, Leonard V. and Martha F.		5,000	225.00
Evans, Lucius W. and Virginia C.		16,500	742.50
Fairbanks, Rollin		12,500	562.50
Farley, Louis C. Jr. and Isabel K.		4,500	202.50
Farnsworth, Kenneth C. and Marguerite M.		15,500	697.50
Fedock, Metro and Hazel A.		2,650	119.25
Fernrald, Alvin E.	200	5,900	274.50
Fillmore, Bruce R. and Eleanor L.		4,400	198.00
Fillmore, Ernest C.		6,800	306.00
Finnerty, James L. and Anna C.		3,200	144.00
Fitts, Charles K. and Gertrude W.		16,500	742.50
Flanagan, James and Wilhelmina G.		700	31.50
Fleck, Richard C. and Frances R.		10,600	477.00
Fletcher, Walter and Helen F.		6,750	303.75
Flint, Edw. W., Ex U/W of Ephraim Flint		1,900	85.50
Flint, Henry	500		22.50
Flint, Josephine R.		11,000	495.00
Flint, Warren F.	4,050	13,000	767.25
Floyd, Olive B.		4,500	202.50

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Flynn, Frank J.		400	18.00
Flynn, Helen C.		8,700	391.50
Foley, Harold F. and Rita E.		1,600	72.00
Forbes, Sherman H. and Annabell O.		5,500	247.50
Fradd, Norman W.		7,500	337.50
Frazier, Joseph G. and Harriet E.		4,200	189.00
Fryatt, Thomas F.		5,200	234.00
Fuller, Ernest L. and Doris O.		9,300	418.50
Garland, Joseph and Mira C.		2,500	112.50
Garrison, David L. and Alice E.		6,200	279.00
Gary, John E. and Maida F.		7,000	315.00
Geary, Edward T. and Katherine E.		8,300	373.50
Gertz, George L. and Edith A.		4,200	189.00
Gibbs, Norman E. and Leigh H.		7,600	342.00
Giblin, Mary E. and Ruth E.		6,630	298.35
Gilbert, John W. and Josephine L.		2,500	112.50
Gilbert, Mary J.		2,500	112.50
Gilboy, Glennon and Elizabeth W.		10,000	450.00
Giles, Edmund W.	1,350		60.75
Giles, Edmund W. and Muriel H.		7,100	319.50
Giles, Muriel and Edmund W.		5,100	229.50
Giles, Thomas T.	1,300		58.50
Giles, Thomas T. and Stella A.		10,400	468.00
Gilfoy, Donald A. and Helen B.		12,000	540.00
Gill, Mary		9,500	427.50
Glazier, L. Gordon and Gertrude	300	19,000	868.50
Goodfellow, Daniel R. and Eleanora A.		5,000	225.00
Gordon, Marie C.		4,200	189.00
Grabill, Elliott V. and Martha L.		11,000	495.00
Graf, Malcolm		2,000	90.00
Grason, Rufus L. and Edna B.		700	31.50
Gray, Robert W.		6,600	297.00
Greco, Louis and Katherine T.		600	27.00
Greene, Frederick H. Jr., and Helen H.		10,900	490.50

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Griffin, Harriet S.		7,000	315.00
Grinnell, William L. and Virginia B.		7,000	315.00
Gropius, Walter and Ilse		14,500	652.50
Gross, T. A. O. and Judith C. F.		5,300	238.50
Gustafson, Edwin Anton and Doris Margaret		4,000	180.00
Haden, Russell L. and Constance J.		5,700	256.50
Hagerty, Julia C.		3,000	135.00
Hagmann, Fridolin		8,500	382.50
Hale, Hazen G. Jr. and Gail Robinson		1,400	63.00
Haley, Arthur E.		1,500	67.50
Hamilton, Bessie E.		4,800	216.00
Hanlon, Albert W.		5,000	225.00
Harding, Catherine		2,500	112.50
Harling, Ernest J.		4,500	202.50
Harrington, F. Frank, Est. of		1,750	78.75
Harrington, Katherine A.		2,000	90.00
Harrington, Winthrop W.		4,100	184.50
Hart, Frederick R.		200	9.00
Hart, Joseph S.		7,900	355.50
Hart, Wm. E. and Isabella C.		9,200	414.00
Hartman, Henry F.		3,700	166.50
Hatheway, Louise A.	4,710	133,950	6,239.70
Hayden, Nellie B.		300	13.50
Healey, Harry R. Jr. and Jeanne C.		5,200	234.00
Heck, Mary Higbee		30,800	1,386.00
Hedge, Mary A.		10,500	472.50
Helburn, Peter and Margaret		2,200	99.00
Held, Arnold E. and Mary A.		3,700	177.75
Henderson, Ernest	250		11.25
Henderson, Gerard C. and Edith M.		5,000	225.00
Henderson, Mary S.		46,000	2,070.00
Henderson, Robert S. and Carolyn H.		5,000	225.00
Henley, Archibald and Lottie		4,640	208.80
Henley, Archie E. and Wilfred B.		2,500	112.50

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Henley, Merrill J. and Ida		1,000	45.00
Henry, Hall M. and Addie McAllister		10,000	450.00
Herlihy, Maurice K. and Jean E.		3,300	148.50
Herman, Edwards W.		12,200	549.00
Herthel, Stephen W. and Evelyn S.		13,650	614.25
Hess, Kenneth W. and Alice B.		9,500	427.50
Hews, Charles A. and Annie F.		3,500	157.50
Hinds, Edward H. and Edith M.		100	4.50
Hinds, Evelyn W.		8,000	360.00
Hoar, George W. and Norman W.		9,500	427.50
Hollingsworth, Lowell M. and Florence S.		7,000	315.00
Holmes, William d/b as Lincoln Hdwe. Store	1,500		67.50
Hoover, Henry B. and Lucretta J.		7,300	328.50
Hornor, Townsend and Barbara Graham		6,000	270.00
Houghton, John J. and Lillian		3,800	171.00
Howard, Elizabeth F.		13,000	585.00
Howard, Esther T.		9,400	423.00
Hoyt, Harrison and Shirley J.		2,700	121.50
Hunt, Lewis E.		4,000	180.00
Hunt, Merrill		13,500	607.50
Hunt, Pearson		400	18.00
Hunt, Pearson and Merrill T.		6,500	292.50
Hunter, Euphemia J., Heirs of		9,600	432.00
Hunter, Robert R.	1,000		45.00
Huntley, George F. and Lottie D.		4,600	207.00
Huntley, Medford E. and Blanche L.		3,700	166.50
Huntley, Oland F. and Alberta T.		2,900	130.50
Huntley, Oland F.	50		2.25
Hurd, Nancy Dabney		9,100	409.50
Hyde, Benjamin D. and Mildred B.		8,000	360.00
Irwin, Mary M.		10,500	472.50

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Jackson, Dorothy W.		12,000	540.00
Jacobs, May L.		15,000	675.00
Jenney, Charles J. and Katrina C.		5,500	247.50
Jensen, Holgar J. and Grace A.		3,100	139.50
Jensen, Olin A. and Agnes E.		5,100	229.50
Johansen, Rose May		1,500	67.50
John, DeWitt		7,050	317.25
Johnson, Ernest L. and Grace M.		11,500	517.50
Johnson, Fern A.		3,000	135.00
Jones, Chester L. and Anne B.		5,000	225.00
Keene, Clifton R.		5,000	225.00
Keily, Delbar P. and Gertrude F.		3,900	175.50
Keizer, Harold		1,500	67.50
Kelliher, John J.		3,800	171.00
Kennedy, Albert E.		5,800	261.00
Kennedy, John T. and Albert E.		150	6.75
Kennedy Bros.	500		22.50
Kern, Walter P. and Nancy G.		1,000	45.00
Killoran, Martha		3,850	173.25
Kimball, Robert M. and Barbara P.		9,100	409.50
Kindleberger, Charles P. and Sarah M.		5,450	245.25
King, Abigail A.		12,000	540.00
King, William T.	50	15,700	708.75
Kingsbury, Roy S. and Ann B.		2,500	112.50
Kinney, Robert C.		2,000	90.00
Kinsler, Herman F. and Louise M.		5,500	247.50
Kirkpatrick, David W. and Margaret M.		5,000	225.00
Kistiakowsky, George B. and Irma E.		11,500	517.50
Knowles, Harry B. Jr.	100		4.50
Knowles, Wilma E.		5,000	225.00
Kolyshkin, George		3,030	136.35
Kubik, Charles S. and Emily K.		6,000	270.00
Ladd, Edward H. Jr. and Agnes E.		5,250	236.25

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Lahey, Heirs of James		1,500	67.50
Lahnstein, Karl F. and Margaret A.		3,200	144.00
Langille, Claire M.	250		11.25
Langton, William G.		7,000	315.00
Larrabee, Leonard C. and Peggy S.		5,900	265.50
Lavery, Francis W. and Veronica J.		5,700	256.50
Lavrakas, Fofo		2,150	96.75
Lawson, Harold E.	1,500	7,450	402.75
Lawton, John J. and Beatrice G.		5,100	229.50
Leary, Edward B.		350	15.75
Leavitt, Donald P. and Christine P.		9,000	405.00
LeBlanc, Alphonse J. and Alice M.		2,500	112.50
LeBlanc, Philias	50		2.25
LeBlanc, Philias and Lena		5,850	263.25
Lee, Edwin John		8,800	396.00
LeMann, John		2,850	128.25
Lennon, James V. and Elin		3,800	171.00
Leslie, Maurice A. and Annie M.		4,340	195.30
Liddick, Harold S. and Virginia D.		6,700	301.50
Ligda, Myron G. H. and Evelyn D.		2,900	130.50
Lincoln Beauty Salon	250		11.25
Lincoln, Kenneth C. and Virginia		3,000	135.00
Linscott, Donald A. Jr. and Grace M.		4,400	198.00
Litte, Rudolph		3,150	141.75
Livengood, Eleanor C. H.		3,800	171.00
Llanover Trust, Ernest Henderson, Tr.		6,100	274.50
Lorrey, Mildred J.		5,575	250.88
Lothrop, John W. and Ellen D.		10,500	472.50
Loud, John F. and Mary L.		10,000	450.00
Lovejoy, Evelene T.		10,250	461.25
Luce, Peter Paul and Margaret		8,250	371.25
Lummus, John W. and Ann A.		4,050	182.25
Lunt, Heirs of Charles		2,600	117.00

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Lustwerk, George and Julia		5,000	225.00
Lynch, Edward H. Jr.		3,600	162.00
Lyon, Edward		7,800	351.00
Lyons, John J. and Ann V.		400	18.00
Lyons, Martin and W. A.		4,005	180.23
Lyon, Ruth		3,700	166.50
MacFarland, Charles C. and Phyllis M.		2,750	123.75
MacFarland, Ernest H.		6,000	270.00
MacInnis, Daniel A. Jr. and Francis Clarke		3,050	137.25
Mackenzie, Roland C.		12,000	540.00
MacLaurin, Richard C. and Ellen		11,000	495.00
MacLean, Heirs of Hector J. M. Arnold MacLean, Adm.		4,350	195.75
MacLeod, Edward and Hester M.		2,850	128.25
MacLeod, Edward Jr. and Mary M.		1,100	49.50
MacRae, Manning W.	200	5,500	257.50
McClennen, Alan and Louise H.		12,500	562.50
McCune, William J. and Elizabeth		8.300	373.50
McHugh, Katherine		500	22.50
McHugh, Mary F.		6,000	270.00
McLellan, John W. and Julia C.		3,150	141.75
McMillan, James B.		1,600	72.00
McShane, Nellie		100	4.50
Mahan, Russell P.		8,000	360.00
Mahar, Raymond and Gertrude M.		3,200	144.00
Mallett, Herbert A. and Eva M.		2,600	117.00
Malloy, Robert M. and Irene C.		7,500	337.50
Mann, David W.	6,500		292,50
Mann, David W. and Iva S.		22,900	1,030.50
Mannarino, Heirs of Anna		1,500	67.50
Manning, Joseph J. and Catherine L.		4,700	211.50
Manzelli, John		2,200	99.00
Mar, James W. and Edith		4,000	180.00
Marchetti, John W. and Sarah G.		8,000	360.00
Martin, Fred and Marie		5,000	225.00

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Martin, John O. and Candida W.		2,500	112.50
Martin, Wilhelmina W.		9,500	427.50
Mascari, Leonard E. and Grace B.		11,000	495.00
Matthews, Ida L. and Marion Clark		3,500	157.50
Mead, Varnum R. and Janice H.		4,500	202.50
Meade, Edmund J. and Eleanor H.		3,500	157.50
Melanson, Leonard J. and Mary		4,000	180.00
Mele, John A. and Sarah L.		4,300	193.50
Mellish, Eugene D. and Nancy		1,100	49.50
Meriam, Richard S. and Alice G.		12,350	555,75
Meyer, John R. Jr. and Marjorie R.		5,250	236.25
Meyer, Robert V.		5,300	238.50
Michel, Jules J.		10,040	451.80
Militzer, Raymond E. and Martha B.		18,000	810.00
Miller, Henry D. and Mary E.		8,300	373.50
Miller, Mary G.		6,000	270.00
Mills, Cecil R. and Lillian M.		2,500	112.50
Monks, Caroline T.		5,750	258.75
Monks, John P.	2,200		99.00
Monks, John P. and Ann S.		48,900	2,200.50
Moody, Charles P. and Josephine C.		6,100	274.50
Moore, Herbert L. Jr. and Sylvia W.		10,200	459.00
Moore, Paul		100	4.50
Morgan, Henry M. and Gwen G.		7,000	315.00
Morris, Milliage E.	160		7.20
Morris, Milliage E. and Beatrice M.		1,500	67.50
Morris, Robert E. F. and Clara D.		3,700	166.50
Morris, Robert H. and Irene S.		4,500	202.50
Morrissey, Elizabeth Ann		1,900	85.50
Morrissey, John J.	500	5,800	283.50
Morse, Thomas R.		12,300	553.50
Moses, John P. and Alice W.		6,500	292.50
Moszka, Stanley E. and Anna		2,800	126.00
Mukhitarian, Samuel and Stephanie		3,050	137.25

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Murphy, Bridget		4,500	202.50
Murphy, Cyrus W. and Persis S.		2,950	132.75
Murphy, Edward W.		5,000	225.00
Murphy, Heirs of Jeremiah		3,500	157.50
Murphy, Mina Dorothea		3,500	157.50
Murphy, Otis W. and Patricia		50	2.25
Murphy, William F.		10,750	483.75
Neary, Patrick J. and Alice B.		4,200	189.00
Nielsen, Svend H. and Virginia R.		10,000	450.00
Nelson, Albert E. and Marjorie E.		5,900	265.50
Nelson, Erik J.		1,500	67.50
Nelson, W. Newton and Eleanor R.		9,850	443.25
Neumann, Ernest P. and Sylvia		8,250	371.25
Neville, Ellen M., Heirs of		900	40.50
Neville, Mary A. and Delia M.	2,425	4,350	304.88
Newell, Joseph S. and Lena M.		8,500	382.50
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	65,100	4,000	3,109.50
Newton, Harland B. and Ethel H.		7,300	328.50
Newton, Hazel H.		5,800	261.00
Nichols, Walter and Ethel D.		5,100	229.50
Niles, Robert I. and Virginia M.		6,700	301.50
Northeastern Gas Transmission Co.		43,100	1,939.50
Norton, Paul L.		1,500	67.50
Norton, Paul L. and Margaret		6,500	292.50
Nystrom, Foster H. and Edna C.		5,900	265.50
Ockels, Theodore S. and Rosemarie G.		300	13.50
Ogden, Warren G., Jr.		6,000	270.00
O'Reilly, Andrew J. and Josephine M.		5,000	225.00
O'Reilly, Joseph J. and Camilla M.		3,800	171.00
Osborne, Gordon and Freda W.		19,940	897.30
O'Sullivan, William J.	700		31.50

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O'Sullivan, William J. and Mary E.		35,000	1,575.00
Owen, Carleton W. and Marion J.		5,000	225.00
Paddock, Louis E. and Anne E.		7,000	315.00
Page, Elliott F. and Emily R.		3,800	171.00
Page, William N. and Elizabeth J.		8,000	360.00
Paine, Charles H.		200	9.00
Pallotta, Henry and Eleanor A.		4,500	202.50
Palmer, Attelio A. and Kathryne		4,600	207.00
Palmer, Eleanor M.		7,500	337.50
Panetta, Franklin and Theresa		350	15.75
Panetta, Pasquale	535		24.08
Panetta, Pasquale and Mary		4,400	198.00
Parish, Edward C. Jr. and Joan DeF.		6,900	310.50
Parker, Jackson		3,100	139.50
Parker, William J. Jr. and Evangeline C.		1,750	78.75
Parker, William J. Jr.		3,625	163.13
Parks, Henry A. and Harriet A.		2,300	103.50
Pattinson, Mary I.		6,600	297.00
Pavlo, Samuel G.		400	18.00
Pazzano, Charles H. Jr. and Mary R.		250	11.25
Pearson, Florist (Partnership Theo, A. Pearson)		2,500	112.50
Peck, Mildred E.		3,850	173.25
Pederson, Sarah A.		1,100	49.50
Peirce, Harriet T.		4,200	189.00
Pellandini, Robert T. and Virginia A.		4,700	211.50
Peloquin, Roy J. and Alice M.		4,300	193.50
Pertzoff, Constantin A.	1,010		45.45
Pertzoff, Constantin A. and Olga		38,740	1,743.30
Pertzoff, Olga		9,600	432.00
Peterson, John R. and Mary V.		7,500	337.50
Peterson, Roy C.		3,300	148.50
Phillips, Henry B. and Charlotte T.		16,250	731.25

Name of Taxpayer	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real and Personal Estate
Pierce, Charles Eliot and Dora R.		12,500	562.50
Place, Daniel N.		1,150	51.75
Poinier, Donald and Roberta		4,900	220.50
Pollard, Frederick H. et al		13,000	585.00
Poole, Ruth E. and Frederick		9,700	436.50
Poor, Jane H. and Marion A. Fitch	1,000	12,500	607.50
Potter, Howard L. and Barbara V.		6,000	270.00
Powers, William C. and Clara E.		2,500	112.50
Preston, Jean W.		24,000	1,080.00
Primak, John	985		44.33
Primak, John and Lena		10,300	463.50
Prouty, C. Newton		1,000	45.00
Quarton, Gardner and Frances		15,030	676.35
Ragan, Ralph R. and Ruth M.		5,000	225.00
Rand, Janet G.		6,000	270.00
Rand, Lucy K.		21,500	967.50
Rando, Giovanina		4,850	218.25
Reed, Kenneth C. and Margaret M.		1,000	45.00
Rice, Arthur W. Jr. and Pauline K.		12,200	549.00
Rice, Richard B. and Grace W.	1,750	3,300	227.25
Rice, Warren A. and Ruth H.		9,100	409.50
Richardson, Howard C.		200	9.00
Richardson, Lyle		13,000	585.00
Riley, Allston and Marion		10,400	468.00
Riley, William B. and Mary M.		1,900	85.50
Robbins, Roland W. and Geraldine		3,000	135.00
Roberti, Norbert F.		4,250	191.25
Robichaud, George V. and Emma		4,500	202.50
Robinson, Dora J.		3,500	157.50
Robus, Tamzin K.		2,500	112.50
Rodiman, Mildred M.		1,000	45.00
Rogers, Edward H.	760	19,000	889.20
Rogers, John H., Est. of		7,000	315.00
Rollins, Elmer A.		800	36.00

Name of Taxpayer	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real and Personal Estate
Rood, Allan and Jane		6,400	288.00
Rooney, Edward D. and Elizabeth M.		5,300	238.50
Rooney, John J. and Margaret C.		1,500	67.50
Rooney, Leonard A. and Helen L.		3,000	135.00
Root, Harriet E.		600	27.00
Root, Lily F.		3,350	150.75
Rouner, Thomas J.	125		5.63
Rouner, Thomas J. and Doris J.		8,250	371.25
Rowe, Lawrence L. and Mildred M.		1,700	76.50
Rowe, Standish		5,500	247.50
Rudski, Jan A. and Mary		4,150	186.75
Russes, Frances		2,900	130.50
Ryan, Anastasia, Heirs of		2,400	108.00
Ryan, Frank A.		100	4.50
Ryan, James	100		4.50
Ryan, Lawrence		3,500	157.50
Ryan, Mary J.		4,000	180.00
Sagendorph, George A. and Jane H.		16,000	720.00
Santangelo, Laura B. and John		350	15.75
Sargent, Francis B.		10,000	450.00
Sawtell, Clement C. and Adelaide T.		6,000	270.00
Schaal, Albert A. and Zelpha M.		200	9.00
Schoales, Gilbert C.	100		4.50
Schumacher, August		2,200	99.90
Schumacher, August and Mary L.		1,000	45.00
Schwann, William and Sonya		7,450	335.25
Scott, Gordon and Beatrice V.		8,700	391.50
Scott, Herman H.		7,500	337.50
Scott, Robert W.	500	26,100	1,197.00
Sears, Ann		1,000	45.00
Secora, Julia		2,000	90.00
Seeckts, Ehlert		3,250	146.25
Seeckts, Marion E. and Ehlert W.		4,000	180.00
Segadelli, Doris C. and John J.		500	22.50
Shank, Maurice E. and Virginia		4,000	180.00
Shaw, Alice DeS.		20,000	900.00

Name of Taxpayer	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real and Personal Estate
Shea, Catherine E.		4,500	202.50
Shepard, Paul F.	135	4,650	215.33
Sherman, Daniel E.		9,800	441.00
Sherman, Daniel E. Jr.	1,300	5,250	294.75
Sherman, Mary J.		150	6.75
Sherwin, Edward V.		1,500	67.50
Shumway, Herbert L. and Violet A.		7,200	324.00
Siler, William C. and Barbara Jean		4,400	198.00
Silva, Manuel, Heirs of		21,250	956.25
Silva, Mary	10,950		492.75
Simonds, Anthony J. and Lena J.		5,300	238.50
Sims, Mildred A.		1,700	76.50
Sisson, John H. and Barbara		6,300	283.50
Small, William A. and Dolina N.		6,200	279.00
Smith, Carl D. and Florence C.		5,500	247.50
Smith, John E. and Helen M.		5,000	225.00
Smith, Sumner	2,000	55,700	2,596.50
Smith-Peterson, Helda D.		2,150	96.75
Smith, William B. and Mary W.		3,900	175.50
Snelling, Caroline		4,500	202.50
Snelling, Charles A.		4,100	184.50
Snelling, Dorothy R.		4,300	193.50
Snelling, Howard and Elizabeth		4,500	202.50
Snider, Joseph L. and Greta W.		7,650	344.25
Snow, Clayton, R. and Carolyn L.		2,300	103.50
Sorenson, Hans, Heirs of		4,050	182.25
Sorenson, J. Oscar		4,250	191.25
Spence, Robert A. and Helen M.		6,000	270.00
Spencer, Henry W. and Marguerite G.		1,500	67.50
Spooner, Lily T.		4,250	191.25
Sterner, John and Janice M.		7,400	333.00
Stevens, Kimball C. and Eleanor G.		5,500	247.50
Stewart, Blanch L.		600	27.00
Stockellburg, Arthur A. and Jennie L.		1,500	67.50
Stone, Edith C.		300	13.50
Stratton, Katherine U.		10,600	477.00

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Street, Earle B. and Janet H.		4,500	202.50
Stuart, Edward T.		1,500	67.50
Sturgis, Alanson H. Jr. and Anne H.		4,750	213.75
Sturm, Henry A. Jr. and Harriet W.		5,200	234.00
Sullivan, Winifred P.		1,200	54.00
Swanson, Alfred and Alma		7,450	335.25
Swanson, Arthur W. and Helen K.		7,600	342.00
Swanson, John, Realty Corp.		12,500	562.50
Swift, Orlando B.	200		9.00
Swift, Orlando B. and Janice B.		7,650	344.25
Swinconeck, John J.		1,600	72.00
Taillacq, Elsie		4,000	180.00
Tarbell, George G., et al. Tr. u/w of George G. Tarbell		20,200	909.00
Tarbell, George G. Jr.		8,000	360.00
Tarky, William J. Jr.		1,000	45.00
Tasker, Eliza J.		3,500	157.50
Taylor, Beulah A.		5,050	227.25
Taylor, Edward S. and Constance R.		7.150	321.75
Teabo, Eugene and Alice M.		900	40.50
Tew, John B.		15,400	693.00
Thiessen, Arthur E. and Laura		13,500	607.50
Thoma, Henry F. and Mary A.		5,000	225.00
Thorpe, Margaret M.		5,750	258.75
Thorson, Robert H. and Kathryn F.		7,100	319.50
Todd, Mabel H.		18,500	832.50
Todd, Pauline E. Adm. u/w C. Lee Todd		26,900	1,210.50
Toler, Louise C.		500	22.50
Tonseth, Didrick and Phebe		1,850	83.25
Torode, Herbert L. and Lorraine S.		3,000	135.00
Townsend, John B. and Helen A.		2,000	90.00
Tracy, John W. and Gertrude G.		2,830	127.35
Tracey, Joseph R. and Elizabeth C.		500	22.50
Tracey, Elizabeth C.		8,300	373.50

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Trenholm, Charles E. and Harriet M.		725	32.63
Trull, Sybil Shaw, Ex.		200	9.00
Tyler, Ethel A., Admx. Est. of Fred Tyler		2,700	121.50
Tyler, Watson, Heirs of		2,700	121.50
Umbrello, Francis	4,930		221.85
Umbrello, Francis and Virginia		8,950	402.75
VanLeer, Hans L.	5,133	900	271.48
VanLeer, Hans L. and Mary K.		11,000	495.00
Van Wart, Walter L. and Mary A.		1,600	72.00
Vance, Jane K.		18,700	841.50
Victor's Market	1,500		67.50
Waible, Wendell Jr. and Florence E.		5,700	256.50
Wales, Andrew M. and Betty R.		1,000	45.00
Walker, A. Bruce		250	11.25
Waller, Ervin S.		500	22.50
Ward, Henry DeC. and Janet G.		12,000	540.00
Warner, Henrietta S.		9,500	427.50
Warner, Henry E.		20,050	902.25
Warner, John B. and Barbara K.		10,700	481.50
Warren, Wallace G.		5,150	231.75
Washburn, Mabel L. and Rachel W.		4,400	198.00
Washburn, Rachel W.		100	4.50
Watt, Norman B. and Martha E.		3,000	135.00
Webb, John F.		9,000	405.00
Webb, Rosella		5,500	247.50
Weiner, Julius W., et al d/b as Wyner Realty Co.		4,600	207.00
Wellman, Bertram and Cora B.		4,300	193.50
Wells, George and K. W.		8,200	369.00
Westcott, A. E.		4,700	211.50
Westcott, Charles W. C. and Mary		3,500	157.50
Westcott, Vernon C. and Mary A.		5,700	256.50
Wheeler, Elizabeth F., Ann H., Mary L. and Ruth Gale		17,150	771.75
Western Union Tel. & Tel.	2,800		126.00

Name of Taxpayer	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real and Personal Estate
Weston, Georgianna H.		4,500	202.50
Whitcomb, Sarah I.		10,000	450.00
White, Katherine S. and John W.		12,500	562.50
Whittier, Charles F.	65		2.93
Whitney, Harold A. and Consuelo V.		4,600	207.00
Whittier, Charles F. and Ramona Calkins		2,200	99.00
Wilber, Harold T. and Inez E.		4,100	184.50
Wilbor, John S. and Anne F.		5,500	247.50
Wilbur, Richard P. and Charlotte W.		4,600	207.00
Wildes, Leland A. and Irene E.		6,000	270.00
Wiley, G. Arnold and Helen		7,750	348.75
Wilfert, Fred J. and Eleanor M.		5,400	243.00
Wilfert, Walter A. and Eleanor A.		200	9.00
Wilfert, Walter and Fred J.		600	27.00
Wilkie, Earl L. and Virginia A.		4,500	202.50
Wilkins, John H. and Aida S.		16,000	720.00
Wilkshire, Alice E.		100	4.50
Willard, Henry L. and Helen S.		8,000	360.00
Williams, Edwin L. Jr.		3,200	144.00
Williamson, Elizabeth R.		1,300	58.50
Wilson, John Otis		9,100	409.50
Wilson, Melvin S. and Eleanor F.		4,500	202.50
Wilson, Montgomery S. and Mary Ann		4,750	213.75
Wilson, William A. and Eleanor L.		9,200	414.00
Winchell, Guilbert	225		10.13
Winchell, Guilbert and Evelyn		25,100	1,129.50
Winchell, Guilbert S.		1,800	81.00
Witham, Arthur B. and Margaret F.		3,100	139.50
Witherton, John R. and Elizabeth P.		5,800	261.00

Name of Taxpayer	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real and Personal Estate
Wood, Frank H. and Jeanne R.		8,200	369.00
Wood, James and Lizzie		4,500	202.50
Wood, James D. and Ruth E.		4,500	202.50
Woodland Trust		420	18.90
Worcester, Alice E. and others		2,000	90.00
Worthington, Thomas K. and Elizabeth C.		5,250	236.25
Young, Charlotte Wales		3,850	173.25
Young, David B. and Cora S.		3,150	141.75
Ziegler, Elmer H. and Hilda M.		5,100	229.50

Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds

Funds Deposited in Middlesex Institution For Savings	Principal	Income Accumulated in Prior Years	1951 Care Paid in 1952	1952 Income	December 31, 1952 Balance
Samuel Hartwell	$300.00	$25.12	$5.50	$8.84	$328.46
Orila J. Flint	300.00	74.79	5.50	10.21	379.50
Annie A. Ray	300.00	78.62	5.50	10.32	383.44
MariaL.Thompson	500.00	158.21	11.50	17.89	664.60
John H. Pierce	500.00	74.06	3.50	15.79	586.35
Geo.F.Harrington	100.00	6.72	2.00	2.89	107.61
Francis Flint	250.00	91.40	5.00	9.30	345.70
Wm.W.Benjamin	500.00	198.60	6.00	19.17	711.77
Abijah Jones	300.00	13.10	5.00	8.52	316.62
Ellen F. Whitney	100.00	2.90	2.00	2.78	103.68
E. H. Rogers	250.00	18.34	6.50	7.24	269.08
Ellen T. Trask	200.00	101.99	3.50	8.26	306.75
Thos. Huddleston	200.00	8.42	3.00	5.67	211.09
Joa Pacewicz	400.00	36.80	7.50	11.87	441.17
Mary Susan Rice	87.27	10.03	.....	2.68	99.98
Julia A. Bemis	300.00	7.54	6.00	8.34	309.88
Donald Gordon	300.00	125.08	6.00	11.60	430.68
ElizabethG.Chapin	300.00	64.12	4.50	9.95	369.57
Sarah J. Browning	200.00	10.28	4.00	5.70	211.98
Agnes S. Brown	300.00	22.54	5.50	8.78	325.82
L. W. Woodworth	150.00	5.58	2.50	4.22	157.30
Robert B. Chapin	300.00	11.21	6.00	8.45	313.66
Gardner Moore	300.00	12.96	5.25	8.51	316.22
Mary J. Scripture	500.00	15.37	6.00	14.09	523.46
C. P. Farnsworth	350.00	13.80	4.50	9.94	369.24
HelenO.Storrow	2,000.00	90.08	10.00	57.59	2,137.67
ElizabethWheeler	200.00	13.88	4.50	5.78	215.16
John H. Wilkins	675.00	45.08	6.50	19.74	733.32
L.B.&A.E.Thiessen	500.00	12.58	.....	14.17	526.75
Paul Dorian	150.00	1.56	.....	4.19	155.75
Raym.E.Haggerty	150.00	1.56	.....	4.19	155.75
Charles O. Preble	100.00	.....	.....	2.12	102.12
Funds Deposited in Suffolk Savings Bank					
J. Waldo Smith	300.00	17.79	4.50	7.92	321.21
Edward R. Farrar	300.00	9.19	5.00	7.71	311.90
Charles S. Smith	300.00	19.70	4.00	7.98	323.68
Anne D. Pollard	300.00	8.17	6.00	7.68	309.85
	$12,262.27	$1,407.17	$162.75	$370.08	$13,876.77

Report of Commissioners of Trust Funds

JOHN H. PIERCE LEGACY

Cash Account

Cash balance at January 1, 1952		$1,958.55
Add: Income received in 1952:		
USA bond interest	$337.50	
Other bond interest	190.75	
Savings bank interest	164.27	
Annuity u/w John H. Pierce	3,000.00	
Rent of property for 1952	600.00	
Well-Child Clinic charges	5.00	
Dental Clinic charges	773.25	
	$5,070.77	
Less accrued interest paid on bonds purchased	10.84	5,059.93
Withdrawn from Middlesex Institution for Savings		1,000.00
Bond interest used to amortize purchase premiums		1.75
		$8,020.23
Deduct: Payments per order of Selectmen:		
Hospital aid	$2,569.98	
Medicines	250.34	
Doctors' bills	694.00	
Well-Child Clinic	397.37	
Dental Clinic	1,486.14	
Care of Park grounds	150.00	
	$5,547.83	
Savings bank interest allowed to accumulate	76.35	
Purchase of $1,000 Southern California Edison 3% bond due Sept. 1, 1965	1,000.35	6,624.53
Cash balance at December 31, 1952		$1,395.70

Cash and Securities at December 31, 1952

Cash on hand	$1,395.70
Middlesex Institution for Savings	3,175.58
Provident Institution for Savings	1,188.42

Wakefield Savings Bank	1,923.87
U.S.A. bonds, at cost:	
$11,00 Series "G" 2½% due Sept. 1, 1956	11,000.00
2,500 Series "G" 2½% due Nov. 1, 1959	2,500.00
8,500 Series "F" due April 1, 1958	6,290.00
2,000 Series "F" due March 1, 1960	1,480.00
2,700 Series "F" due Dec. 1, 1960	1,998.00
3,500 Series "F" due July 1, 1962	2,590.00
$2,000 Southern Pacific RR Equip. Trust "Q" 2¼% due Oct. 1, 1954	1,981.29
2,000 St. Louis San Francisco RR Equip. Trust "I" 2⅞% due Aug. 1, 1955	2,004.17
2,000 Baltimore & Ohio RR Equip. Trust "CC" 3% due Sept. 1, 1961	1,995.72
1,000 Southern California Edison 3% due Sept. 1, 1965	1,000.00
	$40,522.75

Note: Redemption value of U.S.A. bonds at Dec. 31, 1952, exceeded cost by $537.70.

ABBIE J. STEARNS FUND FOR THE SILENT POOR

Cash Account

Cash balance at January 1, 1952		$45.00
Income received in 1952:		
U.S.A. Series "G" bonds	$30.00	
Savings bank interest	46.58	76.58
		121.58
Savings bank interest allowed to accumulate		46.58
Cash balance at December 31, 1952		$75.00

Cash and Securities at December 31, 1952

Cash on deposit	$75.00
Middlesex Institution for Savings	1,728.61
$1,200 U.S.A. Series "G" 2½% due Jan. 1, 1955	1,200.00
	$3,003.61
Income accumulated to December 31, 1952	$1,778.56
Principal	1,225.05
	$3,003.61

deCORDOVA SCHOOL EQUIPMENT FUND

Cash Account

Cash balance at January 1, 1952		$30.33
Income received in 1952:		
U.S.A. bond interest	$352.32	
Other bond interest	152.99	
Savings bank interest	162.99	
Dividends	56.25	
	$724.55	
Less accrued interest paid on bonds purchased	18.85	705.70
Bond interest credited to Principal to Principal to amortize purchase premiums		4.69
Withdrawn from savings banks		1,918.00
		$2,658.72
Net income for 1952, paid to Town of Lincoln	$705.70	
Bonds purchase:d		
$1,000 Southern California Edison 3% due 1965	1,000.35	
1,000 American Tel.&Tel. 2¾% due 1975	948.30	2,654.35
Cash (principal) on hand at December 31, 1952		$4.37

Cash and Securities at December 31, 1952

Cash on deposit	$4.37
Cambridge Savings Bank	2,791.52
Middlesex Institution for Savings	1,745.53
$10,000 U.S.A. Series "G" 2½% due April 1, 1958	10,000.00
1,000 U.S.A. Series "G" 2½% due November 1, 1959	1,000.00
1,000 U.S. Treasury 2½% due March 15, 1970-65	1,015.95
2,000 U.S. Treasury Registered 2¾% due April 1, 1980-75	2,031.05
1,000 American Tel. & Tel. 2¾% due 1975	948.30
1,000 Baltimore & Ohio RR Equip, Trust "CC" 3% due September 1, 1961	997.86
1,000 Southern California Edison 3% due 1965	1,000.00
1,000 Southern Pacific RR Equip. Trust "Q" 2¼% due October 1, 1954	990.65

1,000 Western Maryland RR 4% due October 1, 1969	1,028.07
25 shares First National Bank of Boston	1,448.20
	$25,001.50

GRAMMAR SCHOOL FUND

Cash Account

1952 savings bank interest paid to General Funds of Town	$34.26

Savings Bank Deposits at December 31, 1952

Middlesex Institution for Savings	$722.00
Cambridge Savings Bank	495.52
	$1,217.52

CHARLES SUMNER SMITH SCHOOL AND PLAYGROUND FUND

Cash Account

Cash balance at January 1, 1952		$ .80
Income received in 1952:		
U.S.A. bond interest	$937.50	
Other bond interest	244.26	
Savings bank interest	249.67	
	$1,431.43	
Less accrued interest paid on bonds purchased	9.17	1,422.26
Bond interest credited to book value of bonds to amortize purchase premiums		3.24
Withdrawn from savings bank		1,268.00
		$2,694.30
Safe deposit box rent	$4.00	
Savings bank interest allowed to accumulate	249.67	
Deposited in savings banks	515.00	
Purchase of $2,000 American Tel. & Tel. 2¾% bonds due 1975	1,894.10	2,662.77
Cash balance at December 31, 1952		$31.53

Cash and Securities at December 31, 1952

Cash on deposit	$31.53
Boston Five Cents Savings Bank	2,325.43
Middlesex Institution for Savings	5,037.53
Warren Institution for Savings	2,225.37
U.S.A. bonds (at cost):	
$25,000 Series "F" due September 1, 1955	18,500.00
1,000 Series "F" due November 1, 1956	740.00
6,000 Series "F" due May 1, 1957	4,440.00
700 Series "F" due October 1, 1957	518.00
1,200 Series "F" due December 1, 1958	888.00
9,000 Series "F" due June 1, 1959	6,660.00
1,000 Series "F" due October 1, 1959	740.00
1,375 Series "F" due December 1, 1962	1,017.50
26,500 Series "G" 2½% due October 1, 1954	26,500.00
11,000 Series "G" 2½% due September 1, 1956	11,000.00
$3,000 American Tel. & Tel. 2¾% due 1975	2,847.01
1,000 Baltimore & Ohio RR Equip. Trust "CC" 3% due September 1, 1961	997.86
2,000 Great Northern Rwy. Equip. Trust "M" 2⅞% due October 1, 1960	2,003.43
2,000 Southern California Edison 3% due 1965	2,036.50
2,000 Southern Pacific RR 1st Mortgage 2¼% due 1961	1,913.27
	$90,421.43

Note: Redemption value of U.S.A. bonds at December 31, 1952, was in excess of cost by $4,804.87

BEMIS LECTURE FUND

Cash Account

Cash balance at January 1, 1952		$570.87
Income received in 1952:		
U.S.A. bond interest	$495.00	
Other bond interest	412.15	
Savings bank interest	13.35	
	$920.50	
Less accrued interest paid on bonds purchased	10.83	909.67
Bond interest credited to Principal to amortize bond purchase premiums		.35
Withdrawn from savings bank		1,012.00
		$2,492.89

Payments per order of Trustees:		
January 18 — Mildred Capron	$150.00	
February 15 — Hedley Hepworth	200.00	
March 7 — Jack Breed	150.00	
November 28 — Nora Waln	250.00	
Printing and postage	142.27	
Janitor service at lectures	13.30	
Expense of maintaining mailing list	3.54	
Safe deposit box rental	4.00	
Purchase of $1,000 Southern California Edison 3% bond due 1965	1,000.35	1,913.46
Cash balance at December 31, 1952		$579.43

Cash and Securities at December 31, 1952

Cash on deposit	$579.43
Middlesex Institution for Savings	28.04
$11,000 USA Series "G" 2½% due September 1, 1956	11,000.00
3,000 USA Series "G" 2½% due April 1, 1957	3,000.00
4,800 USA Series "G" 2½% due May 1, 1957	4,800.00
1,000 USA Series "G" 2½% due November 1, 1959	1,000.00
3,000 Atchison Topeka & Santa Fe General 4½% 1995	3,000.00
3,00 Louisville Nashville RR, A. K. & C. Div., 4% due May 1, 1955	3,000.00
3,000 New England Power Co. 3¼% due November 15, 1961	3,000.00
1,000 Southern California Edison 3% due 1965	1,000.00
2,000 Southern Pacific RR Equip. Trust "Q" 2¼% due October 1, 1954	1,981.29
	$32,388.76
Accumulated income	$567.43
Principal	31,821.33
	$32,388.76

DONALD GORDON RECREATION FUND

Cash Account

Cash balance at January 1, 1952		$54.72
Income received in 1952:		
Savings bank interest	$6.05	
U.S.A. Series "G" bonds	75.00	

Other bond interest	59.65	
	140.70	
Less accrued interest paid on bonds purchased	10.83	129.87
Bond interest credited to Principal to amortize bond premiums		.35
Withdrawn from Middlesex Institution for Savings		1,000.00
		$1,184.94
Payments per order Trust Fund Commissioners:		
July 4 celebration, sound truck and badges	$26.25	
Savings bank interest allowed to accumulate	6.05	
Purchase of $1,000 Southern California Edison 3% bond due 1965	1,000.35	1,032.65
Cash on hand at December 31, 1952		$152.29

Cash and Securities at December 31, 1952

Cash on deposit	$152.29
Middlesex Institution for Savings	224.69
$3,000 U.S.A. Series "G" 2½% due January 1, 1954	3,000.00
1,000 Baltimore & Ohio RR Equip. Trust "C" 3% due September 1, 1961	997.86
1,000 Southern California Edison 3% due 1965	1,000.00
	$5,374.84
Accumulated income at December 31, 1952	$180.09
Principal	5,194.75
	$5,374.84

LINCOLN LIBRARY TRUST FUNDS

Cash Account

Cash balance at January 1, 1952		$615.03
Income received in 1952:		
Julia A. Bemis Fund	$19.41	
Elizabeth and Leland Burr Fund	1.95	
Codman Fund	12.11	
Hugh Anthony Gaskill Fund	3.96	

Hattie Hoar Howard Fund	2.78	
David W. Mann Fund	1.91	
John H. Pierce Fund	28.17	
George Russell Fund	11.80	
Abbie J. Stearns Fund	51.39	
Abbie J. Stearns Special Fund	32.52	
George G. Tarbell Fund	78.91	
C. Edgar and Elizabeth S. Wheeler Fund	35.06	
General Library Funds	5.08	285.05
Withdrawn from Middlesex Institution for Savings, David W. Mann Fund		35.00
		$935.08
Expenditures:		
Income from John H. Pierce Fund, paid to Edith B. Farrar, Librarian	$28.17	
Per order of Library Trustees:		
Purchase of children's books	81.47	
Purchase of other books	45.40	
"Thoreau's Journal", from Abbie J. Stearns Special Fund	21.70	
Consumers Research	3.00	
Electric fan, from David W. Mann Fund	35.00	
	$214.74	
Safe deposit box rental	4.00	
Savings bank interest income allowed to accumulate	105.32	324.06
Cash balance at December 31, 1952		$611.02

Cash and Securities at December 31, 1952

	Accumulated Income on Deposit	Principal	Total
Julia A. Bemis Fund:			
Middlesex Institution for Savings	$36.61	$684.05	$720.66
Elizabeth and Leland Burr Fund:			
Middlesex Institution for Savings	2.53	70.00	72.53
Codman Fund:			
U.S.A. Series "G" 2½% due June 1, 1955		400.00	400.00
Middlesex Institution for Savings	3.98	74.59	78.57

	Accumulated Income on Deposit	Principal	Total
Hugh Anthony Gaskill Fund:			
Middlesex Institution for Savings		158.89	158.89
Hattie Hoar Howard Fund:			
Middlesex Institution for Savings	3.61	100.00	103.61
David W. Mann Fund:			
Middlesex Institution for Savings	2.64	53.16	55.80
John H. Pierce Fund:			
U.S.A. Series "G" 2½% due January 1, 1955		1,000.00	1,000.00
Middlesex Institution for Savings		114.57	114.57
		1,114.57	1,114.57
George Russell Fund:			
Middlesex Institution for Savings	22.24	415.74	437.98
Abbie J. Stearns Fund:			
U.S.A. Series "G" 2½% due January 1, 1955		1,000.00	1,000.00
Middlesex Institution for Savings	49.78	930.00	979.78
		1,930.00	1,979.78
Abbie J. Stearns Special Fund:			
Middlesex Institution for Savings		1,301.03	1,301.03
George G. Tarbell Fund:			
U.S.A. Series "G" 2½% due January 1, 1955		3,000.00	3,000.00
Middlesex Institution for Savings	7.39	138.38	145.77
		3,138.38	3,145.77
C. Edgar and Elizabeth S. Wheeler Fund:			
Middlesex Institution for Savings	66.13	1,235.46	1,301.59

General Library Funds:			
Boston Five Cents Savings Bank		203.00	203.00
	$194.91	$10,878.87	$11,073.78
Accumulated income cash on hand	611.02		611.02
	$805.93	$10,878.87	$11,684.80

de Cordova and Dana Museum and Park Financial Report

NOTE: This is a report of the funds handled by the Directors of the deCordova Museum, and is not a report of the Trustees under the Will of Julian de Cordova.

At the beginning of 1952, the Directors had on hand $13,043.58

During the year 1952, Receipts and Expenditures were as follows:

	Received	Expended
Income from de Cordova Trusts	$37,990.01	.....
Interest on Savings Banks Deposits	391.14	.....
Gifts of Associates of the Museum	1,756.31	.....
Contributions of Visitors	546.42	.....
Sale of Property (chiefly firewood)	328.95	.....
Museum Services	132.94	.....
Schools, 1952:		
Adults, tuition and costs	5,855.10	5,690.98
Children, materials fee and costs	2,655.55	5,165.80
Tuition for 1953, held for use in 1953	1,012.75	.....
Concert, Film, Lecture, Admissions and Costs	824.51	629.08
Collected for Artists, due them in 1953	78.50	.....
Salaries and Wages	.....	15,633.06
Office Expenses, Supplies and Maintenance	.....	2,380.11

Utilities		3,222.80	
Insurance, Taxes and other Financial		3,386.51	
Caretaker's Cottage		**451.09**	
Publicity		1,076.55	
Museum Exhibits and other Special Events		1,306.95	
Outdoor Maintenance		403.58	
Cost of Items held For Sale to Students and Others		729.30	
Restoration of Painting in Collection		375.00	
Equipment and Improvements		2,083.26	
Subscriptions and Memberships in Associations		106.20	
Total of Receipts and Expenditures	$51,572.18	$42,640.27	
Excess of Receipts, 1952			8,931.91
Therefore, at the end of 1952, the Directors had on hand			$21,975.49

Report

of the Officers and Committees

of the

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FOR THE YEAR 1953

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Elected Town Officers

	Term Expires
Moderator	
DONALD P. DONALDSON	1954
Town Clerk	
WILLIAM H. DAVIS	1954
Selectmen and Board of Public Welfare	
JOHN O. WILSON, Chairman	1955
EDMUND W. GILES	1956
HENRY DeC. WARD	1954
Assessors	
GEORGE G. TARBELL, Jr., Chairman	1956
ARTHUR W. RICE	1954
G. ARNOLD WILEY	1955
Treasurer	
FREDERICK B. TAYLOR	1954
Collector of Taxes	
WILLIAM H. DAVIS	1956
Auditor	
PEARSON HUNT*	1954
LOUIS C. FARLEY Jr. (Appointed)	1954
School Committee	
JOHN W. CARMAN, Chairman	1956
LUCY E. BYGRAVE	1954
ERNEST P. NEUMANN	1955
Water Commissioners	
SUMNER SMITH, Chairman	1956
ROBERT W. SCOTT	1954
HENRY WARNER	1955

Tree Warden

	Term Expires
DANIEL A. MacINNIS, Jr.	1954

Board of Health

GORDON A. DONALDSON, Chairman	1955
WARREN F. FLINT	1953
NANCY D. HURD	1954

Cemetery Commissioners

GEORGE E. CUNNINGHAM, Chairman	1956
ROBERT D. DONALDSON	1954
JAMES B. BILLINGS	1955

Planning Board

ALAN McCLENNEN, Chairman	1954
HOWARD SNELLING	1955
RICHARD J. EATON	1956
ARTHUR T. HOWARD	1957
EVERETT A. BLACK	1958

Measurer of Wood and Bark

CLIFFORD J. BRADLEY (appointed)	1954
JOSEPH R. TRACEY	1954

Commissioners of Trust Funds

CLEMENT C. SAWTELL, Chairman	1955
LEONARD C. LARRABEE	1954
WILLIAM De FORD	1956

Trustees of Bemis Fund for Free Public Lectures

CHRISTOPHER W. HURD, Chairman	1955
MABEL H. TODD	1956
LEONARD C. LARRABEE	1954

Trustees of Lincoln Library

ROLAND C. MacKENZIE, Chairman
GEORGE G. TARBELL
ALICE G. MERIAM
JOHN O. WILSON, Chairman Selectmen ex-officio
JOHN W. CARMAN, Chairman
School Committee ex-officio

deCordova and Dana Museum and Park

A. Directors

CHARLES H. BLAKE	1957
ELIZABETH J. SNELLING	1954
JANE K. VANCE	1955
JOHN Q. ADAMS	1956

B. Directors

RICHARD S. MERIAM—appointed by Library Trustees	1955
HELEN WILEY—appointed by School Committee	1956
ARTHUR E. THIESSEN—appointed by Selectmen	1954

Officers and Committees Appointed by the Board of Selectmen

Term Expires

Clerk of Selectmen and Public Welfare Agent

M. ELIZABETH CAUSER	1954

Acting Superintendent of Streets

CLIFFORD H. BRADLEY	1954

Chief of Police

LEO J. ALGEO	1954

Police Officers

LAWRENCE P. HALLETT	1954
JAMES J. DIAMOND	1954

Constables

LEO J. ALGEO	1954
LAWRENCE P. HALLETT	1954
JOHN J. KELLIHER	1954
GEORGE E. CUNNINGHAM	1954

Dog Officers

LEO J. ALGEO	1954
LAWRENCE P. HALLETT	1954
JAMES J. DIAMOND	1954

Sealer of Weights and Measures

LEO J. ALGEO 1954

Special Police

JOHN T. ALGEO	FRANCIS T. GILBERT
BOB BERNSON	FRANK GORDON
ROBERT H. BOOTH	HARRY B. KNOWLES
FLORIY CAMPOBASSO	EDWARD D. ROONEY
JOSEPH CAMPOBASSO	SUMNER SMITH
JOHN COOK	FRANCIS J. SMITH
HENRY J. DAVIS	JOSEPH TRACEY
JAMES DeNORMANDIE	HENRY WARNER
WILLIAM DOHERTY	ORRIN C. WOOD
ANDREW J. DOUGHERTY	JOSEPH COTONI
DANIEL A. MacINNIS JR.	LESLIE M. WILLARD
DAVID SPOONER	CARL SMITH
JOHN GILBERT	HARRY B. KNOWLES 3rd

Fire Engineers

ANDREW J. DOUGHERTY 1954
JOSEPH TRACEY 1954
CHARLES K. FITTS* 1954
WILLIAM M. DEAN (Appointed) 1954

Forest Warden

ANDREW J. DOUGHERTY 1954

Moth Superintendent

DANIEL A. MacINNIS JR. 1954

Deputy Forest Warden

JOSEPH TRACEY 1954

Petroleum Inspector

ANDREW J. DOUGHERTY 1954

Director of Civil Defense

EVELETH R. TODD 1954

Building Inspector

WALTER BERGQUIST 1954

Plumbing Inspector

MANNING W. MacRAE (Temporary) 1954

Wiring Inspector

	Term Expires
WILLIAM DEAN	1954

Board of Appeals

ELLIOTT V. GRABILL, Chairman	1956
JAMES DeNORMANDIE, Secretary	1955
HENRY B. HOOVER	1958
CHARLES K. FITTS*	1957
THOMAS B. ADAMS	1954

Associate Members

WILLIAM DEAN	1955
ELMER H. ZIEGLER	1954

Registrars of Voters

MANLEY B. BOYCE	1955
ANDREW J. DOUGHERTY	1956
HENRY J. DAVIS	1954
WILLIAM J. DAVIS, Town Clerk ex-officio	1954

Bureau of Old Age Assistance

M. ELIZABETH CAUSER	1954
MARIAN N. OBER	1954
JOHN J. KELLIHER	1954

Member of District Nursing Committee

ALBERTA A. FRADD	1954

Fence Viewers

GEORGE G. TARBELL	1954
JOHN J. KELLIHER	1954

Field Drivers

RODNEY P. COWEN	1954
LEO J. ALGEO	1954

Recreation Committee

ETHAN A. MURPHY (Chairman)	1954
ASTRID L. DONALDSON	1954
JOHN B. GARRISON	1954
SADIE J. SHERMAN	1954
DAVID TODD	1954
NORMAN FRADD	1954

Surveyor of Cord Wood

CLIFFORD BRADLEY 1954

Veterans' Agent

EDMUND W. GILES 1954

Caretaker of Town Hall

ORRIN C. WOOD 1954

Jury List, 1953

Name	Residence	Occupation
Richard B. Ayer	South Great Road	Engineer
Theodore C. Baker	Baker Bridge Road	Assistant Manager
John M. Barnaby	Concord Road	Coach
Walter B. Belanger	Cambridge Turnpike	Engineer
Robert P. Brown	Page Road	Architect
John J. Connair	Lincoln Road	Retired
Charles E. Crane	Weston Road	Industr'l Real Estate
Gilmore B. Creelman, Jr.	South Great Road	Bank Teller
D. Bradford Davis	Beaver Pond Road	Printer
Murray P. Farnsworth	Lincoln Road	Salesman
Anthony Faunce	Sandy Pond Road	Insurance
Thomas T. Giles	South Great Road	Real Estate
William L. Grinnell	Beaver Pond Road	District Manager
Stanley Heck	Bedford Road	Purchasing Agent
Gerard C. Henderson	Beaver Pond Road	Advertising
Townsend Hornor	Sandy Pond Road	Clerk
Leonard C. Larrabee	Bedford Road	Treasurer's Office
Edward S. Mullins	Weston Road	Art Teacher
Robert L. Niles	Blueberry Lane	Salesman
Elliott F. Page	Beaver Pond Road	Engineer
Frederic M. Spooner	Lincoln Road	Mechanic
Frederick P. Walkey	South Great Road	Museum Director
John G. Webb	Weston Road	Banker
G. Arnold Wiley	Lexington Road	Engineer
Guilbert Winchell	Concord Road	Retired

Appointment June 22nd, 1953.

WILLIAM H. DAVIS, Town Clerk.

Appointed by the Treasurer

Assistant Treasurer	Term Expires
M. ELIZABETH CAUSER	1954

Appointed by the Board of Health

Community Nurse

	Term Expires
MARIAN N. OBER	1954

Burial Agent

WILLIAM H. DAVIS	1954

Inspector of Animals

ANDREW J. DOUGHERTY	1954

Appointed by the Moderator

Finance Committee

F. WINCHESTER DENIO, Chairman	1954
THOMAS J. ROUNER, Secretary	1956
WILLIAM N. PAGE	1955
PAUL L. NORTON	1956
CHARLES K. FITTS (Appointed)	1954

Memorial Day Committee

AGNES E. LADD	1954
NORMAN W. FRADD, SR.	1954
RUTH WARNER	1954
REV. EDWARD J. RONAN	1954
METRO FEDOCK	1954

Building Code Committee

NORMAN F. BRISSON — WILLIAM M. DEAN
ROBERT BYGRAVE — MANNING W. MacRAE
HENRY B. HOOVER

Union Health Department

NANCY D. HURD — RICHARD K. CONANT
JEAN MURPHY — ELLIOTT R. HEDGE
BRADFORD CANNON

School Building Committee

ELIZABETH J. SNELLING — ANDREW J. DOUGHERTY
ELLIOTT V. GRABILL — PEARSON HUNT
JAMES DeNORMANDIE

Editorial Committee for Town Report

MARY K. VAN LEER
JOSEPH J. O'REILLY
PEARSON HUNT
HENRY F. THOMA
VICTOR A. LUTNICKI

200th Anniversary Celebration Committee

ALICE W. SMITH
FREDERICK H. GREEN, Jr.
WARREN F. FLINT
EDITH B. FARRAR
E. DONLAN ROONEY

School Land Committee

JAMES DeNORMANDIE
ANDREW J. DOUGHERTY
ELIZABETH J. SNELLING
ELLIOTT V. GRABILL
STANDLEY HECK

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* Resigned.

Town Government

Report of Board of Selectmen

Town House Operations

Any report of Town Government in 1953 must emphasize the expansion of the staff and facilities at the Town House. Thanks to favorable action on special articles at the Annual and Special Meetings, additional office space has been provided and the personnel enlarged so that your elected Town officials can better fulfil their duties and the citizens can be served more promptly and more efficiently.

There were many candidates of high quality for the position of Administrative Assistant to the Selectmen. We were very happy that our choice was Mr. Leslie M. Willard who started with us on September first and moved to Lincoln a few weeks later. Mr. Willard's background includes working for the Boston & Albany R.R. and as construction engineer for Stone & Webster before entering municipal work in which field he has been Tax Assessor in Fitchburg, Public Works Engineer in Fitchburg and in Leominster, Sanitary Engineer at Fort Devens and, most recently, Public Works Superinendent in Ayer. For some years he has been an instructor at Boston University and Northeastern University in Principles of Assessing. Ann Paddock (Mrs. Louis Paddock) came with us late in September as full time secretary and has proved well able to carry her share of the load

with Mrs. Causer and Mr. Willard. We undertook to maintain the high standard existing when Mrs. Causer was alone in the office and believe that we have at least approached that goal. The enthusiasm with which various Town departments have sought help from the staff evidences the need of this change.

Road Takings

Petitions for plans for road takings on Winter Street, Weston Road, Page Road, Baker Bridge Road, and Bedford Lane are with the County Commissioners. It is reported that the first two are receiving current attention.

Chapter 90 Construction

No request for Chapter 90 construction has been filed for 1954. The request for Chapter 90 maintenance was increased from $3,000 to $4,500. Such funds, provided one third each by the Town, County and State, are used for maintenance of the nine miles of road built with Chapter 90 construction funds in the past.

Stickel Case

The suit against the Town by Frederick Stickel, for the settlement of which $1,750 was appropriated in 1953, is still unsettled. There is now a possibility that this appropriation may be returned to surplus in the next year or two.

Speed Zoning

The Police Department reports satisfactory results from the speed-zoning signs on Bedford Road and Routes 117 and 126. Court convictions of speeders are quick and easy. As another step in this program it is proposed to erect signs on Lincoln Road, Codman Road and Trapelo Road for which authority has already been granted by the Department of Public Works and the Registry of Motor Vehicles.

Fire Station Site

During the past two or three years there has been much discussion of a site in North Lincoln for a fire station to be constructed some time in the future. The Planning Board, Fire Engineers and Selectmen are in agreement that it is important for the Town to acquire such a site before all desirable lots are built upon, and that the area on Bedford Road just south of Tracey's Service Station is the most desirable location. An article will appear in the Warrant for the acquisition of this property containing about one-half acre. A lot plan may be seen in Mr. Willard's office.

Garden Club

For the past few years the Garden Club has patiently and regularly added to the beauty of the Town by keeping the watering trough in front of the Library full of flowers, plants and greens. During 1953 the results were particularly pleasing. We are happy to give public recognition to the Club and its members.

Civil Defense

Your attention and thought is directed to the report of the Director of Civil Defense. Neither he nor the Selectmen nor Finance Committee can with any assurance recommend a specific appropriation by the Town under present conditions, for only future unpredictable events can determine what is needed. It is the Selectmen's hope that the matter may be freely discussd at Town Meeting.

Town Dump

The study of means of rubbish disposal in continuing, including incinerators, open dumps and sanitary fill. The possibility of combining some such operation with an abutting town has been explored but without providing

a solution. Recently questionnaires have been sent to all householders to determine how residents are now disposing of rubbish so that the problem may be defined more closely.

Town Garage

The Town Garage, which was built in 1948-49, has been a continuing and expensive problem. Due to defects in design and/or construction, and in spite of minor remedial steps taken in 1950, large cracks continue to appear and to widen between the pilasters and the adjoining walls due to the fact there was no interlocking of the cinder blocks between the walls and pilasters. Of course this movement of the walls has resulted in roof leaks as well. To eliminate continued expense for temporary repairs, damage due to leaks and to reduce the heating expense we recommend that a thorough repair job be done at this time. This involves tying in the walls with the pilasters and will cost between $3,000 and $4,000. A special article in the Warrant will permit action on this matter.

Budgets

1954 Budgets for all departments other than schools show only a very minor increase in the aggregate over 1953. The cooperation of all boards and department heads in this respect has been noteworthy.

With the death of Dr. Robert L. DeNormandie on April 20, 1953, the Town lost one of its most faithful and vigorous citizens and public officials. Dr. DeNormandie became Chairman of the Board of Health in 1933, a few years after establishing his year-round residence here, and continued actively in that position with special emphasis on the school health program until his retirement in 1951. His enthusiastic support of all good causes in Town was best exemplified by his tireless activities as

Chairman of the Advisory Committee to the Selectmen on the deCordova and Dana Museum and Park from 1946 to 1948 and as President of the first Board of Directors from 1948 to 1951, since which date he had been Honorary President. Dr. DeNormandie's leadership and determination during the period of litigation and original origination are significant factors in the present success of the Museum.

Respectfully submitted,
EDMUND W. GILES
HENRY DeC. WARD
JOHN O. WILSON, Chairman

Town Clerk's Report

The Town Clerk is the official recorder of Town events and activities and issues licenses and certificates. His duties include recording the proceedings at Town Meetings and elections, and notifying the Selectmen and other officers concerned of appropriations which have been voted.

The record of Registered Voters of Lincoln is kept at the Clerk's office. Persons wishing to become voters in the Town should communicate with the Clerk.

Annual Town Meeting

Monday, March 2, 1953

Pursuant to a Warrant duly served, the Meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Mr. Donald P. Donaldson at 7:30 o'clock P.M. The return of the Warrant was read, and the Moderator called attention to Article 1. (Election of Officers).

Article 2. To bring in their votes for any committees, commissioners, trustees, and other officers, required by law to be elected by ballot or otherwise.

Voted: That Clifford H. Bradley and Joseph Tracey be elected Measurers of Wood and Bark for the ensuing year.

Article 3. To hear and act upon the reports of Town Officers, Committees, Commissioners and Trustees.

Voted: That the reports of the Town Officers, Committees and Trustees as printed in the Town Report be accepted and that the reports of the following Committees be accepted as interim reports and that the Committees and their unexpended appropriations be continued: Building Code Committee, Union Health

Committee, to revise the Town By-Laws, School Building Committee, Editorial Committee for Town Report and 200th Anniversary Celebration Committee.

Article 4. To fix the salaries and compensation of the several elective officers of the Town and to determine whether any Department, Board or Committee shall be authorized to employ for additional compensation any of its members and to fix additional compensation of such members.

Voted: That the salaries of the elected Officers of the Town for the current year be fixed at the following amounts respectively:

Selectmen each	$ 200.00	Assessors, other Members each	$175.00
Treasurer	200.00	Auditor	50.00
Collector of Taxes	1,800.00	Water Commissioners each	75.00
Town Clerk	300.00	Tree Warden	200.00
Assessors (Chairman)	200.00		

Article 5. To raise and appropriate money for the necessary and expedient purposes of the Town and enact anything in relation to the same.

Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate under Article 5, the seventy seperate appropriations numbered one to seventy inclusive for the respective amounts recommended for 1953 by the Finance Committee as shown by the 1952 Town Report, pages 77 to 84 inclusive, except that the following items shall be increased as follows:

Item Number	Finance Committee Recommendations	Increase	Final Total
15	Legal	$1,200.00	$1,700.00
64	Town Reports	305.15	1,505.15
34	Brush Removal	500.00	500.00

and the following shall be decreased as follows:

Item Number	Finance Committee Recommendations	Decrease	Final
26	Police Car	$106.70	$593.30

making a total of such appropriations for general purposes of $386,413.75, and further

Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of $28,-475.00 (added to this amount by Mr. Smith's amendment the sum of $1,750.00) Final amount $30,225.00 for the use of the Water Works, the same to come from the Water Works Treasury. Further

Voted: That is to the following numbered items appropriated as above, the following sums shall be taken from the sources respecively designated as follows: Item 43 Chapter 90 (Highways) $6,500.00 being State and County share, to be taken from Free Cash and returned thereto when received. Item 54. Equipment, Supplies, and Miscellaneous (Schools), $705.70 to be taken from deCordova School Equipment Fund, and $34.26 from Grammar School income. Item 55 Salaries (Library) $685.64 shall be taken from the Dog Tax receipts. Item 56. Books (Library) $400.00 to be taken from Free Cash and returned thereto upon receipt of $400.00 from Library Trustees per agreement. Item 68. Reserve Fund $6,000.00 to be taken from Overlay Surplus. Item 75. Bond Maturity $30,000.00 to be taken from Free Cash.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1953, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Voted: That the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1953, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to conduct

services on Memorial Day, the thirtieth of May, appoint a committee, raise and appropriate money, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Moderator be authorized to appoint a committee of five to plan and carry out exercises on Memorial Day, the thirtieth of May next and that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $150.00 for the use of such Committee in connection with these exercises.

Article 8. To see if the Town will accept as a public way, the private road known as Huntley Lane, as shown on a plan recorded with South Middlesex District Registry of Deeds, Plan book 7820 plan 4 and approved by the Planning Board of the Town of Lincoln June 11, 1952.

Voted: That subject to the receipt of a deed under easement in form satisfactory to the Selectmen, the Town accept as a public way the private road known as Huntley Lane, as shown on a plan recorded with South Middlesex Registry of Deeds, Plan book 7820 plan 4 and approved by the Planning Board of the Town of Lincoln June 11, 1952.

Article 9. To see if the Town will approve the installation of an oil-burner in the present library furnace at a cost of approximately five hundred dollars to be paid from available trust funds, or take any action relative thereto.

Voted: To approve the installation of an oil-burner in the present Library furnace at a cost of approximately five hundred dollars to be paid from available library trust funds.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $406.80 to pay the following unpaid 1952 bills.

Cemetery Department	$272.00
Fire Department	35.89
School Department	98.91

Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of $406.80 to pay the following unpaid 1952 bills:

Cemetery Department	$272.00
Fire Department	35.89
School Department	98.91

the same to be taken from Free Cash.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to continue the Committee for the 200th Anniversary of the Town and appropriate the sum of $2,500 for its use, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Committee for observance of the 200th Anniversary of the Town be continued with power to make and carry out final plans for such observance, and that $2,500 be appropriated from Free Cash for the use of the Committee.

Article 12. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a sprayer and second hand truck for the use of the Tree Warden, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $3,100.00 for the purchase of a sprayer and second hand truck for the use of the Tree Warden.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $300.00 for work on the Assessor's Maps, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the sum of $300.00 be appropriated for work on the Assessor's Maps.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $4,000.00 for the salary and expenses of an assistant, to be employed by the Selectmen, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $4,000.00 for the salary and expenses of an assistant to be employed by the Board of Selectmen.

Article 15. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of $1,750.00 to be used in settlement of the suit against the Town by Frederick Stickel, or to reimburse the Water Department for funds paid in settlement of said suit, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Town appropriate from free cash the sum of $1,750.00 to be expended in the discretion of the Selectmen in settlement of the suit against the Town brought by Frederick Stickel.

Article 16. To see if the Town will appropriate for the use of the School Building Committee, the sum of $2,000.00 or such other sum as will complete the addition to the New School or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Town of Lincoln appropriate $9,500.00 for the use of the School Building Committee to complete the addition to the new school, said sum to be taken from free cash.

Article 17. To see if the Town will authorize the School Building Committee to take preliminary steps toward the acquisition of additional land and ways adjacent to the New School, appropriate the sum of $1,500.00 for expenses, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Town of Lincoln authorize the Moderator to appoint a committee to take preliminary steps toward acquisition of additional land and ways adjacent to the New School and appropriate the sum of $750.00 for their expenses, said sum to be taken from free cash.

At this time, on Sumner Smith's motion it was voted to reconsider Article 5, and further voted to add the sum of $1,750.00 to the $28,475.00 making the total of $30,-225.00 as recorded under Water Works appropriation Page 65.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a sand spreader for the use of the Highway Department or take any action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $1,543.50 for the purchase of a sand spreader for the use of the Highway Department.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law by striking out sections 2 to 23 inclusive, as amended and substituting therefor the following Sections 2 to 15 inclusive:

Voted: That the vote of the Town on March 5, 1951 to amend the Zoning By-Law be rescinded, and that the Zoning By-Law of the Town be amended by striking out Sections 2 to 23 inclusive, as amended, and substituting therefor the following Sections 2 to 15 inclusive: The main motion as printed in the 1952 Town Report, pages 195 to 203 inclusive, was amended as follows:

Voted: That the main motion be amended by striking out Sections 8 a) and 8 b) and substituting in their places the following new sections: 8 a) The height of any structure in a single residence district shall exceed neither 35 feet nor three stories; 8 b) The height of any structure in a general residence or commercial district shall exceed neither 30 feet nor two and one half stories.

(The Planning Board makes these proposals in an effort to eliminate what appears to be an uncertainty in the phraseology as originally drafted.)

The above amendments together with the main motion were carried unanimously.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to accept Chapter 624 of the Acts of 1952, which provides for an increase in the annual amounts of certain pensions, re-

tirement allowances, annuities and other benefits payable by the Commonwealth and its political subdivisions to certain former employees and persons claiming under them, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Town vote to accept Chapter 624 of the Acts of 1952.

At this time Mr. John O. Wilson made a few remarks regarding the splendid work done by Mr. Malcolm L. Donaldson on the School Committee. Loud and prolonged applause was given.

Meeting adjourned at 10:55 P.M.

WILLIAM H. DAVIS, Town Clerk

Annual Town Election

March 7, 1953

In accordance with Article 1 of the Warrant the Moderator declared the Polls open at 12 o'clock noon, previously the Ballot box had been inspected and the following Ballot Clerks duly sworn: Helena A. Dee, Helen M. Dougherty, Bertha V. Bowles, Manley B. Boyce, D. Everett Sherman Jr., and William O. Causer, the Polls were declared closed at 7 o'clock P.M. with the following results. Total number of votes cast 225.

Town Clerk (one year)

William H. Davis	222
Blanks	3

Selectman (3 years)

Edmund W. Giles	212
Scattering	1
Blanks	12

Assessor (three years)

George G. Tarbell Jr.	201
Scattering	1
Blanks	23

Treasurer (one year)

Frederick B. Taylor	216
Scattering	1
Blanks	8

Collector of Taxes (three years)

William H. Davis	224
Blanks	1

Auditor (one year)

Pearson Hunt	206
Scattering	4
Blanks	15

School Committee (three years)

John W. Carman	208
Scattering	2
Blanks	15

Water Commissioner (three years)

Sumner Smith	220
Blanks	5

Board of Health (three years)

Warren F. Flint	221
Blanks	4

Tree Warden (one year)

Daniel A .MacInnis Jr.	219
Blanks	6

Commissioner of Trust Funds (three years)

William DeFord	217
Scattering	1
Blanks	7

Trustee of Bemis Fund for Free Public Lectures (three years)

Mabel H. Todd	222
Blanks	3

Cemetery Commissioner (three years)

George E. Cunningham	217
Blanks	8

Planning Board (five years)

Everett A. Black	212
Blanks	13

Director of deCordova Dana Museum (four years)

Charles H. Blake	220
Blanks	5

Question		
(An Act restricting the use of lands abutting the highway known as Route 2 in the Towns of Lincoln and Concord.	Blanks	13
	YES	81
	NO	131

Special Town Meeting

June 22, 1953

Pursuant to a Warrant duly served the Meeting was called to order by the Moderator at 7:30 o'clock P.M., the return of the Warrant was read and the various Articles acted upon as follows:

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to rescind the action taken under Article 12 at the Annual Town Meeting, March 3, 1952, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: (unanimous) That the vote under Article 12 at the Annual Town Meeting on March 3, 1952 be rescinded and that the funds appropriated under said vote be returned to Surplus.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to acquire by purchase, gift, eminent domain or any other way, a parcel of land located on Bedford Road, southwest of the intersection of Bedford Road and Route 2, appropriate a sum of money therefor or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: (unanimous) To pass over the Article.

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate funds to remodel the lower Town Hall into Town Offices and to purchase furniture and equipment therefor, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: (unanimous) That the Town raise the sum of $1,400.00 to be expended by the Selectmen for remodeling the lower Town Hall into offices and for the original furnishings and equipment for the offices, said sum to be taken from Free Cash.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate additional funds for Highways, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: (unanimous) That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $4,000.00 for the Highway Department, $2,000.00 to be added to the March 2, 1953 appropriation for labor and $2,000.00 to March 2, 1953 appropriation for supplies and miscellaneous.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to return to surplus the unexpended balance appropriated, under Article 5, item 45 for Chapter 90 Construction purposes, at the Annual Town Meeting, March 3, 1952, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: (unanimous) That the Town transfer to surplus the unexpended appropriation for Chapter 90 Construction under Article 5, item 45 at the Annual Town Meeting March 3, 1952.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate additional funds for the Planning Board and Legal accounts, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: (unanimous) That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $300.00 for the Planning Board to be added to the March 2, 1953 appropriation for supplies and miscellaneous.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to rescind or change the provisions of the vote under Article 9 at the Annual Town Meeting on March 2, 1953, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: (unanimous) That the Town rescind the vote taken under Article 9 of the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting held on March 2, 1953; and that the Town appropriate the sum of $1,215.00 for a new heating plant in the Library; and that the Town approve for the same purpose the use of an additional $500.00 to be taken from available Library Trust Funds; and that the $1,215.00 be taken from Free Cash.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate $3,500.00 to renew the pipe from Virginia Road at the corner of Old Bedford Road to the Hanlon estate with a new 8 inch main, and determine whether the money shall be raised by taxation, borrowing, transfer of available funds in the treasury, or otherwise, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: (unanimous) That $3,500.00 be raised and appropriated for replacing the pipe from Virginia Road at the corner of Bedford Road to the Hanlon estate with a new 8 inch main, and to meet said appropriation the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be authorized to borrow said $3,500.00 for a period of not over 5 years.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate $2,000.00 to install a chlorinating apparatus in the pumping station, and determine whether the money shall be raised by taxation, borrowing, transfer of available funds in the treasury, or otherwise, or take any action relative thereto.

Voted: (unanimous) That $500.00 be raised and appropriated for installing a chlorinating apparatus in the pumping station, said sum to be taken from Water Works Surplus.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate $6,000.00 for the purchase and installation of meters, and determine whether the money shall be raised by taxation, borrowing, transfer of available funds in the treasury, or otherwise, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: (unanimous) That $6,000.00 be raised and appropriated for the purchase and installation of meters and to meet said appropriation the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be authorized to borrow said $6,000.00 for a period of not over 5 years.

Meeting adjourned at 8:35 P.M.

WILLIAM H. DAVIS, Town Clerk.

Special Town Meeting

October 5, 1953

Pursuant to a Warrant duly served the Meeting was called to order by the Moderator at 7:30 o'clock P.M. The return of the Warrant was read and the following action taken.

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to create a special unpaid committee to be known as a regional school district planning committee, to consist of three members, including one member of the school committee, to be appointed by the Moderator in accordance with the provisions of Section 14 of Chapter 71 of the General Laws, as amended; and that there be appropriated for the use of said committee the sum of two hundred dollars ($200.00).

Voted: That the Town create a special unpaid committee to be known as a regional school district planning committee, to consist of three members, including one member of the school committee, to be appointed by the Moderator in accordance with the provisions of Section 14 of Chapter 71 of the General Laws, as amended; and that there be appropriated for the use of said committee the sum of two hundred dollars ($200.00). Committee appointed: Ernest P. Neumann, Victor L. Lutnicki and Malcolm L. Donaldson.

Article 2. To see if the Town will reconsider the vote passed under Article 8 of the Town Meeting of June 22, 1953, take further action on the subject matter therefor and/or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: (Unanimously) That the vote under Article 8 of the Special Town Meeting held June 22nd., 1953 be rescinded and further

Voted: (unanimously) That the Town raise and appropriate $3,500.00 to renew the Water Main from Arnold's

Corner on Virginia Road along Virginia Road and Old Bedford Road to the Hanlon Estate, with a new 8 inch main a distance of about 1,000 feet, and to meet said appropriation the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, be authorized to borrow said $3,500.00, or such part thereof, for a period of not exceeding five years as the Water Commissioners shall deem necessary.

Meeting adjourned at 7:48 P.M.

WILLIAM H. DAVIS, Town Clerk

Licenses

Total number of Dog Licenses issued during the year 1953, 427: namely, 229 Male, 64 Female, 125 Spayed Female and 9 Kennel for which the sum of $1,102.60 has been paid to the Treasurer.

Sporting, etc. issued during the year 1953; Fishing 90, Hunting 51, Sporting 39, Minor Fishing 8, Female Fishing 14, Non-resident Fishing 1, Duplicate 3, for which the sum of $658.00 has been paid to the Division of Fisheries & Game.

WILLIAM H. DAVIS, Town Clerk

Report of the Committee on the Revision of the Town By-Laws

The By-laws of the Town were adopted — revised — March 6, 1933 and approved by the Attorney General of the Commonwealth May 16, 1933. Since that time they have been amended from time to time in Town Meetings so that the 1933 printed edition is now out-of-date.

Many of the Special Acts of the Legislators which have been accepted individually by the Town have subsequently been incorporated into the General Laws of the Commonwealth.

In 1952 the Legislature enacted Chapter 337, which was approved May 16, 1952. This Chapter requires the Attorney General of the Commonwealth to act upon Town By-laws and amendments thereto within 90 days after they have been duly submitted to him, and provides that if he fails to take action within 90 days they may still become effective without another Town Meeting.

In reviewing the Town's present By-laws other than the Zoning By-law and the Building Code By-law, this Committee feels that in order to bring them up-to-date and to present them in the best form, they should be re-written.

The Zoning By-law was very carefully considered by the Planning Board, and adopted in its present form at the Annual Town Meeting in March 1953.

The Building Code, originally adopted in 1936 and amended in 1938, is being carefully considered by a special committee.

This Committee has therefore eliminated these two specific By-laws from its consideration. With the exception of these two, the Committee recommends that the Town repeal all other By-laws, and in their place adopt new by-laws which the Committee submits herewith* as a part of this report under the caption of "General

By-laws", and which we feel will better serve the purposes of the Town by being up-to-date.

In addition to these General By-laws, the Committee wishes to call attention to the fact that various boards and departments have adopted procedural rules and regulations which prevail in matters pertaining to their respective duties, notably the Board of Water Commissioners, the Board of Health, the Planning Board, and the Board of Appeals.

In addition, on November 13, 1939, the Board of Selectmen adopted a Code of Traffic Rules and Regulations for the Town, which was approved by the Department of Public Works December 12, 1939. Printed copies were made available in 1940.

The Committee feels that it is very important that the General By-laws of the Town, the Zoning By-laws, and the Building Code, and also such rules and regulations as may be effectuated by any Town Board or Department, or by the Selectmen, be made available in printed form for the use and guidance of all Lincoln citizens and others who may be affected thereby.

Following this report is the legislation applicable to Lincoln as of January 1, 1954 by virtue of acceptance by Town vote.

Respectfully submitted,

F. WINCHESTER DENIO
SUMNER SMITH
HENRY WARNER, Chairman

*Printed under Article 20 in the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting.

Legislation Applicable to Lincoln
As of January 1, 1954

BY VIRTUE OF ACCEPTANCE BY TOWN VOTE

Date Accepted	Legislation Accepted	Now Contained In	General Subject
3– 4–1912	R.L. c. 78 s. 21–5	G.L. (Ter.Ed.) c. 114 s. 22-6	Cemetery Commissioners Powers and Election
1–25–1912	1907 c. 560, s. 392 et seq.	G.L. (Ter.Ed.) c. 41 s. 6,7	Official Ballots
11– 3–1914	1914 c. 217	G.L. (Ter.Ed.) c. 41 s. 111	Two Weeks Vacation for certain employees
3– 1–1915	1912 c. 635	G.L. (Ter.Ed.) c. 145	Tenement House Law
3– 7–1921 3– 5–1928	G.L. c. 39 s. 23	G.L. (Ter.Ed.) c. 39 s. 23	Elections within 7 days of meeting
3– 7–1927	G.L. c 40 s. 42A-E added by 1923 s. 391	G.L. (Ter.Ed.) c. 40 s. 42 A-F	Liens for and Collection of Water Rates
3– 1–1937	G.L. c. 41; s. 81A as added by 1936 c. 211	G.L. (Ter.Ed.) c. 41; s. 81A as added by 1947 c. 340	Planning Board

3– 1–1937	G.L. c. 41; s. 81F-J as added by 1936 c. 211	G.L. (Ter.Ed.) c. 41; s. 81F to 81Y as added by 1947 c. 340	Authority over Sub-divisions
9–30–1938	G.L. c. 152 s. 69 as amended by 1936 c. 403	G.L. (Ter.Ed.) c. 152 s 69 as amended by 1936 c. 403	Workmen's Compensation
3– 4–1940	G.L. c. 44 s. 35	G.L. (Ter.Ed.) c. 44 s. 35	Request for Annual State Audit
3– 6–1944	G.L. c. 40, s. 27A and 30A as added by 1938 c. 133	G.L. (Ter.Ed.) c. 40 s. 27A and 30A as added by 1938 c. 133	Zoning Changes—Restrictions of.
11– 3–1946	G.L. c. 32 s. 1-28	G.L. (Ter.Ed.) c. 32 s. 1-28	Contributory Retirement System for and
3– 5–1951	1950 c. 820	Supplemental to G.L. (Ter.Ed.) c. 32 s. 1-28	Increase of Retirement Allowances for Former Employees
3– 5–1953	1952 c. 624	Supplemental to G.L. (Ter.Ed.) c. 32 s. 1-28	Increase of Retirement Allowances for Former Employees

ABBREVIATIONS

G.L.—(Ter.Ed.)—An Edition, not an Enactment — Comprising G.L. with Intervening Amendments by Legislature to January 1, 1932.

G.L.—General Laws—1920—An Enactment December 22, 1920, Effective January 1, 1921.

R.L.—Revised Laws—1902—The Enacted Codification next preceding G.L.

Finance

Report of State and Town Auditors

The work of the State Auditor in 1953 consisted, as usual, of a thorough check of the Town's financial records for the preceding year, 1952 and the preparation of a statement of the Town's financial condition at the beginning of the year 1953.

Mr. Pearson Hunt resigned as Town Auditor in 1953 and Louis C. Farley Jr. was appointed for his unexpired term.

The statutes provide that the "substance" of the State Auditor's report be published. In the Town Auditor's opinion this substance is contained in the material reproduced below, consisting of the Balance Sheet of the Town, prepared by the State Auditor. This shows the Town's condition at the beginning of 1953.

LOUIS C. FARLEY JR., Town Auditor

January 15, 1954

Town of Lincoln

BALANCE SHEET December 31, 1953

General Accounts
ASSETS

Treasurer's Balance	
General	$206,845.13
Water	1,063.02
Petty Cash	55.00
Accounts Receivable	
Property Taxes	
Levy of 1951	2,112.22
Levy of 1952	8,466.04
Vehicle and Trailer Excise	
Levy of 1952	2,234.41
Water	
Levy of 1951	11.50
Levy of 1952	1,025.23
Miscellaneous	75.00
Departmental	
School	710.72
Aid to Highways	7,500.00
Deferred Receipts, 1952	92.84
	$230,191.11

General Accounts
LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND SURPLUS LIABILITIES

Unexpended Appropriations	$83,652.36
Due County—Dog Licenses	5.40
Road Machinery Fund	1,441.16
Current Income, Trust Funds	876.95
Special School Funds	374.23
Federal Grants for Welfare	10,987.64
Sub-total, Liabilities	$97,337.74
RESERVES	
Overlay Surplus	15,065.90
For Tax Abatement	3,955.64
For Petty Cash and Accounts Receivable	11,611.86
Sub-total, Reserves	$30,633.40
SURPLUS	
General (Free Cash)	$101,156.95
Water	1,063.02
	$230,191.11

Treasurer's Report, Calendar Year 1953

January 1, Balance	$206,470.90
Petty Cash Funds not included in 1952 report	55.00

Receipts

Anti-Rabbies Dog Clinic		69.00
Board of Appeals		55.00
Board of Health		399.75
Borrowed in anticipation of taxes		80,000.00
Cemetery, Digging Graves		215.00
City of Cambridge, Taxes		779.08
Collector of Taxes		299,296.99
Interest and Costs		327.95
Concord Court Fines		348.29
deCordova School Equipment Trust Fund Income		711.25
deCordova Museum, audit refund		150.00
Highways, Local		5.00
Machinery		475.80
Inspectors, Building, Plumbing and Wiring		540.50
1952 Fees		5.50
Insurance dividend, refund, etc.		195.22
Interest on Deposits		2,298.67
Library: Fines		279.00
Transfer from Library Trust Funds		400.00
Massachusetts, Commonwealth of:		
Chapter 90, 1952 Construction	$3,327.91	
1953 Maintenance	999.28	
Income Tax	13,855.92	
Corporation Tax	16,445.60	
Highways, Snow Removal	162.75	
Licenses	8.00	
Old Age Assistance	18,315.10	
Aid to Disabled	1,886.43	
Aid to Dependent Children	28.96	
a/c Loss of Taxes	569.75	
Meals Tax	818.30	
School Aid, Ch. 70	17,082.45	
School Transportation	16,996.89	
School Construction	25,223.45	
Vocational Education	135.46	115,856.25
Miscellaneous, Licenses, etc.		82.20

Middlesex County:		
Dog Tax	685.64	
Care and Killing of Dogs	65.00	
Highways, Chapter 90 Construction 1952	1,663.95	
Highways, Chapter 90 Maintenance 1953	999.28	3,413.87
Old Age Assistance Refunds		1,333.56
Planning Board		15.00
Schools:		
Grammar School Fund Income		53.01
Teachers' annuities Fund		227.06
Tuition		266.89
Miscellaneous Receipts		66.95
Town Clerk, Dog Licenses		1,102.60
Town Hall Rentals		67.00
U.S.A. Old Age Assistance		13,427.70
U.S.A. Old Age Assistance Adm.		644.16
U.S.A. Aid to Disabled		310.78
U.S.A. Aid to Disabled Adm.		10.83
U.S.A. Aid to Dependent Children		350.04
U.S.A. Aid to Dependent Children Adm.		15.24
		$730,321.04

Payments

Selectmen's Orders (see detail)	$550,137.69
Massachusetts, Commonwealth of:	
State Parks and Reservations	638.40
Auditing Municipal Accounts	476.27
Middlesex County:	
1953 Tax	11,717.88
Dog Licenses	1,081.40
Tuberculosis Hospital	2,623.85
Total Payments	$566,675.49
Balance in Banks, December 31, 1953	163,540.55
Petty Cash Funds	105.00
	$730,321.04

DETAIL OF 1953 DISBURSEMENTS

	Carried Forward from 1952	1953 Income Reserved for Special Purposes	Appropriated in 1953	Transfer from Reserve	Total Available for Expenditure	Amount Expended in 1953	Balance Accruing To Surplus	Balance Carried Forward to 1954
GENERAL GOVERNMENT.								
Selectmen								
1. Salaries of Selectmen			600.00		600.00	600.00		
2. Salaries of Clerks			2,250.00		2,250.00	2,236.01	13.99	
3. Supplies and Miscellaneous			750.00		750.00	572.07	177.93	
4. Administrative Assistant			4,000.00		4,000.00	2,073.68	1,926.32	
Treasurer								
5. Salaries			400.00		400.00	400.00		
6. Clerical			500.00		500.00	257.83	242.17	
7. Supplies & Miscellaneous			288.00	33.00	321.00	321.00		
Collector of Taxes								
8. Salary			1,800.00		1,800.00	1,800.00		
9. Supplies & Miscellaneous			630.00		300.00	300.00		
Clerk								
10. Salary			300.00		630.00	630.00		
11. Supplies & Miscellaneous			50.00		50.00	46.16	3.84	
Assessors								
12. Salaries			550.00		550.00	550.00		
13. Clerical			500.00		500.00	307.67	192.33	
14. Supplies & Miscellaneous			334.00		334.00	325.53	8.47	
15. Maps			300.00		300.00			300.00

DETAIL OF 1953 DISBURSEMENTS — Continued

	Carried Forward from 1952	1953 Income Reserved for Special Purposes	Appropriated in 1953	Transfer from Reserve	Total Available for Expenditure	Amount Expended in 1953	Balance Accruing To Surplus	Balance Carried Forward to 1954
Auditor								
16. Salary			50.00		50.00	50.00		
Legal								
17. Counsel			1,700.00		1,700.00	1,667.74	32.26	
Election and Registration								
18. Salaries			275.00		275.00	242.00	33.00	
19. Supplies & Miscellaneous			270.00		270.00	246.91	23.09	
Town House								
20. Janitor			2,568.00		2,568.00	2,517.50	50.50	
21. Fuel			800.00		800.00	765.81	34.19	
22. Repairs & Maintenance			700.00	101.88	801.88	799.73	2.15	
23. Supplies & Miscellaneous			900.00		900.00	734.34	165.66	
24. New Offices			1,400.00		1,400.00	1,398.71	1.29	
Planning Board								
25. Supplies & Miscellaneous			600.00		600.00	514.24	85.76	
Finance Committee								
26. Dues			10.00		10.00	10.00		
Total for General Government			22,525.00	134.88	22,659.88	19,366.93	2,992.95	300.00

	Carried Forward from 1952	1953 Income Reserved for Special Purposes	Appropriated in 1953	Transfer from Reserve	Total Available for Expenditure	Amount Expended in 1953	Balance Accruing To Surplus	Balance Carried Forward to 1954
PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY								
27. Salaries			10,125.00		10,125.00	10,115.00	10.00	
28. Car			593.30		593.30	593.30		
29. Supplies & Miscellaneous			2,850.00		2,850.00	2,562.02	287.98	
Fire Department								
30. Salaries			300.00		300.00	300.00		
31. Labor at fires			3,500.00	905.75	4,405.75	4,405.75		
32. Operation, Supplies and Miscellaneous			2,825.00	461.38	3,286.38	3,286.38		
Tree and Moth Department								
33. Insect Control			2,000.00		2,000.00	1,999.90	.10	
34. Dutch Elm Control	1,998.50		1,700.00	1,637.38	5,335.88	5,239.91	1.47	94.50
35. Poison Ivy Control			500.00		500.00	498.45	1.55	
36. Brush Removal			500.00		500.00	500.00		
37. New Truck and Sprayer			3,100.00		3,100.00	2,922.70		177.30
Board of Appeals								
38. Clerical			250.00		250.00	52.00	198.00	
39. Supplies & Miscellaneous			300.00		300.00	202.05	97.95	
Inspectors of Buildings, Plumbing and Wiring								
40. Salaries and Transportation			600.00		600.00	591.23	8.77	

DETAIL OF 1953 DISBURSEMENTS — Continued

	Carried Forward from 1952	1953 Income Reserved for Special Purposes	Appropriated in 1953	Transfer from Reserve	Total Available for Expenditure	Amount Expended in 1953	Balance Accruing To Surplus	Balance Carried Forward to 1954
Civil Defense								
41. Expenses	627.45				627.45	397.01		230.44
Total for Protection of Persons and Property	2,625.95		29,143.30	3,004.51	34,773.76	33,665.70	605.82	502.24
HEALTH and SANITATION								
Board of Health								
42. Salaries of Nurses			2,340.00		2,340.00	2,315.00	25.00	
43. Supplies & Miscellaneou			855.00		855.00	724.41	130.59	
Inspector of Animals								
44. Salary			100.00		100.00	100.00		
Total for Health and **Sanitation**			3,295.00		3,295.00	3,139.41	155.59	
Highways								
45. Chapter 90 Maintenance			3,000.00		3,000.00	2,997.85	2.15	
46. Wages			16,000.00		16,000.00	14,962.09	1,037.91	
47. Machinery, Repairs and Maintenance			5,300.00	69.01	5,369.01	5,369.01		
48. Supplies & Miscellaneous			13,200.00		13,200.00	11,844.98	1,355.02	
49. Street Lights			6,084.00		6,084.00	5,840.82	243.18	

	Carried Forward from 1952	1953 Income Reserved for Special Purposes	Appropriated in 1953	Transfer from Reserve	Total Available for Expenditure	Amount Expended in 1953	Balance Accruing To Surplus	Balance Carried Forward to 1954
50. Highway Machinery Fund	1,466.26	475.80			1,942.06			1,942.06
51. Sand Spreader			1,543.50		1,543.50	1,543.50		
Total for Highways	1,466.26	475.80	45,127.50	69.01	47,138.57	42,558.25	2,638.26	1,942.06
Aid to Citizens								
52. Public Welfare	8,432.50	14,088.52	20,000.00		42,521.02	37,906.68	867.93	3,746.41
53. Public Welfare Administration	87.15	670.23	750.00		1,507.38	1,397.83	21.41	88.14
54. Veterans' Aid			500.00		500.00	12.00	488.00	
Total Aid to Citizens	8,519.65	14,758.75	21,250.00		44,528.40	39,316.51	1,377.34	3,834.55
Educations								
55. Salaries			104,333.00		104,333.00	96,224.64	8,108.36	
56. Transportation			28,689.00		28,689.00	22,298.02	6,390.98	
57. Tuition and Vocational Education			31,875.00		31,875.00	26,053.55	4,727.45	
58. Equipment, Supplies and Miscellaneous			30,781.00		30,781.00	29,597.82	2,277.18	
59. New School construction	318.88				318.88			318.88
60. New School Addition	68,267.95		9,500.00		77,767.95	74,620.98		3,146.97
61. Additional land			750.00		750.00			750.00
62. Regional School Committee			200.00		200.00			200.00
Library								
63. Salaries			4,270.00		4,270.00	4,211.88	58.12	

DETAIL OF 1953 DISBURSEMENTS — Continued

	Carried Forward from 1952	1953 Income Reserved for Special Purposes	Appropriated in 1953	Transfer from Reserve	Total Available for Expenditure	Amount Expended in 1953	Balance Accruing To Surplus	Balance Carried Forward to 1954
64. Books			1,175.00		1,175.00	1,116.43	58.57	
65. Supplies and Miscellaneous			910.00		910.00	545.96	364.04	
66. Repairs			1,510.00		1,510.00	1,442.50	67.50	
Total for Education	68,586.83		213,993.00		282,579.83	256,111.78	22,052.20	4,415.85
Recreation								
67. Salaries and Wages			1,400.00	128.95	1,528.95	1,528.95		
68. Supplies & Miscellaneous			643.00	74.58	717.58	717.58		
Total for Recreation			2,043.00	203.53	2,246.53	2,246.53		
Cemetery								
69. Salaries, Maintenance and Interments			2,650.00		2,650.00	2,526.80	123.20	
70. Supplies & Miscellaneous			118.00		118.00	32.48	85.52	
71. Permanent Improvements	885.42				885.42	462.65		422.77
Total for Cemeteries	885.42		2,768.00		3,653.42	3,021.93	208.72	422.77
Unclassified								
72. Middlesex County Pension Fund			2,009.80		2,009.80	2,009.80		
73. Town Reports			1,505.15		1,505.15	1,505.15		
74. Rent of Dump			375.00		375.00	375.00		

	Carried Forward from 1952	1953 Income Reserved for Special Purposes	Appropriated in 1953	Transfer from Reserve	Total Available for Expenditure	Amount Expended in 1953	Balance Accruing To Surplus	Balance Carried Forward to 1954
75. Insurance			6,500.00		6,500.00	6,336.65	163.35	
76. Rental of Hydrants			3,195.00		3,195.00	3,195.00		
77. Refunds:								
Motor Vehicle Excise abatements		792.61			792.61	792.61		
Old Age Assistance Recovery	2,059.79				2,059.79	2,059.79		
Real Estate Tax		3,060.00			3,060.00	3,060.00		
78. Town Report Committee	100.00				100.00	32.60		67.40
79. Unpaid 1952 bills			406.80		406.80	314.80	92.00	
80. Stickel claim for damages			1,750.00		1,750.00	1,750.00		
81. Wildes claim for damages	1,500.00				1,500.00	1,500.00		
82. Speed Zoning	215.71				215.71	215.71		
83. Memorial Day			150.00		150.00	138.37	11.63	
84. Preservation of Town Records	150.00				150.00			150.00
85. Revision of Town By-Laws	150.00				150.00			150.00
86. Union Health District	100.00				100.00			100.00
87. Two Hundredth Anniversary			2,500.00		2,500.00			2,500.00
88. Building Code Committee	195.25				195.25			195.25
Total Unclassified	4,470.75	3,852.61	18,391.75		26,715.11	23,285.48	266.98	3,162.65

DETAIL OF 1953 DISBURSEMENTS — Continued

	Carried Forward from 1952	1953 Income Reserved for Special Purposes	Appropriated in 1953	Transfer from Reserve	Total Available for Expenditure	Amount Expended in 1953	Balance Accruing To Surplus	Balance Carried Forward to 1954
Town Debt.								
89. Bonds			37,000.00		37,000.00	37,000.00		
90. Interest on Borrowed Funds			9,992.50	432.67	10,425.17	10,425.17		
91. Tax Anticipation Loan		80,000.00			80,000.00	80,000.00		
Total Debt Service		80,000.00	46,992.50	432.67	127,425.17	127,425.17		
Grand Total	$86,554.86	$99,087.16	$405,529.05	$3,844.60	$595.015.67	$550,137.69	$30,297.86	$14,580.12

FREDERICK B. TAYLOR, *Town Treasurer*

GENERAL FUND, DECEMBER 31, 1953

Assets

Concord National Bank	$35,015.82
First National Bank of Boston	3,708.82
Day Trust Company	40,778.75
Arlington Five Cents Savings Bank	4,754.69
Belmont Savings Bank	4,361.54
Beverly Savings Bank	4,552.83
Boston Five Cents Savings Bank	4,250.97
Brockton Savings Bank	4,701.82
Brookline Savings Bank	2,377.38
Cambridge Savings Bank	4,995.72
Charlestown Savings Bank	5,263.35
East Bridgewater Savings Bank	4,736.04
Franklin Savings Bank	4,825.93
Home Savings Bank	4,790.26
Institution for Savings in Roxbury	4,736.94
Lowell Institution for Savings	2,307.69
Lynn Five Cents Savings Bank	4,762.36
Malden Savings Bank	2,361.39
Natick Five Cents Savings Bank	1,219.70
Newton Savings Bank	4,820.00
North Avenue Savings Bank	2,423.72
Warren Institution for Savings	6,913.21
Whitman Savings Bank	4,881.62
Petty Cash Accounts	105.00
	$163,645.55
Taxes, Interest to be added	14,911.73
Accounts Receivable:	
Commonwealth of Massachusetts @ O.A.A.	2,877.73
Total Assets	$181,435.01

Liabilities and Surplus

Dog Licenses, due County		26.60
Road Machinery Fund		1,942.06
Federal Grants for Public Welfare:		
Old Age Assistance	$2,880.28	
Old Age Assistance Administration	57.82	
Aid to Dependent Children	465.35	
Aid to Dependent Children Administration	19.47	
Aid to Disabled	400.78	
Aid to Disabled Administration	10.85	3,834.55

Grammar School Fund income		53.01
deCordova School Equipment Fund income		711.25
Overlay Reserves: 1953	4,137.92	
1952	1,171.02	5,308.94
Unexpended appropriation balances:		
Building Code Committee	$195.25	
Civil Defense	230.44	
Cemetery Improvements	422.77	
New School Construction	318.88	
New School Addition	3,146.97	
Removal of Diseased Elm Trees	94.50	
Town Report Committee	67.40	
Truck and Sprayer for Tree and Moth Department	177.30	
Preservation of Town Records	150.00	
Revision of Town By-Laws	150.00	
Union Health District	100.00	
200th Anniversary Committee	2,500.00	
Assessors Maps	300.00	
New School Land Committee	750.00	
Regional School Committee	200.00	8,803.51
Overlay Surplus		13,005.89
General Funds Surplus:		
Receivables reserved until collected	$17,789.46	
Available Surplus ("free cash")	129,959.74	147,749.20
Total Reserves and Surplus		181,435.01

OUTSTANDING DEBT

$150,000	School Building Loan, 1¾%, due $10,000 each December 1, 1954 - 1968, issued under Chapter 208, Acts of 1948
65,000	School Building Loan, 1¾%, due $5,000 each December 1, 1954 - 1958, and $4,000 each December 1, 1959 - 1968, issued under Chapter 44, General Laws, as amended
20,000	Highway Equipment Building Loan, 1¾%, due $4,000 each December 1, 1954 - 1958, issued under Chapter 44, General Laws, as amended
224,000	School Building Loan, 1¾%, due $13,000 each December 1, 1954 - 1961, and $12,000 each December 1, 1962-1971, issued under Chapter 356, Acts of 1951

75,000	School Building Loan, 1¾%, due $5,000 each December 1, 1954 - 1956, and $4,000 each December 1, 1957-1971, issued under Chapter 44, General Laws, as amended
6,000	Water Equipment Loan, 2¾%, due $2,000 each August 1, 1954 - 1956, issued under Chapter 44, General Laws, as amended
3,500	Water Main Loan, 2¾%, due $1,000 each November 1, 1954 - 1956, and $500 due November 1, 1957, issued under Chapter 44, General Laws, as amended
$543,500	

SCHOOL MILK FUND

Balance January 1, 1953	$274.23	
Receipts	1,978.31	$2,252.54
Payments		2,181.97
December 31, 1953, Balance on Deposit		$70.57

SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Balance, January 1, 1953	$100.00
Payments	100.00

WATER DEPARTMENT REPORT

January 1, Balance		$1,063.02
Receipts		
Operating:		
Rates, 1952	784.08	
Rates, 1951	$11.52	
Meter, 1952	34.23	
Rates, 1953	22,448.02	
Meter, 1953	412.56	
Water Connections	2,204.00	
Rent of Hydrants	3,195.00	
Miscellaneous	393.17	
Stickel settlement returned	1,750.00	31,232.58
		$32,295.60

Expenses

Salaries	10,706.29	
Electricity, Telephone and Fuel Oil	3,159.70	
Supplies, equipment, parts and repairs	6,569.92	
Meters and Maintenance	5,804.67	
Pitometer Survey	1,577.00	
Equipment Rental	1,269.00	
Miscellaneous	480.34	
Chlorinator	500.00	30,066.92
December 31, 1953, Balance on Deposit		2,228.68
		$32,295.60

SPECIAL ACCOUNTS

Old Bedford Road

Borrowed per article No. 2 Special Town Meeting October 5, 1953	$3,500.00
Expenditures	2,744.13
Balance on deposit December 31, 1953	$755.87

Water Meters

Borrowed per article No. 10 Special Town Meeting June 22, 1953	$6,000.00
Expenditures	5,998.74
Balance on deposit December 31, 1953	$1.26

CEMETERY INVESTMENT ACCOUNT

Cash Account

Cash balance at January 1, 1953		$186.22
Receipts in 1953:		
Proceeds of sale of cemetery lots	$889.00	
Interest in savings bank deposit	182.29	1,071.29
		$1,257.51
Deposited in Middlesex Institution for Savings		$1,257.51
Balance in Middlesex Institution for Savings at January 1, 1953		$7,150.99
Deposited in 1953		1,257.51
Balance on deposit at December 31, 1953		$8,408.50

Report of the Collector of Taxes

		Committed	Paid	Abated	Outstanding 18/31/1953
1953					
Poll		$1,602.00	$1,350.00	$252.00	None
Personal		20,140.65	19,217.37	2,048.00	$875.28
Real		244,238.40	236,355.36	2,308.80	5,574.24
Excise		33,556.33	28,235.72	798.27	4,522.34
1952					
Personal Balance January 1, 1953		936.81	247.50	.....	689.31
Real Balance January 1, 1953		7,529.23	4,432.70	.....	3,096.53
Excise Balance, January 1, 1953	$2,834.41				
1/29/53	3,457.77	6,292.18	5,151.32	986.83	154.03
1951					
Personal Balance, January 1, 1953		142.12	128.92	13.20	None
Real Balance, January 1, 1953		1,970.10	1,970.10	.....	None

Interest

1953	$42.70
1952	134.07
1951	151.18
Total	$327.95

Water

	Committed	Paid	Abatements and Deductions	Outstanding 12/31/1953
1953	$26,382.57	$22,860.58	$2,788.24	$733.75
1952 Balance, January 1, 1953	1,024.83	818.31	61.17	145.35

WILLIAM H. DAVIS, Collector of Taxes

Assessors' Report

The Board of Assessors submit the following report for the year 1953:

All real estate and personal property abatement requests must be filed by October 1, of the year in question, according to law.

1953 Recapitulation

Town:			
Total appropriations to be raised by taxation			$385,706.65
Total appropriations to be taken from available funds			66,857.40
			452,564.05
State: Tax and Assessments	Estimate	Underestimate	
1. State tax	322.30	44.21	
2. State parks & reservations	638.40	48.63	
Totals	960.70	92.84	1,053.54
County:			
1. County tax	12,043.77		
2. T.B. Hospital Assessments	2,366.21		
	14,409.98		14,409.98
Overlay of Current year			7,544.99
Gross amount to be raised			475,572.56

Estimated Receipts and Available Funds		
1. Income tax	27,457.11	
2. Corporation taxes	16,795.60	
3. Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise	26,954.77	
4. Old Age Assistance	15,000.00	
5. Schools	12,400.00	
6. Water Department	30,225.00	
7. Interest on Taxes and Assessments	2,300.00	
8. State Assistance for School Construction	5,000.00	
9. All others	4,359.65	
	140,492.13	

Overestimates of previous year (available funds)		
a. County tax	1,923.93	
b. County T.B. Hospital	766.85	
Amount voted from available funds	66,857.40	
	69,548.18	
Total Estimated Receipts and Available funds		210,040.31
Net amount to be raised by taxation on polls and property		265,532.25
Number of polls 801 @ $2.00	Poll tax	1,602.00

Total valuation:			
Pers. prop.	419,597		
Real estate	5,078,950	Pers. prop.	20,140.65
	5,498.547	Real estate	243,789.60
		Total taxes on Polls and Prop.	265,532.25

Number of Acres of Land Assessed	8,391.44
Number of Dwelling Houses Assessed	730
Tax Rate per $1,000	$48.00

GEORGE G. TARBELL, JR., Chairman
ARTHUR W. RICE, JR.
G. ARNOLD WILEY
Board of Assessors

Protection of Persons and Property

Report of the Police Department

I herewith submit my report for the Police Department for the year ending December 31, 1953. Said report includes all arrests made within the Town of Lincoln during the past year.

Arrests by Lincoln Police	64
Arrests by State Police	47
Total number of arrests	111
Crimes against the person:	
Assault	2
Crimes against property:	
Breaking and entering and larceny	3
Embezzlement	1
Embezzlement, Accessory before	1
Crimes against public order:	
Driving a motor vehicle to endanger life	7
Driving a motor vehicle while intoxicated	12
Driving a motor vehicle after suspension or revocation of license	6
Drunkeness	17
Escapee	4
Giving false name to Police Officer	1

Leaving scene of accident after causing property damage	1
Lewd and Lascivious Behavior	4
Motor Vehicle Laws, Violating	40
Operating uninsured motor vehicle	4
Operating unregistered motor vehicle	4
Refusing to stop for Police Officer	1
Vagrancy	2
Violation Town By-Law	1
Violations of Motor Vehicle Laws reported to the Registrar of Motor Vehicles	14
Motor Vehicle accident report:	
Accidents reported	56
Occupants injured	43
Summonses served for other police departments	125

I wish to extend my thanks to the local telephone operators and to the Concord Police Department for their help and cooperation throughout the past year.

I wish also to express the sorrow felt by this department at the passing of our very good friend William G. Ryan Chief of the Concord Police Department. Chief Ryan gave much unrecorded service and assistance to the Town of Lincoln through this department.

Respectfully submitted,

LEO G. ALGEO, Chief of Police

Report of Board of Fire Engineers

During the past year the department answered 93 alarms as follows:

Buildings	14
Brush	48
Dump	12
Miscellaneous	19

Total property losses estimated at $76,324.00, equipment losses of the department, and additional demand in hours necessitated transfers from the reserve fund of $461.38 for maintenance and supply account and $905.75 for labor at fires account.

The Board of Engineers has recommended immediate approval be given the cost of repairing the present tanks located at the South Fire Station. These two tanks, installed in 1932, were originally approved to withstand 250 lbs. operating pressure. Due to corrosion over the 22 years' span, these tanks have now been restricted by the state and underwriters at a pressure not to exceed 125 lbs.

Renovation of this equipment would include changing the audible system from a high pressure to a low pressure one thus assuring many more years of use. It is also felt that replacement of the existing open circuit transmitter to a closed circuit type is essential to the improvement of the alarm system. A closed circuit board would allow for expansion to meet the demands of public building coverage which may be required by law and would also furnish a compatible foundation for interstation transmitting.

In general, this phase of our operation is at present hazardous and obsolete, and for the complete protection of the Town, we strongly recommend approval.

All members of the department wish to extend their

appreciation to the Waltham and Weston Fire Departments for the valuable assistance given to Lincoln at the DeNormandie fire.

A. J. DOUGHERTY, Chief
W. M. DEAN, Clerk
JOSEPH TRACEY,
Board of Engineers

Report of the Inspector of Animals

The following animals have been inspected:

Cows, 2 years and older	205	Steers	11
Heifers, 1 - 2 years	58	Horses	31
Heifers, under 1 year	73	Sheep	7
Bulls	5	Swine	1,027

Found the animals to under the rules and regulations of the Division of Livestock Disease Control and have supplied the Division of Livestock with a list of the owners and the number and kind of animals on the premises.

The epidemic among the swine which was prevalent one year ago, has been corrected and with new feeding regulations, it is felt that this epidemic has been stopped.

Although twelve dog bites were reported, no bites were serious, and all the dogs were placed in quarantine.

ANDREW J. DOUGHERTY
Inspector of Animals

Report of Tree Warden

Spraying this year was started late in April with an application of dormant spray on all roadside Elms to control the Elm Bark Beetle, which is the carrier of Dutch Elm Disease. There was a decline in the total

number of trees infected this year so this program will be followed again next season.

The next spray was the general foliage spray on all roadside trees for control of Gypsy Moth, Elm Leaf Beetle and other leaf-eating insects. This was applied the latter part of May continuing through the third week in June.

Poison Ivy Control Spraying was done during the hot weather of July and August with good results. The final spraying was in August on all roadside Elms to control the second flight of Elm Leaf Beetle.

The new hydraulic sprayer with a larger capacity purchased this year has helped a great deal in the timing of the spray applications.

Roadside brush removal was done on streets with heavy growth and shall be continued this year.

Again this year a survey was made of all Elms visible from the road and of Elms of a suspicious nature reported by property owners. Samples were taken from a total of 54 and sent to the Shade Tree Laboratory at the State College. Forty-six were confirmed as having Dutch Elm Disease. Of this total 32 were on private property and 14 on Public ways.

At the writing of this report these trees are being removed at public expense. I urge all Townspeople at this time to destroy all dead Elm trees or old Elm logs on their property to aid in combating Dutch Elm Disease, for these are the breeding places of the Bark Beetles.

The removal of dead trees and dangerous over-hanging limbs was continued as in previous years.

At this time I once again wish to thank the members of the police department for their notification of storm damage, and to the members of the Highway Department for their cooperation and help.

Respectfully submitted,

DANIEL A. MacINNIS, JR.
Tree Warden

Civil Defense Agency

Perhaps one of the biggest problems which faces a Civil Defense organization in any surburban community is the question of just how great is the need and just how much money and effort should be expended. Unfortunately, in making such an evaluation much of the thinking must be based on conjecture. There are certain things we do know, however, which may serve as guides and be helpful in arriving at conclusions, namely: a state of emergency still exists; Lincoln is on the fringes of a critical area; and Civil Defense has already demonstrated its usefulness in coping with natural disasters. Your Agency has attempted to pursue a middle course and establish a reasonable program of preparedness with a minimum of expenditure.

The Lincoln Civil Defense Agency is organized on the premise that because of its somewhat limited source of manpower and physical equipment its greatest value lies in being prepared to receive evacuees from bombed out areas and give temporary hospitalization to casualties in transit who may need intermediate care. Emphasis. therefore, has been placed on establishing facilities and building up personnel for receiving rather than giving support to cities or towns which may experience a disaster.

Chief divisions of the organization as presently constituted include Civilian War Aid, Medical, Transportation and Communication. Under consideration and in the preliminary stage of organization is an Auxiliary Police Force. Such a group, under the direction of the Chief of Police, would be used in the event of an emergeny to supplement the regular force. It is anticipated that their primary duty would be that of traffic control.

The director wishes to thank all Agency personnel for the time and effort which they are so willingly contributing.

EVELETH R. TODD, Director
Civil Defense Agency

Health and Welfare

1953
Report of the Board of Health

At the initial meeting of the Board in March 1953, Mrs. Nancy Hurd was elected Secretary, Mr. Warren Flint, member of the Nursing Committee, and Dr. Gordon Donaldson, Chairman. Mrs. Marion Ober was appointed Agent; Mr. William Davis, burial agent; Mr. Andrew Doherty, inspector of animals; and Dr. Alden Russell, inspector of slaughtering. Mr. Leslie Willard has proved most helpful as a Sanitation officer and advisor in the second half of the year in which he was available.

During the year, the following licenses were granted: overnight camps, 1; slaughtering of poultry, 1; piggeries, 4; convalescent homes, 1; homes for the aged, 2; sale of alcohol, 6; sale of oleomargarine, 5. In the past year, the Board of Health, under Chapter 134 of the State Laws, has taken on a new licensing job. Before the Planning Board can approve any new land subdivision development in Town, the Board of Health must first survey and approve the proposed water supply, sewage disposal and water drainage of said development. This Law of 1952 gives the Board of Health broad powers to control building, and a program as it applies to Lincoln has been described in a set of "Regulations for Cesspools, Septic Tanks, Vault privies, and Drainage." These reg-

ulations are based on State Sanitary engineer recommendations, and copies are filed at the Town House.

The year 1953 was a healthy one for Lincoln, as far as contagious diseases are concerned. The following diseases, as required by State Law, were reported; Chicken pox, 27; German measles, 5; Mumps, 1; Pertussis, 1; Tuberculosis, 1. No cases of Poliomylitis occurred. In spite of recent medical advances, it continues to be important that the diagnosis of contagious diseases be confirmed by a physician, and be reported immediately by him to the Board. Eleven instances of Dog Bite were recorded, and the procedure to be followed in the case of such an event is outlined in the Report of this Board in 1951.

Although over 400 dogs are licensed in the Town, only 138 were presented at the Dog Clinic on May 2nd for innoculation against rabies. The remaining animals presumably were innoculated by private veterinarians. The clinic this year will be held early in May, and due notice will be sent all known dog owners.

The Well Child Clinic continued to function under the able direction of Dr. John Davies. These monthly check-up clinics are open to all and a minimum charge is made for preventive innoculations of various types. 25 new babies were examined, 19 repeaters seen, and 53 pre-kindergarten children were checked during the year.

Dr. David Farrell again served as dentist in the Dental Clinic at the New School. Appointments were arranged for two days a week during the school term, and in this fashion a complete survey of the entire school was accomplished. Because of the number of treatments requested, the Clinic ran through the summer months. The general policy of the Lincoln Dental Clinic was described in the 1951 Report.

The Board of Health has continued its interest in the use of flourine in drinking water to prevent dental caries. There is little doubt that flouridation of water reduces

decay in children by 50 to 65 percent. It is endorsed by all medical and dental agencies. The amount of flourine necessary is 1 part per million of water, and the cost averages 5 to 8 cents per capita per annum. Although the all around safety of flouridation is not yet fully established, most opposition appears to stem from superstition and prejudice.

The use of chlorine in town water, voted at Town Meeting in June, is unavoidable at present, and results from a recent series of unfavorable monthly water culture reports. Although chlorine is recommended in all surface fed drinking water sources, we feel that recent contamination of Sandy Pond has resulted from the increased activities about its shores; and stringent rules regarding building and habitation in general should be enforced if we are to protect our only water supply adequately.

Through Mrs. Hurd, the Board has maintained contact with the Union Health study. Progress with surrounding towns in organizing such a group has been slow, and some years may be required to evolve a working Union.

The garbage collection problem has not been solved, and the difficulties have not been lessened by a State Law (Chapter 655) requiring all garbage fed to commercial animals be heated to 212 degrees for 15 minutes before feeding. At present only 16 percent of house holders make use of Mr. Catoni's Garbage collecting service, and a town survey is now in progress to determine a solution to this problem. In the coming year, it is hoped that this independent service may be improved, and be conducted in a more business-like fashion.

Respectfully submitted,

GORDON DONALDSON

Report of the Nursing Committee

The rapid increase in the Town's population over the last few years has made it necessary for our Community Nurse to spend more and more of her time at the schools, the Dental Clinic, and the Well Child Conference. Fortunately the bedside and welfare work have eased considerably with the result that it has been possible for her to cover all the necessary ground.

Again, this year, the Town has been able to secure the services of Miss Bates during Mrs. Ober's vacation.

1953 Summary

Number of calls	1,803
Number of new patients	48
Number of old patients	22
Number of patients died	12
Number of patients moved to hospitals or nursing homes	5
Number of regular patients as of 12/31/53	13

Total Fees Collected 1953

Nursing calls	$	352.25
Dental Clinic		934.30
Well Child Conference		31.50
		1,318.05
Dog Clinic		69.00
Total		$1,387.05

Respectfully submitted,
LUCY BYGRAVE
WARREN FLINT, Chairman
ALBERTA FRADD, Secretary

Report of the Committee on Old Age Assistance and Public Welfare

At the close of the year 1953 there were thirty-six cases receiving Old Age Assistance in the Town of Lincoln. During the year seven cases were closed and six were added. Although the gross cost of Old Age Assistance was approximately the same as in 1952, the cost to the Town was considerably less because of a large balance in the Federal Grants account on January 1, 1953.

Following is a summary of expenditures and receipts in all categories:

Old Age Assistance:		
Gross Cost		$35,359.83
Federal Government		13,427.70
Commonwealth of Massachusetts		18,315.10
Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Meals Tax		818.30
Other Cities and Towns		1,333.56
		33,894.66
Cost to the Town of Lincoln		4,345.45
		38,240.11
Balance in Federal Grants account 12/31/53		2,880.28
Reserved for Old Age Assistance		$35,359.83
Aid to Dependent Children:		
Gross Cost	$	609.69
Federal Government		383.94
Commonwealth of Massachusetts		28.96
Cost to the Town of Lincoln		580.73
	$	993..63

Balance in Federal Grants account 12/31/53		383.94
Reserved for Aid to Dependent Children	$	609.69
Aid to Disabled:		
Gross Cost	$	158.40
Federal Government		276.88
Commonwealth of Massachusetts		1,886.43
	$	2,163.31
Cost to Town of Lincoln		
Balance in Federal Grants account 12/31/53	$	276.88
Reserved for Aid to Disabled		

Respectfully submitted,

M. ELIZABETH CAUSER,
Public Welfare Agent.

Report of the Committee To Study Union Health Departments

The Lincoln Committee, members of the Board of Health, and Mrs. Ober have continued to meet with similar representatives from the other towns in this area mentioned in the 1951 Report.

On July 1, 1953 the State Legislature revised the original bill of 1949, removing the compulsion clause.

Lincoln's greatest present public health need — which would have been met in a union health plan — was for the services of a sanitation engineer. Mr. Leslie Willard, Assistant to the Town's Selectmen, has been the greatest help to the Board of Health in this field.

The opinion of the representatives in this area is that at the present time there is not enough real need nor interest in these communities to form a Union Board of Health. It is felt, however, that the idea should not be completely abandoned for the future. It is recommended that the chairmen of the various Boards of Health in this area continue to be alive to the problem and keep in communication with one another.

The Lincoln Committee to study Union Health Departments recommends that it be discharged, leaving further study of the union plan to the Board of Health.

Respectfully submitted,

NANCY D. HURD
RICHARD K. CONANT
JEAN M. MURPHY
BRADFORD CANNON
ELLIOTT R. HEDGE

Planning and Public Works

Report of the Planning Board

The Planning Board was organized with Howard Snelling, Chairman, and Richard J. Eaton, Clerk. Our principal activities during the year were concerned with sub-division control, matters referred to us in an advisory capacity by other Town officers, and consideration of future needs of the Town (long-range planning).

Sub-divison Control

The General Court enacted in 1953 a major revision of the sub-division law, which imposes additional administrative duties on ourselves, the Town Clerk and the Board of Health. Our present regulations, adopted as recently as 1950, require considerable revision. A preliminary text has been prepared for circulation among other Town officers for critical review, final revision and publication early in 1954. During the year the following sub-divisions were conditionally approved.

Stratford Realty Company, off Trapelo Road, June 9, 1953.

Harold W. Demone, off Cambridge Turnpike, October 8, 1953.

Numerous technical details concerning other sub-divisions, previously approved or still pending, were acted

upon or considered. Our Board was frequently consulted by land owners in respect to zoning and sub-division problems. Improved techniques of sub-division control have been developed as a result of cumulative experience in this field.

Advisory Opinions

Our Board participated in several joint meetings with other Town Boards, viz: — the Selectmen, the Board of Health, the Water Commissioners and the Fire Commissioners, to consider such matters as the Town dump, "Chapter 90" road construction, laying-out of existing roads, fire station site, and regulations of the Health and Water Boards affecting sub-divisions. By request, we made formal recommendations in respect to the Town dump and the fire station site.

Long-Range Planning

Despite a recent doubling of the frequency of our meetings, sub-division control and other routine duties overshadow our function of long-range planning. The basic pattern or "master plan" of Lincoln's physical development was wisely established by a good zoning by-law nearly twenty-five years ago whereby 99% of the area of the Town was dedicated to single family residences on approximately one acre lots. In consequence the Town has been largely protected from the ills of unplanned commercial and industrial development and over-intensive residential construction, such as have been suffered by many other suburban communities. This basic pattern, still valid, has been subject to constant refinement over the intervening years.

Present studies suggest the possiblity of further improvement. For example, it may well be advisable to increase our present minimum lot size (in undeveloped single residence districts) to one and a half or two acres, thus reducing the number of potential house sites by one-third or one-half and minimizing burdensome expan-

sion of educational plant, water supply and other Town services, to say nothing of public sewage disposal facilities. Such a proposal, if coupled with a policy of low assessments on farms, orchards and wood land, may tend to retard the conversion of undeveloped areas into suburban house lots. The Town of Wayland has already taken steps in this direction and the Town of Weston is currently considering them.

There are those who believe that Lincoln would gain much by the introduction of a light-industrial research or office district. The benefits to be obtained relate to an expanded tax base, development of a broader economic and social pattern in the Town, and the absorption of areas not well suited to residential development.

The Board is still uncertain as to both issues and is endeavoring through discussion and study to define the problems and the various implications. It is unanimous, however, in feeling that these matters require continuing study by both the townspeople and the Board.

The subject of protecting the watershed of Sandy Pond is attracting increasingly favorable consideration and was explored by the Board in more detail during the year. There is strong sentiment within the Board that ample areas for future recreational facilities should be acquired in the north and south ends of Town, while there still remains a choice of suitable undeveloped sites.

Another aspect of the concept of a master plan is the future ramification of our road-net. This subject has received continuing attention on the part of the Board over the years, and is presently a major consideration in our dealings with sub-division applicants.

Respectfully submitted,

HOWARD SNELLING, Chairman
RICHARD J. EATON, Clerk
ALAN McCLENNEN
ARTHUR T. HOWARD
EVERETT A. BLACK

Report of the Regional Planning Board

In the fall of 1953 the Lincoln School Committee was advised by the towns of Concord and Weston that they would be able to accept Lincoln high school students on a tuition basis for only a limited time. All their facilities would soon be needed to provide for their own high school pupils. Lincoln would have to look elsewhere for high school instruction. At the recommendation of the Lincoln School Committee, a special town meeting was called on October 5, and the moderator was instructed to appoint a committee to study the problem and to recommend a solution.

It was obvious to the new committee that only two courses of action were open, namely to build our own high school or to join with a neighboring town to form a regional high school district. Upon consulting the Massachusetts School Building Assistance Commission, the committee was advised that a high school should have a minimum of 500 pupils to operate efficiently from a financial standpoint and still offer a well rounded educational program. The committee, however, has forecast that even after ten years Lincoln elementary schools would be graduating only half that number. Study of the experience of other towns the size of Lincoln which have attempted to operate small high schools confirmed the thinking of the Massachusetts School Building Assistance Commission. All of these towns report an extremely high cost per pupil. Most of them are now studying the prospects of forming a regional district with a neighboring town to cut the cost per pupil and to offer a more comprehensive program.

The committee then contacted towns adjacent to Lincoln to determine whether there was any interest in forming a regional district with Lincoln, or in accepting students on a tuition basis. Concord and Weston had already given their negative answer. Lexington and Waltham showed no interest whatsoever. Bedford was

staggering under the load imposed on them by the airport development. Wayland was comfortably situated for some years and could not immediately be interested. Sudbury, however, was a definite prospect. The town has a small high school but is finding the cost per pupil high and the educational program limited.

In early November this committee and a similar committee from Sudbury met and formed a Regional District School Planning Board. The results of its innumerable meetings are reported in a pamphlet being mailed to the voters in each town. After much study and after consultation with the Massachusetts School Building Assistance Commission, the Board of Selectmen, and the Finance Board of Sudbury and Lincoln, this committee recommends the building of a regional school to accommodate 500 pupils. The legal document establishing such a regional school district is printed in the pamphlet being mailed to you. It has been approved by legal council of both towns and the Massachusetts Department of Education. You will be given the opportunity to approve or disapprove the formation of the regional school district by so marking your ballot in the March election.

Respectfully submitted,

ERNEST P. NEUMANN, Chairman
VICTOR A. LUTNICKI
MALCOLM L. DONALDSON

Report of Board of Appeals

The Board of Appeals has during 1953, as during 1952, been required to act on numerous petitions.

While the Board of Appeals has jurisdiction on various matters, in the Town of Lincoln, the primary purpose of the Board is to act more or less as a safety valve from rigid enforcement of the Zoning By-Law when such enforcement would constitute hardship to some individual. The amended Zoning By-Law, adopted by the Town Meeting held March 2, 1953, tightened up the previously existing Zoning By-Law in accordance with the wishes of the Town.

While the Board attempts to give relief in the occasional instances in which hardship actually occurs to an individual, the Board is careful not to give relief in a way which would alter the basic impact of the presently existing Zoning By-Law. Thus, the Board of Appeals has consistently refused to indulge in spot zoning, to take any action which would appear to be in any way detrimental to the Town, or to take action which would, in effect, modify the general application of the presently existing By-Law. It is the function of the Planning Board to recommend, and the Town Meeting to vote general changes in zoning in any area in the Town. It is not the function of the Board of Appeals to anticipate such action by permitting, for example, a business use in a residential area.

Decisions of the Board of Appeals are enforced by the building inspector and, through him, by the Selectmen and their agents. The Board itself has no power or responsibility to enforce its own acts.

Set forth below is a summary of the decisions of the Board.

March 24, 1953

Application of Harold T. Ashworth for a variance

to permit the construction of a building 27 feet from the line of way, denied.

Permission granted to Norman Brisson to sell nursery products such as bulbs, peat moss, spray materials, fencing etc. Permission to sell garden tools or hand or motor propelled equipment denied.

Permission granted to William R. Pearmain for a variance to permit the construction of a building on land on Medina Road.

May 12, 1953

Permission granted to Norman Brisson for a temporary permit to store landscaping and construction equipment in a one story shelter in gravel pit off North Great Road.

Application of Joseph Morrissey to keep dogs in a building on Airport Access Road, denied.

Permission granted for one year only to Mildred Bowles to rent ponies on her property subject to the approval of the Board of Health and provided that the ponies be restricted to her property and not to exceed three in number.

Permission granted to John C. and James J. Canella for continuation of an extension of a non-conforming use subject to restrictions set forth by the Board of Appeals and on file at the office of the Town Clerk.

May 21, 1953

Application of James A. Carrig for permission to use a building on his property on North Great Road for a temporary office, denied.

June 30, 1953

Application of Joseph Hurd for a variance to permit alterations to a building on Lincoln Road, denied.

Permission granted to St. Anne's Church for a variance to allow alterations to the church on Concord Road.

Permission granted to Walter Barthel and Raytheon Mfg. Co. to erect a pole on property on Virginia Road.

September 21, 1953

Permission granted to Walter J. Morette for a variance to permit construction of a building on land on Virginia Road.

Application of Gill Wyner Co., Inc. for permission to remove loam from the property of Joseph Morrissey on Airport Road, denied.

November 16, 1953

Permission granted to Mary E. Silva for a variance to permit the construction of dwellings on two lots of land on North Great Road.

Permission granted to Bob Bernson for a variance to permit the construction of a dwelling on land on Weston Road.

Permission granted to Townsend and Barbara Horner for a variance to permit the construction of an addition to garage on Sandy Pond Road.

Respectfully submitted,

ELLIOTT V. GRABILL, Chairman
JAMES DeNORMANDIE, Secretary
HENRY B. HOOVER
CHARLES K. FITTS
THOMAS B. ADAMS
Board of Appeals

Report of Water Commissioners

Twenty-two meetings were held during the year.

Subdivisions

The Permain subdivision on Tabor Hill Road, formerly Medina Road, comprising 5 lots, and the Carrig subdivision on Morningside Lane and Sunnyside Lane, between Bedford Road and Route 2A, comprising 48 lots, reecived attention of the Board in the way of conferences, inspections and resulting orders to the respective subdividers. Bonds are on file to protect the Town through one winter against defective pipe systems.

Harold W. Demone laid 600 ft. of 8 inch transite pipe at Oak Knoll Road off Route 2, in accordance with Water Works regulations.

Stratford Realty Company, Harold Adler, President, commenced installing a water system under Water Board regulations, in a subdivision off Trapelo Road, on part of the former Pollard Estate. 2,200 feet of 8 inch transite pipe, including hydrants, valves, fittings, etc., has been laid.

In order to avoid a useless waste of time, the Board invites those planning subdivisions to meet in conference before starting.

Renewal of Main

In accordance with vote passed under Article 2 of Special Town Meeting held October 5, 1953, the Water Works borrowed $3,500 to lay 1,088 feet of 8 inch transite pipe, with necessary fittings, from Arnold's Corner to Hanlon Estate. This replaces two inch pipe. The Water Works supplied all but 200 feet of pipe which was purchased at $1.95 per foot. 10% of the contract price is being withheld to protect the Town through Spring against defects in installation.

John Gilbert, Water Works Superintendent, inspected the installation of all the aforementioned pipe systems.

Injured Hydrants

Three hydrants were damaged by automobiles during the year and the Water Works collected the cost of repairing two. This is the custom when the damager is known. In spite of the help of the Police, the owner of the third car is yet unidentified.

Meters

About one hundred meters remain to be installed. Those installed are being read now, and will be read again in about six months. The July billing will be based on the results of those readings.

Chlorinating Apparatus

Water purification equipment was installed in the pumping station as directed by the State Department of Public Health, and as voted in Special Town Meeting of October 5, 1953.

Pitometer Survey Report

The scope of work made by the Pitometer Company was as follows:

A test of the pumps for efficiency and a measurement of the total consumption.

A division of the distribution system into two districts and a measurement of the flow into these districts over a twenty-four hour period.

Further investigation in both districts for the purpose of locating all underground leaks of the mains and services.

The preparation of a map showing Pitometer District boundaries and gauging points.

The preparation of charts showing the variation of flow into each district.

As a result of the Pitometer Water Waste Survey it has been definitely proved that underground leakage was practically nil in the Lincoln Water System. Contrary to what was expected at the start of the Survey, the system was found to be in exceptionally good condition in this respect. The Survey did find, however, that there were several cases of excessive waste and these cases have been noted. As is to be expected in an unmetered system a large percentage of the water supplied to the system goes to waste. The Town of Lincoln has already taken the best method to prevent this waste and that is to meter the entire system.

The results of the Venturi Meter Test showed the meter to be in considerable error. This error (28.4% Fast) has been the reason for the belief that use, waste and leakage in the system were excessive.

The complete Report is on file at the Selectmen's office.

Pollution of Water Supply

A major problem is preventing contamination of the waters and shores of Sandy Pond. Patrons of the Dana and DeCordova Museum and Park, especially those from out of Town, pay no attention to signs erected by the Commissioners along the shores of the Museum property. This matter has been called to the attention of the Musemum Directors, and it is hoped that with their cooperation appropriate safety precautions can be made effective.

Budget and Statistics see page 47

HENRY S. WARNER
ROBERT W. SCOTT
SUMNER SMITH, Chairman

Report of the Superintendent of Streets

The work of your Highway Department is divided into the following categories: Snow removal, street maintenance, street construction, and Chapter 90 maintenance.

Snow Removal

The quantity of snow was small in 1953 but the varying temperatures created icing conditions. The new sand spreader improved substantially the control of these conditions.

Street Maintenance

This type of work includes painting, cleaning, and repairing of street signs, culverts, catch basins, street surfaces, guard rails and equipment for 40.8 miles of highway.

1953 Work Completed

Asphalt and sand surfacing on: Giles Road, Old County Road, Hillside Road, Silver Birch Lane, Tower Road, Winter Street, and Page Road.

Repaired drain on Trapelo Road, cleaned catch basins, painted guard-rail posts.

1954 Work Proposed

Asphalt and sand surfacing on Cedar Road, Huntley Lane, Tower Road, Baker Bridge Road, Old Concord Road, Sandy Pond Road, Old Winter Street, Silver Hill Road, and Conant Road.

Street Construction

This type of work includes the building and installation of new signs, catch basins, culverts, surfacing and widening highways.

1953 Work Completed

New drain — Giles Road, replaced culvert on Weston Road, new catch basin and drain Bedford Road.

Asphalt and stone surface — Bedford Lane, widening — Silver Hill Road (started), installed 63 Highway signs.

1954 Work Proposed

Finish widening Silver Hill Road, widen Lincoln and Old Sudbury Road south of South Great Road.

Asphalt and stone surface Bedford Road.

Resurfacing and drain — Trapelo Road.

Chapter 90 Maintenance

Under this account nine miles of our highways are maintained with State and County returning 2/3 of the cost.

1953 Work Completed

Mixed in place — Tower Road to Lincoln Road (So. Great Road and Codman Road).

Asphalt and stone Bedford Road.

Cut brush on Routes 117 and 126.

1954 Work Proposed

Asphalt and stone Concord Road, So. Great Road, and Trapelo Road.

New Equipment 1953

Sand spreader.

Proposed 1954

New truck (trade), new plow (replacement), and street sweeper (used).

Respectfully submitted,
CLIFFORD BRADLEY, Superintendent

Report of the Cemetery Commissioners For the Year 1953

Work of a maintenance nature continued to be the principal activity during the year. Numbered stone markers were placed on 119 lots, and more will soon be needed for areas recently surveyed. No additional appropriation is needed for this work now, because of an unexpended balance in our permanent improvement fund.

There follows a brief comparison of Lincoln Cemetery cost and management experience in 1953 with that of seven other Massachusetts towns of comparable size. seven other Massachusetts towns of comparable size. The tabulation shown was compiled from information obtained for us by Mr. Leslie Willard.

	7 Towns			Lincoln
	Maximum	Minimum	Average	
Number acres actively maintained	40	5	17.4	10
Maintenance cost (excluding permanent improvements and interment costs	$15661.	$2000.	$7928.	$2450.
Maintenance cost per acre	$700.	$200.	$455.	$245.
Price of lots per square foot	$1.70	.20	.67	.50
Labor cost per hour	$1.45	1.10	1.22	1.20

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE E. CUNNINGHAM
JAMES B. BILLINGS
R. D. DONALDSON
Cemetery Commissioners

Inspectors of Building, Plumbing And Wiring

Building permits issued during 1953:

New residential buildings	44	
New non-residential buildings	17	
Alterations and additions	23	
Fees Collected		$260.00
Plumbing permits issued during 1953:	78	
Fees Collected		$137.00
Wiring permits issued during 1953:	100	
Fees collected		$143.50

M. ELIZABETH CAUSER, Clerk
WALTER BERGQUIST, Building Inspector
WILLIAM M. DEAN, Wiring Inspector
MANNING MacRAE,
Acting Plumbing Inspector

Report of the School Building Committee

The School Building Committee reports that the addition to the New School is complete. The final work on the Gymnasium arches was finished during the recent Christmas vacation. Some raking and rolling remains to be done on the seeded area behind the school in the Spring. The finish surface will also be put on the parking area at that time.

The building has been in use for over a year and has proved entirely satisfactory. We wish to thank the firm of Anderson & Beckwith for their conscientious and patient work as architect.

Respectfully submitted,

ELLIOTT V. GRABILL
ELIZABETH J. SNELLING
ANDREW J. DOUGHERTY
JAMES DeNORMANDIE

Report of the Committee to Investigate the Need for Additional Land for the New School

The Committee has been studying the land needs of the New School, has made surveys of the area involved, and investigated probable costs of land as well as possible alternatives. The study is not yet complete; therefore the Committee will continue its study and report at an early Town Meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH J. SNELLING
STANLEY HECK
ANDREW J. DOUGHERTY
ELLIOTT V. GRABILL
JAMES DeNORMANDIE

Education and Recreation

Report of Library Trustees

Your Library is entering on its seventieth year to contribute to the educational and recreational assets of the Town. The Trustees and Librarians wish to present their report for 1953 and to ask for your support and cooperation in the coming year.

Erected and opened in 1883, there has been no enlargement of the building since; so it has been a continuing problem of utilizing all available space to its maximum to keep pace with the increasing demands of our growing Town. About one third of the population of the Town use the Library and each of them takes home an average of 22 books or periodicals in the year. The orderly storage and accessibility of approximately 16,000 books is necessary.

The Librarian's reports for several years show a steadily increasing use of the library facilities by children. Space devoted to them is small and woefully inadequate, and the need for a Children's room with easily accessible storage shelves is apparent and is of much concern to the Trustees. They have given it much thought and have had conferences with representatives of the State Library Board and the State Safety Department to see if basement space made available by the change in the heating system offers possibilities. To

the casual observer such use seems simple and feasible; but there are structural, safety, and administration problems to be considered. Expert professional library and architectural guidance will be necessary, and necessary changes can mean a considerable capital outlay. A start has been made and it is hoped the Library eventually will have a Children's department sufficient to meet its needs.

Two good friends of the Library, Mrs. Constance Taylor and Dr. Robert DeNormandie, died during the year. Their interest and cooperation will be much missed. In their memory contributions of money and books have been made by many friends. Such are greatly appreciated and will be used as desired by their families.

Many other contributions have been made by friends of the Library and a list following this report is in acknowledgment. Any ommissions are surely unintentional and are regretted.

The oil heating system, voted for last year, has been installed and is in operation. Its economy has yet to be demonstrated, but it already has resulted in a warmer and cleaner building.

The aged cesspool has given much trouble by overflowing, and if present palliative remedial measures do not suffice, it may be necessary to install a septic tank. Such would require a special appropriation outside of the usual library budget.

1953 expenditures were well under the appropriations; 1954 estimates are somewhat larger under some headings because of increases in the costs of electricity, telephone and books. The sum of $500.00 from trust fund earnings is available for books this year; this, the accumulation from some previous years.

The Librarian's report follows and we respectfully recommend it for your study.

LINCOLN LIBRARY

Lincoln, Massachusetts

These are the names of those who have given books or magazines to the library in 1953:

Concord Book Shop
Concord Library
Saint Joseph's Guild
State Street Trust Co.

Misses Marion Clark, Olive B. Floyd, Bunny Healey, Hazel Newton, Martha Norton, Katherine O'Sullivan, Mary Rogers, Evelyn Tuttle, Kay Wilson.

Messrs. Charles Blake, Charles V. Briggs, Robert Chapin, Norman Hapgood, Jr., Ethan Murphy, John H. Wilkins.

Mrs. A. W. Adkins, L. B. Anderson, R. L. DeNormandie, R. J. Eaton, R. J. Fairbanks, Richard Fleck, Warren Flint, Stanley Heck, Arthur Howard, Richard Meriam, William Preston, Robert Schlaifer, Robert Scott, Sumner Smith, Frank Stewart, F. B. Taylor, Henry Warner, Kenneth Webb.

Memorial books have been given by the Lincoln Garden Club and by Mrs. Richard Meriam in memory of Mrs. S. Forrest Martin;

by Miss Elizabeth Wheeler in memory of Mrs. Elizabeth Stearns Balliet;

by Mr. and Mrs. Hurd in memory of Mrs. Lester Monks;

by Mrs. Henry S. Bean in memory of Dr. Robert L. DeNormandie and of Mr. H. B. Hills;

by friends of Mrs. E. S. Taylor in her memory;

by Mrs. Thiessen in memory of Laurie Thiessen.

THE LINCOLN LIBRARY

Lincoln, Massachusetts

LIBRARY STATISTICS — 1953

Number of volumes January 1, 1953	15,846
Number of volumes added by gift	184
Number of volumes purchased	466
Number of volumes withdrawn	827
Number of volumes December 31, 1953	15,669
Number of borrowers	837
Number of days open	149
Amount of fines collected	$305.00

CIRCULATION

Fiction	6207
Non-fiction	3160
Juvenile	9079
Periodicals	1063
Total	19,509

Library hours are Monday, Wednesday, Saturday from three to nine P.M.

Bemis Free Lectures

The income and expenses of the Trustees are shown in the report of Commissioners of Trust Funds.

The Trustees have continued the policy of offering as wide a variety of lecture subjects as possible. Suggestions for topics or lectures are always welcomed.

The Trustees wish to point out again the fact that the condition of the piano prevents the offering of musical programs.

An innovation this season has been the wider spacing of lecture dates in the winter months due to the crowded Town Activity Calendar.

Respectfully submitted,

CHRISTOPHER W. HURD, Chairman
MABEL H. TODD
LEONARD C. LARRABEE

Report of the Middlesex County Extension Service For Lincoln

The Middlesex County Extension Service is a publicly supported educational institution to serve all the towns of the county in agriculture and home economics. In agriculture the work is developed county-wide under the direction of county councils made up of leading farmers in each of the main commodities as vegetables, fruits, poultry, dairying, livestock, and commercial flowers. A County Bulletin is mailed monthly to all cooperating farmers and timely information sent to anyone on request.

4-H Club work is developed under a town committee and leaders, and the home economic work is available through a town director, organized groups, or direct requests. Your town director furnishes counsel to the Extension Office on the needs of the towns, services desired, or leadership needed.

Information and assistance were made available on the planning and operation of a poultry farm or enterprise covering the subjects of poultry housing and equipment, ventilating and litter management, brooding and rearing, marketing, and management for egg production.

Specialized information on turkey and poultry health was made available through the 1953 Middlesex Flock Health Program. George Browning participated in the 1953 Middlesex Flock Health Program. Almon Huff served as president of the Middlesex Commercial Rabbit Association.

The Middlesex County Extension Service renders many services to the dairymen in this area. There are in the county herd testing facilities which include complete herd records, pasture, hay and silage production, programs which aim at producing more and better roughage at a lower cost, and a soil testing laboratory where a complete analysis can be run to determine needed soil nutrients. Also, on application for membership, any dairyman has access to one of the best bull studs in the northeast for use in his own herd through the artificial breeding program.

Among the very active dairymen in Lincoln are James DeNormandie, Hans Van Leer, and Edward Denton. Mr. DeNormandie was a member of the County Dairy Advisory Council.

Service has also been rendered to the local commercial vegetable and fruit growers, this service taking largely from the form of farm visits and general information on orchard and vegetable pest control through circular letters and radio broadcasts.

Mrs. Medford Huntley had a Clothing Club of seven girls. Mr. Medford Huntley had a Garden Club with six boys. Mr. Almon Huff had a Rabbit Club with sixteen boys. Three girls and five boys attended Camp Middlesex. Several boys and girls exhibited at the 4-H County Fair, mostly rabbits and sheep.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT D. DONALDSON
Town Director

Lincoln Recreation Committee

The Summer Playground carried on a similar program to previous years. Activities for both boys and girls consisted of basketball, croquet, horseshoe pitching, baseball, tennis, touch football and pingpong under the direction of Edward Czarnowski and Dana Murphy.

With the cooperation of the School Committee we were able to present a useful and enjoyable program in handicraft under the supervision of Miss Leona Lawless.

Full day group trips were taken to Whalom Park and Provincetown.

A "winter sub-committee" has been appointed by the chairman to meet with the School Committee to work out plans to make use of the gymnasium during after school hours. The activities decided on will be made known to the Town by use of the Bemis mailing list.

Respectfully submitted,

Ethan Murphy, Chairman
David Todd
William DeFord
John Garrison
Malcolm Donaldson
Astrid Donaldson
Sadie Sherman
Edward Rooney
Robert Gray

Bicentennial Committee

The 200th anniversary of the incorporation of Lincoln as a Town will occur on April 23, 1954. In acordance with a motion passed at the special Town Meeting in November, 1952, the Moderator appointed a committee to make preliminary plans for suitable observance of the occasion. At the annual Town Meeting in March, 1953, this com-

mittee was further authorized to proceed with organization and detailed planning for the observance and accompanying celebration. The Town voted an initial appropriation of $2500 for the 1954 Bicentennial program.

The committee has adopted a program which it feels will provide significant recognition of the Town's growth and progress over the past 200 years, and will also furnish an opportunity for all Lincoln residents to celebrate their Town's 200th birthday. The program concentrates most of the events into two week ends: April 23-25 and July 3-5, 1954. Some continuing projects, such as exhibits, will run for longer periods.

Sunday, April 17 — opening of special exhibit at the DeCordova Museum.

Friday evening,
April 23 — formal observance with addresses by Mr. George Tarbell, Mr. William Rand and Governor Herter in the school auditorium, followed by a play presented by the Lincoln Players.

Saturday, April 24 — Arbor Day observance with tree planting ceremony. Tour of old houses and Bicentennial Tea.
Birthday Ball at the auditorium in the evening.

Sunday, April 25 — anniversary observance by churches at morning services.

Saturday, July 3 — Exhibition tennis matches at the Town Field.
Square Dance in the evening.

Monday, July 5 — parade and field activities.
Baseball game, band concert and fireworks.

Two special publications have been authorized and are in preparation. It is intended to make these available at cost to residents. Detailed announcement of events will be made to the Town well in advance of April 23.

Several subcommittees have been appointed to plan and carry out individual events or projects. A publicity

subcommittee is organized to provide continuity for the central theme of the celebration as well as suitable local publicity for the events. A hospitality subcommittee and operations group will handle arrangements.

The committee has felt that the Bicentennial observance and celebration should be primarily for the benefit of Lincoln residents, their families and friends. Accordingly, the events have been planned with this policy in mind, particularly since the Town does not have the facilities to handle large out-of-town crowds attending widely-publicized attractions.

A preliminary budget has been adopted for the celebration. This will provide some events of general interest free to all Town residents and guests; others will be provided at or below cost to encourage general participation, with any deficits paid from the appropriation. A number of items require the committee to commit funds in advance which will later be recaptured from the sale of souvenirs, food, publications and the like. For this reason it will be necessary to enter an article in the Town Warrant in 1954 requesting an additional appropriation from the Town, as was stated at the time of the original appropriation in 1953.

The Bicentennial Committee hopes to interest all Town organizations in participating in the Bicentennial program, and urges officers of all such organizations to suggest to this Committee projects consistent with the program which would interest their groups.

Lincoln Bicentennial Committee

MRS. HERBERT G. FARRAR
WARREN F. FLINT
EDMUND W. GILES
MRS. SUMNER SMITH
HENRY DeC. WARD
FREDERICK H. GREENE, Co-Chairman
JOHN O. WILSON, Co-Chairman
E. DONLAN ROONEY, Secretary

deCordova and Dana Museum and Park

Report of the Executive Director for the year 1953

This report will picture the previous year's progress and activity. The first portion is a general survey and specifically covers administration.

Public awareness of the Museum spread and the yearly attendance at exhibitions and classes increased. Probably the greatest cause of increased interest was the exhibition schedule, designed last year to have special local appeal as most of the artists shown were New Englanders. If we were to name a second reason, it would undoubtedly be the very successful Festival of the Golden Fleece which was held on the Museum grounds in May and drew over 2,000 visitors.

The Directors, anticipating that there would be an increased load on the staff in the fall, especially as the Concord Academy art classes would be held at the Museum for the first time, authorized the creation of the position of Assistant Director. Foster Nystrom of Lincoln was chosen for this position. His broad duties include assisting with the school, coping with many details of administration, and working on publicity and publications, for which his experience in commercial art made him well qualified. Both Nancy Luxford and Mavis Derby resigned and were replaced by Nancy Foell and Judith Barry in the positions of Administrative Assistant and Registrar, respectively. This meant a complete change in administrative staff, which took several months of adjustment, but they are now integrated into a smoothly functioning unit. The maintenance staff, who have been with us since the Museum opened — Karl Lahnstein, Floriy Campobasso and Richard Witherton — continue to maintain the appearance of the Museum, in spite of the greater load, so that it is at all times a cause for great pride on our part.

School

This season brought the inevitable teaching staff changes, with the loss of favorites who have moved to other positions or who are pursuing their art careers in other parts of the country. But new teachers, added to the staff, make friends, and in continuing the established Museum courses bring new enthusiasm with their work.

There is still growth in many directions — in others a leveling off. This leveling is the result of either a lack of space or a saturation — that is, the demand for a specific subject is satisfied and the enrollment is constant. The leveling from saturation occurs mainly in adult classes, and when this leveling takes place we immediately undertake a new area of activity which makes the Museum's services open to more people and broadens our coverage of the arts. You have, no doubt, seen in our bulletins that courses in the dramatic arts have been added to the adult schedule. There is no place outside of Boston that such courses are available — and are presented here because we think that many people in the various "players" groups in the vicinity of Lincoln will welcome some professional guidance and inspiration.

Adult classes showed a considerable increase in number of registrations; in the fall of 1952, 146 were enrolled and in the same period, 1953, there were 245.

Enrollment in children's classes in the Fall of 1952 was 312 and in 1953, 285. This slight drop in attendance is accounted for by the fact that three classes were dropped from the schedule because of inadequate classroom space. However, this enrollment is about all we can handle until more space is provided during the time children are free for museum classes. This maximum attendance has held for two years and can be expected to stay at that point at present indications.

The Museum's widening service to the community includes Concord Academy art classes, with an enroll-

ment of 130. We think this is a unique opportunity, as these girls will receive an art education superior to any training possible under even the most ideal situation in a big-city high school. Our purpose is not to develop artists of each girl but to give every one an understanding of the visual world and enjoyment of great art of the past and present. They will learn the language of vision.

Exhibitions

In line with our program of presenting to you New England artists, known or unknown, who in our opinion are making definite artistic contributions, we presented twenty-one artists in solo or duo shows. Outstanding, in retrospect, were the Andersons' weaving, enamels and silver of the Israels, and the paintings of Alcalay and Kepes. Two nationally known artists were Steven Greene, remembered for monumental figure compositions and religious paintings, and Elie Nadelman, whose painted wood figures aroused considerable local interest. The Museum's first adventure into the field of architecture was an exhibition of the work of Carl Koch.

In 1953 the deCordova undertook the assembling and presentation of the second annual Massachusetts Crafts exhibition. This show, held in the Spring, drew large audiences from all over the state and served to introduce our galleries to many people who had not previously visited the Museum.

A popular exhibition at the year's end was the New England Water-color Competition, which drew entries from all of New England and re-emphasized the Museum's position of promoting the best regional art of our time.

Based on the most accurate estimate possible, with only Sunday attendance tallied, over 20,000 visitors came to the exhibitions this year.

Special Events

There were several organizations in Lincoln which used the Museum and auditorium this year because its facili-

ties most perfectly fulfilled their needs. They were the Community Fund Committee, the Lincoln Players and the Lincoln Garden Club which again held its annual Spring Flower Show at the Museum.

Five concerts were held last season. They were varied, including two pianists, a violin and piano duo, the Morning Chorale, and a special chamber music concert for the children by the LaSalle Quartet.

Local craftsmen felt that there was a need for an organization to serve the interest of craft artisans in Greater Boston, and in cooperation with the deCordova Museum have formed a group to be known as the deCordova Craftsmen. One meeting has already been held at the Museum with a guest speaker. The membership brochure states that the organization's purpose is "— to encourage originality and individuality in craft designs". The Directors encouraged formation of this group as another way the Museum could reach out to serve the artist and public.

As always, volunteers aided the Museum, and without their considerable assistance the enlarged bulletin, which you receive four times a year, could not be undertaken.

Associates

We welcome the 34 new associates who joined during the past year, which brings the total to 276. This is your Museum and needs your active support.

I wish to thank the Board of Directors for their support and cooperation, for without their active participation this program would not be possible.

Each year we extend or withdraw our limits, keeping our program flexible and dynamic, to serve the arts and the community as fully as our staff and facilities permit.

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERICK P. WALKEY,
Executive Director.

deCordova and Dana Museum and Park

Report of the Directors for the year 1953

The deCordova Museum was opened to the public in the autumn of 1950. There was on exhibition at that time, oil paintings and prints by American artists, for it has been the policy of the Museum to concentrate on the American scene, with emphasis on regional arts and crafts. Attendance during that autumn averaged two hundred on a Sunday, the Museum's big day. At the same time, a school in arts and crafts was opened at the Museum with classes for children and adults. Total enrollment was about two hundred.

The interval of time since then has been one of growth, and during the autumn just past the average attendance on good Sundays was between four and five hundred, and sometimes better. The total enrollment in the school at the same time was close to seven hundred persons.

At present the Museum is extended to its absolute physical limits to house the school, with no room for expansion within its existing shell. There is a good deal of outside pressure for the Museum to expand its teaching program further into the craft field, and embrace such subjects as ceramics, weaving, and wood carving. The Directors believe that this is an important part of the services which the Museum should be able to render to the community, but to do this requires a building program for added classroom space.

The Museum must rely, for its operation upon the deCordova trust funds, and such income as is derived from tuition and associate fees. The budget is very tight, and the end of each year finds us with almost nothing left over. Therefore, we must look elsewhere for funds to complete much needed classroom space. How these are

to be achieved is not yet apparent, but with ingenuity the Directors believe that ways can and will be found.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN Q. ADAMS, President
CHARLES H. BLAKE, Vice-President
ARTHUR E. THIESSEN, Treasurer
ELIZABETH SNELLING, Clerk
RICHARD S. MERIAM
HELEN WILEY
JANE K. VANCE

School Committee

Report

to the

Town of Lincoln

For the School Year 1952-1953

School Calendar 1954-1955

September	6—Monday	Labor Day
	8–10—Wednesday-Friday	Staff Organization and Workshop
	13—Monday	School Opens
October	12—Tuesday	Columbus Day Recess
November	9—Tuesday	Annual Open House
	11—Thursday	Armistice Day Recess
	25–26—Thursday-Friday	Thanksgiving Recess
December	22—Wednesday	Christmas Vacation, Closing
January	3—Monday	School Resumes
February	18—Friday	Winter Vacation, Closing
	28—Monday	School Resumes
March	25—Friday	Teachers' Visiting Day
April	15—Friday	Spring Vacation, Closing
	25—Monday	School Resumes
May	30—Monday	Memorial Day
June	17—Friday	Summer Vacation, Closing
	20—Monday	Commencement
	20–24—Monday-Friday	Staff Organization and Workshop

ADDITIONAL CALENDAR DATA

It is planned to continue the policy of no school on Wednesdays for the first grade until the Christmas vacation.

Kindergarten morning and afternoon sessions will reverse on January 31, 1955.

Staff Meeting Half-Days will be the second Wednesday of each month except September, December, and June.

Organization

	Term Expires
JOHN W. CARMAN, Chairman	1956
(MRS.) LUCY E. BYGRAVE	1954
ERNEST P. NEUMANN	1955

MEETINGS: Regular — First Tuesday of each month: 7:30 p.m. at the Superintendent's office. LI 6-0333.

Called: — Third Tuesday of each month usually and other meetings as stated; time and place designated.

Superintendent of Schools

DOUGLAS B. ROBERTS, Concord Road, LI 6-0360-J
Office at New Elementary School, LI 6-0333

Secretary to Superintendent

SOLVAY G. VALENTINE

Building Principals

ROBERT B. PATCH
New Elementary School, LI 6-0333

LOUIS J. SAPIENZA
Center School, LI 6-0462

Clerk — Center School

(MRS.) EDITH W. HARVEY

Custodians

HAROLD V. SHERIDAN, New Elementary
ROBERT J. HARTEL, Center

Office Hours

School Days—8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.
School Vacation—9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

No-School Signals

Local signals will be given on our fire alarm system:

7:10 a.m.	3-3-3 repeated at
7:15 a.m.	3-3-3

Radio station announcements will be read between the period of 6:30 and 7:30 A.M. On stormy mornings, if convenient, tune in on two or more stations since it is not always possible to get messages through to several stations in the brief time allotted us. Please refrain, too, from tying up local phone lines to school officials and bus operators during the morning hour, 6:30 - 7:30. We try to contact all of the following when it is necessary to announce "No School":

WBZ	1030K	WHDH	850K
WEEI	590K	WNAC	680K

If an announcement is read, "No School — All Schools" it will mean that no buses will operate and high school pupils will govern themselves accordingly. Announcements referring to Lincoln and merely stating "No School" will apply to elementary pupils only.

During extremely stormy or cold weather, parents are urged to exercise their own judgment in sending the younger children.

Report of the School Committee

To the Town of Lincoln:

The annual report of the School Committee for 1953 covers four (4) categories — enrollment, personnel, building facilities and budget planning.

The anticipated rate of increase in school enrollment has continued with a current school population, Kindergarten through grade VIII, of 492, an increase in one year of 36 pupils. Arrangements have been completed to provide for our high school pupils for the next two years pending town action in March on the proposed Regional High School District, or the development of some other provision for our high school students.

In June, the School Committee accepted the resignation of Mr. Andrew J. Manges, Superintendent of Schools for five years, and after extensive investigation appointed Mr. Douglass B. Roberts to that position. More than the usual turnover among the teaching staff took place during 1953, but due to careful selection, it is our opinion that substantial improvement was the end result. Continuing salary study aimed at maintaining Lincoln's position in this area resulted in an upward revision which provides a minimum salary for a teacher with a degree of $3000 per year.

In February, the newly completed classroom-gymnasium addition was occupied, making possible a broadening of the school program. However, as has been the case in the past, new facilities barely keep pace with enrollment increases. These increases have made desirable a further division of classes and the use of both classrooms in South School starting in September 1954. Further, in order to keep up with projected increases, it is the Committee's recommendation that a Building Committee be appointed to develop plans and costs for a classroom consisting of an estimated six rooms.

In 1953 the School Department operated at a cost of $21,000 less than the budget voted last March. This budget contemplated the employment of an additional teacher in January 1953. Competent personnel was not available. In addition, a third janitor included for the full year was not employed, and it was decided on a trial basis to give up a staff member devoted to remedial and testing work for a year. The balance of the unexpended funds can be attributed to changes in administration and staff and to lower than estimated operating expenses for the additional building. It is our opinion that the educational standards did not suffer and under these conditions the School Committee is pleased to return substantial budget funds.

The 1954 budget recommendation represents an increase of 16% over the expenditures for 1953, and provides for three additional classroom teachers and the reinstatement on the staff of a teacher devoting full time to remedial and testing work. In addition, funds sufficient to conduct the desired educational activities, transportation, tuition, plant operation and maintenance are included.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN W. CARMAN, Chairman
MRS. LUCY E. BYGRAVE
ERNEST P. NEUMANN
Lincoln School Committee

Report of the Superintendent of Schools

The year 1953 has seen change and growth in the Lincoln School system dictated by ever increasing demands upon education. It is important to understand that such change and growth has occurred without sacrifice of basic principles and objectives. The Linoln School

system seeks to produce an alert, gathered, and well disciplined child capable of achieving significant progress at the secondary level.

Your superintendent assumed his duties in August. The staff has used the first part of this school year to re-examine some of the policies under which the schools have been operating. Emphasis is being placed on reasonable standards of behavior and achievement and modifications have been made in the method of reporting progress to parents. In this respect a plan has been instituted whereby kindergarten progress is reported in semi-annual conferences as well as in home visits which have been continued from previous years; in grade 1 to 5 reports are being made by conference in November and April, supplemented by written reports in January and June; for the 6th, 7th, and 8th grades, in which the pupil's work is completely departmentalized, a written report is issued four times during the school year with conferences scheduled as needed or desired by either teachers or parents. An attempt has been made by the staff to include in the written reports more of the information which parents seem to desire.

The curriculum of the elementary school is almost wholly concerned with those aspects of learning which should be common to all people. Your schools are undergoing a constant re-evaluation in regard to curriculum which has as its ultimate purpose the production of youth who are competent in the tools and skills of communication, number sense, computations, and human inter-relationships; who possess the basic knowledge of the physical sciences, political sciences, social sciences, geographical sciences, economic, and home and family arts that characterize the educated person; who will have developed cultural knowledge, appreciation, enjoyment and some skill in the use of line, form, color, literature, music, history, and manipulative crafts; who understand the principles of health and have made normal physical development; and who will be equipped to meet life in a complex society with developing maturity.

In order to achieve the ends stated above a general tightening up of our requirements of the pupils has been instituted. We are insisting that pupils meet reasonable standards of achievement and at the same time tempering our judgment of what is reasonable with our knowledge of each individual's abilities and needs. This is particularly true of the "basic" subjects. In the "cultural" areas of music, art, literature, and manipulative crafts the emphasis is placed not so much on performance as on the development of broad knowledge, appreciation, and enjoyment. Beginning at what ever level of development we found ourselves in each area, progress has been made in every area toward our stated goals. In the fields of art and literature under the leadership of capable teachers who have been in the Lincoln Schools for several years thus giving continuity to the program, we are probably nearest to the realization of our aims. The music and manipulative crafts programs are staffed with newcomers to Lincoln which has given them new direction. Both show good promise of developing in a few years into fine programs. The physical education program has a "new look" with a program of gym classes, intramural games, and team sports designed to produce healthy bodies and good health habits. Throughout the whole continuing effort is being made to coordinate the many parts of the curriculum and to supplement one with another. We may point to the Annual Operetta, Spring Program and Fall Open House as examples of the correlation of areas such as Music, Literature, English, History, Art, Physical Education and Shop.

The testing program for placement and evaluation is continuing with some modifications from past procedures. In the Fall, twenty-nine pupils new to Lincoln were tested for achievement and general academic ability and placed accordingly. The entire school was tested for achievement in April with the following results:

a) Compared with national standards our pupils showed a range in achievement from minus two months to plus seven months, with the whole

school at three months above average. The one grade below average is receiving special attention this year.

b) Seventy pupils were found to be accelerated one year or more in general achievement while only twenty-seven were retarded one or more years.

c) In reading which is basic to most learning one hundred forty-four or 40% of the whole student body were accelerated while thirty-five or 9% were retarded.

Fifteen pupils from grades 3, 5, and 6 received extra help in reading during the spring and showed an average gain of 1 year and 3 months over their achievement of the previous year. Seven pupils of grade 4 were given extra help for a short time after their transfer from South School. Their gain was outstanding due to a variety of reasons and they would have received continued specific help of this nature had not the developmental reading program been eliminated experimentally for this school year. On the basis of experience we propose to reinstitute the remedial work as soon as practicable. It is also planned to continue the achievement testing this April including a series of tests in the social sciences and to retest next October for diagnostic purposes.

Changes in housing occurred also. South School was temporarily closed in February when the new addition to the New School with the gymnasium-auditorium was opened. Presently eight rooms are being used at Center School for grades 1 to 3, while two kindergartens and ten sections of grades 4 to 8 are being housed at the New School. It appears that it will be necessary to reopen South School in September and to use at least one of the special rooms for our growing enrollment which is estimated at 535 for kindegarten and grades 1 - 8 in October, 1954, as compared to 491 in October, 1953.

Many other aspects of the total school situation are also concerning parts or all of the staff. Mention may be

made of the participation on the part of the teachers in the program of the Lincoln School Association, the development of a sound budget, the planning for meeting the needs of our high school youth, development of a club program in grades 6, 7, and 8, improvement in quantity and quality of assembly programs, planning for better meeting the needs of pupils of varying abilities in each classroom, publication of a seventh grade school newspaper, and such annual events as the Science Fair, Operetta, May Day Festival, Open House, and Christmas program.

I am happy to have the opportunity to express my sincere appreciation of the wholehearted cooperation given me by the staff, the school committee, and the townspeople both individually and through the Lincoln School Association in our common efforts to give the children of Lincoln the best possible education.

Respectfully submitted,

DOUGLASS B. ROBERTS,
Superintendent of Schools

January 11, 1954

School Nurse's Report

To the School Committee:

A report of school nursing for the year ending December 31, 1953, is hereby submitted.

Schools have been visited daily. There have been 315 office calls for treatment or advice, 32 pupils taken home, 6 pupils excluded from school, and 218 home calls to check on absentees.

All pupils have been weighed and measured twice, and scalps examined frequently.

Children entering kindergarten and others new to

first grade were requested to have a physical examination.

There were 53 children who attended our Well Child Conference, who were given physical examinations by Dr. John A. V. Davies. There were 28 children who received Triple Antigen, 18 were vaccinated and 18 received a Booster shot. Four parents came for a physical record card and had their child visit the family physician.

I assisted Dr. Randolph Piper with physical examinations in grades I, III, IV and VII during May. Few very minor defects were discovered and have been corrected or are under observation.

I assisted Dr. David Farrell at dental clinic two half days each week, and the oral condition of our pupils is showing an improvement.

Dr. Farrell visited three classrooms showing pictures and giving a talk on oral care.

Five pupils were taken to Middlesex Sanatorium for Chest X-Ray and all new teachers visited the Sanatorium for X-Rays. Results in all cases were negative.

During April and May, the State Department of Child Welfare provided an Audiometer and Massachusetts Vision Chart and all pupils were examined. Four pupils were found with defective sight. Three are now wearing glasses and the other is taking exercises and is under observation. Six pupils were found with defective hearing. All have visited their family physician.

The Audiometer tests were repeated during November and December. Only three pupils showed signs of some hearing defects. Steps have been taken to correct these.

The general health of our pupils has been very good. Contagious diseases consisted of: Chicken Pox 27; Mumps 1; Ringworm 2; German Measles 5; Impetigo 3; Pertussis 1.

Numerous classroom talks with teachers and pupils were held during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

MARIAN N. OBER, R.N., School Nurse.

SCHOOL CENSUS

A. Distribution of Minors by Age and Sex October 1, 1952	5 yrs. or over and under 7	7 yrs. and under 16
1. Boys	74	226
2. Girls	78	221
Totals	152	447

B. Distribution: Location		
1. In public Day School	135	391
2. In Private Schools	13	56
3. Not enrolled in schools	4	56
Totals	152	447

VOCATIONAL SCHOOL ENROLLEES

October 1, 1953

1. Newton Trade School	3
2. Newton Part Time Cooperative High School	1
3. Newton Evening Trade School	1
4. Boston Evening Trade School	1
Total	6

TUITION PUPILS ATTENDING SECONDARY SCHOOLS

Outside of Lincoln

October 1, 1953

School	9	10	11	12	Totals
Concord	16	12	20	17	65
Weston	9	11	5	4	29
Other	0	1	1	1	3
	25	24	26	22	97

AGE-GRADE TABLE
October 1, 1953
Ages by Sex

Grade	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	totals
	4		5		6		7		8		9		10		11		12		13		14		15		
Kdg.	10	5	22	23	1																				61
I			13	6	**25**	**33**	1																		78
II					5	7	**27**	**19**	1																59
III							7	6	**21**	**22**	1	1					1								59
IV									7	7	**23**	**21**	1	3											62
V											5	7	**19**	**21**	2		1								55
VI													4	6	**12**	**16**	5	1							44
VII															6	3	**17**	**10**	2	1					39
VIII																	2	6	**11**	**14**	1		1		35
	10	5	35	29	31	40	35	25	29	29	29	29	24	30	21	19	25	17	13	15	1		1		492

PER PUPIL COSTS — 1953

1.	Population of Town	2,427.00
2.	Average School Membership	565.00
3.	Equalized Valuation, per Pupil	$9,585.00
4.	Expenditures for Schools	174,224.03
5.	Receipts Accredited to School	34,256.41*
6.	Net Expenditures from Local Taxation	139,967.62*
7.	Expenditures per Pupil	308.36
8.	Per Pupil Net Expenditures from Local Taxation	247.73*
9.	Receipts per Pupil	60.63*

10. Transportation:	Elementary	High School	Total
Number of pupils		28,824.8	46,776.7
Number of pupils	473	92	565
Mileage	17,951.9	28,824.8	46,776.7
Expenditures	$8,745.62	$13,305.04	$22,050.66
Expenditure per Pupil	$18.49	$144.62	$39.03

* Based on estimated receipts.

SCHOOL EXPENDITURES AND PROPOSED BUDGET FOR 1954

I. General Control:			
Salaries	$11,340.87	$12,113.53	$13,595.00
Expenses	313.61	1,120.63	1,375.00
II. Instruction:			
Salaries	68,316.50	77,037.00	89,470.00
Textbooks	2,374.44	3,717.24	3,607.00
Supplies	3,448.85	5,088.42	4,596.00
Other Expenses			1,526.00
III. Operation:			
Salaries	4,828.32	6,169.19	9,000.00
Fuel	4,427.50	6,253.38	5,900.00
Supplies and Misc.	939.47	1,474.88	1,259.00
Utilities	2,579.67	3,177.46	4,250.00
IV. Maintenance:			
Repairs and Upkeep	1,411.87	3,965.87	3,940.00
V. Auxiliary Agencies:			
Health	567.27	939.15	885.00
Transportation	18,383.72	22,050.66	24,900.00
Tuition	27,013.67	29,047.89	35,664.00
Miscellaneous	293.01	466.43	200.00
VI. Vocational	219.50	585.43	1,330.00
VII. New Equipment	2,013.50	1,016.77	1,986.00
	$148,471.77	$174,224.03	$203,483.00

* Included in other categories.

GRADUATED IN JUNE, 1953
Grade VIII

Roger Christopher Avery
Joseph Leo Bertolami
Sally Frances Billings
Marilyn Ruth Blom
Manley Bernard Boyce, II
Phyllis R. Campobasso
Evelyn Jean Chausse
Laurence Cousins, Jr.
Rollin Jonathan Fairbanks, Jr.
Barbara Farnsworth
Sylvia Walker Fitts
John W. A. Gilman
Robert D. Gray
Phyllis Harvey
Barclay Stephens Henderson
Walery Chodskyj
(Valery Hodsky)
Jacqueline May Holmes
James Mitchell Howard
Constance Mae Huntley
Francis William Lavery
Alan McClennen, Jr.
Mary Jane Mayo
Sally C. Meade
*Stephen Evans Murphy
*Blythe Susan Page
Charles T. Phillips
Jean Robbins
Dorothy Hildred Snelling
Kerme Styron
Carol Wells
Marshall Whithed
Mary Diane Williamson

Concord High School

Robert Ashworth
Beverly Bean
Priscilla Giles
Joan Huntley
Howard Maher
Judith Parks
Adeline Rando
Donald Robinson
Mary Ann Snelling
Allan Stockellburg
Marian Stuart

Weston High School

Theresa Argento
Elizabeth A. Bigelow
Llewellyn Bigelow
David Hess
Jean Loud
Alan Phillips
Carla Wilson

Honors

David Hess	2nd Prize Essay Contest Am. Legion Aux., Weston
Jean Loud	2nd Honors Weston, 3rd Prize Sears Essay Contest
Alan Phillips	1st Honors Weston, Alumni Award
Carla Wilson	3rd Honors Weston, Scholarship Women's Community League
Marion Stuart	Pierce Secretarial School Scholarship

* deCordova Award.

STAFF ROSTER — JANUARY 1, 1954

Name	Position	Training	Appointed
Douglas B. Roberts	Superintendent of Schools	Tufts College B.S., M.A.	1953
Robert B. Patch	Principal— New School	State Teachers' College Fitchburg B.S. Ed.	1952
Louis J. Sapienza	Principal— Center School	Boston University, B.S. Ed.	1950
Phyllis Johnson	Grade One	Lesley College, B.S. Ed.	1946
Augusta F. Sisk	Grade Four	Boston University, B.S.Ed., Ed. M.	1946
Ann G. Paranya	Language Arts	S.T.C. Montclair, N.J.,A.B.	1949
Irma Antonangeli	Grade Four	Fitchburg State Teachers' College B.S.,Ed.	1950
Hazel Flagg	Grade Five	Sargent	1951
Miriam Zartarian	Art	Tufts College, B.S. Ed.	1951
Joan B. Warren	Kindergarten	Boston University, B.S. Ed. Ed.M.	1951
Prudence Morey	Grade Five	Duke University, A.B.	1952
Jane Owen	Kindergarten	Wheaton College, A.B.	1952
Jane L. Brown	Grade Two	Boston University, B.S. in Elm.Ed.	1953
Harry T. Burke	Social Studies	University of So. California, B.S.E.	1953
Priscilla Cook	Grade Three	Mt. Holyoke, B.A.	1953
Francine D. Fish	Grade Two	Hood College, B.A.	1953
Henry F. Guarino	Music	New England Conservatory of Music, B.M.	1953
Marion T. Howard	Mathematics	Gorman State Teachers' College	1953
Janet J. Kassler	Grade One	Tufts College, B.A.	1953
Priscilla M. Lahar	Grade Two	Boston University, B.S. Ed.	1953
Flores H. LeBoeuf	Science, Home Arts	Tulane University, B.A.	1953
Robert J. Lemieux	Manual Arts	Gorham State Teachers' College, B.S.	1953
Albert S. Reed	Physical Education	Springfield College, B.S., M.Ed.	1953
Mary G. Swalen	Grade One	Univ. of California, Berkeley, B.A.	1953

Statistical Information

VITAL STATISTICS

67 Births, 19 Marriages and 25 Deaths were recorded during the year 1953.

Births

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Names of Parents
1937		
Dec 27	Katherien Henriette Van Leer	Hans L. and Mary C. Van Leer
1952		
Dec 19	Judith Ann Murphy	Edward W. and Marjorie A. M. Murphy
Dec 5	Susan Hunter Henderson	Robert S. and Caroline G. Henderson
Dec 13	Dake Granville Henderson	Gerard C. and Edith M. Henderson
1953		
Jan 3	Elaine Mary Parker	Jackson B. and Jacqueline S. Parker
Jan 5	Mary Wharton Sturgis	Alanson H. Jr. and Anne H. Sturgis
Jan 10	Edward Falter	Thomas A. and Theresa H. Falter
Jan 12	Deirdre Whittier Davis	Henry R. Jr. and Jean K. Davis
Jan 16	Anne Elizabeth Culkins	Leo M. and Barbara E. D. Culkins
Jan 22	Peter Douglas Lawton	John J. and Beatrice C. O. Lawton
Jan 24	Janette Louise York	Norman E. and Muriel E. C. York
Feb 2	Stephen Dennis Geary	Edward T. and Katherine E. D. Geary
Feb. 11	Ruth Frances Corrigan	Edward D. and Ellen N. R. Corrigan
Feb 13	Jeffrey Frank Seeckts	Ehlert W. and Eleanor R. Seeckts
Feb 16	Ramelle Frost Adams	Thomas B. and Ramelle C. Adams
Feb 22	Dennis Robert Stockwell	Robert A. and Doris J. L. Stockwell
Mar 6	Sandra Bisbee Warner	John B. and Barbara L. K. Warner
Mar 7	John Ray Hester	Leon B. and Mary B. Hester
Mar 12	Roger Conant Hale	Hazen G. Jr. and Gail R. Hale
Mar 17	Caren Ann Wilfert	Fred J. and Eleanor E. M. Wilfert
Mar 21	Sally Ann Shurling	Watson M. and Emily T. S. Shurling

Mar 21	Steven Timothy Shurling	Watson M. and Emily T. S. Shurling
Mar 25	Andrea Louise Doherty	William R. and Phyllis M. L. Doherty
Mar 25	Taru Ingrid Gustafson	Edwin A. and Doris M. C. Gustafson
Mar 28	Elizabeth Anne Algeo	Leo J. and Elaine T. C. Algeo
Apr 5	Stephen Harris Clark	William V. Jr. and Mary F. H. Clark
Apr 9	Robert Lloyd Baylis	Lloyd T. and Jeanne C. P. Baylis
Apr 24	Andrew Charles Butler	Hector and Audrey E. M. Butler
Apr 30	Julia Moulton Ragan	Ralph R. and Ruth S. M. Ragan
May 3	Roger Demarest Friend	Harold C. and Leigh D. B. Friend
May 4	Sara Elizabeth Meyer	James W. and Carol E. H. Meyer
May 5	Jennifer Giles Peterson	Frank W. and Mary E. G. Peterson
May 12	Stephen Dennis Murphy	William F. and Ruth M. Murphy
May 18	Linda Anne LeBlanc	Alphonse J. and Alice M. L. LeBlanc
May 20	Donald Johnston Prescott	Howard and Shirley A. B. Prescott
May 22	Ann Marie Campobasso	Athony B. and Dorothy M. I. Campobasso
June12	David Michael Regan	Joseph C. and Joan N. B. Regan
June16	Eleanor Goddard Daniels	Bruce G. and Janet B. Daniels
June23	Gaetan Paul Adelaide Van der Ostende	Andrea J. and Anne V. Van den Ostende
Jul 2	Judith Anne Rowe	Lawrence L. and Mildred H. M. Rowe
Jul 6	Daniel James Ryan	James J. and Helen M. B. Ryan
Jul 6	John Harrington Grabill	Elliott V. and Martha L. Grabill
Jul 13	Dennis Joseph Daniels	Francis J. and Claire M. M. Daniels
Jul 13	James Frederick Rice	James F. Jr. and Barbara A. C. Rice
Jul 15	Patricia Weld Emmons	Alfred B. and Judith R. Emmons
Jul 29	Eric Rodney Cowen	Rodney P. and Eleinor J. H. Cowen
Aug 1	Frederick Leslie Cole 4th	Frederick L. and Joan F. T. Cole
Aug 3	Warner Bayley Kingsbury	Roy S. and Ann E. B. Kingsbury
Aug 9	Kevin Philip Corrigan	Philip C. and Muriel A. K. Corrigan
Aug 11	Peter Anthony Troisi	Ferdinand L. and Mary G. M. Troisi
Aug 12	Darlene Marie Rando	Felice S. and Josephine H. M. Rando
Aug 12	Richard Frederick Schroeder Jr.	Richard F. and Constance C. Schroeder
Aug 16	Catherine Webster Test	Edward W. and Jean M. Test
Aug 16	Christopher Michael Jackson	Gardner Jr. and Sallie P. L. Jackson
Aug 21	Elizabeth Ann Kennedy	John T. and Virginia E. T. Kennedy
Aug 30	William Hayes Cunningham	Robert M. and Claire S. Cunningham
Aug 31	Susan Farley	Louis C. Jr. and Isabel K. Farley
Sep 7	William Heap Butler 3rd	William H. Jr. and Nancy E. G. Butler
Oct 1	Susan Rousmaniere Avery	Stuart B. Jr. and Abigail D. Avery
Oct 6	Christopher Reasoner Walkey	Frederick P. and Ruth H. R. Walkey
Oct 11	Alden Charles Blaney	Calvin E. and Katherine P. H. Blaney
Oct 19	Margaret Meredith Luce	Peter P. and Margaret H. Luce
Nov 27	Edward Joseph Chisholm Jr.	Edward J. and Margaret F. R. Chisholm
Nov 28	Jennifer Greene	Frederick H. Jr. and Helen S. H. Greene
Dec 6	George Warren Bramhall Jr.	George W. and Mary A. M. Bramhall
Dec 9	Colin Maclaurin	Richard C. and Ellen R. Maclaurin
Dec. 16	Allen Morley Lush	Morley J. and Mary K. N. Lush

Marriages

Date of Marriages	Names	Residence
Jan 23	Perry Stone Sitz	Florida
	Martha A. Whittemore	Lincoln
Feb 7	Elmer Bernhardt Anderson	Connecticut
	Patricia Ann MacFarland	Lincoln
Feb 27	John Michael Carney	Connecticut
	Susan Wiley	Lincoln
Apr 5	James Joseph Corrigan	Lincoln
	Virginia Ann Olsen	Concord
Apr 5	Frank Warren Gordon Jr.	Lincoln
	Rosemary O'Connell	Concord
May 17	Charles R. Manning	Lincoln
	Emily Beatrice	Newton
May 23	Norman Wayne Stockellburg	Lincoln
	Martha Elaine Foster	Concord
Jun 6	Joseph Robert Campobasso	Lincoln
	Mary Anne Theresa Nichols	Lincoln
Jul 18	Peter Whitcomb Rand	Lincoln
	Alice Bartlett Hildreth	Portland, Maine
Aug 8	William Joseps O'Sullivan Jr.	Lincoln
	Mary Geraldine Commane	Dorchester
Sep 5	Henry Taillacq	Lincoln
	Jean Henrietta Hart Earle	Cambridge
Sep. 5	Robert Karl vanLeer	Lincoln
	Rachel Palmer Davis	Lincoln
Sep 12	Peter G. Denton	New York
	Sherlie W. Spencer	Lincoln
Sep 19	Edward F. Cook	Lincoln
	Phyllis M. Norman	Cambridge
Sep 12	Harold A. Whitney Jr.	Lincoln
	Arlene Lois Pollock	Waltham
Sep 19	Norman Eliot Gibbs	Lincoln
	Emma Montanari	Stow, Vermont
Oct 10	Sherman Prescott Davis	Lincoln
	Phyllis Marjorie Davis	Bedford
Nov 5	Jonathon C. Robinson	Lincoln
	Carolyn Olsen	Concord
Nov 25	Arthur Allen Chute Jr.	Lincoln
	Janet Joyce Hall	Lincoln

Deaths

Death	Name	Age Y	M	D
Jan 8	Nils Swanson	81	6	26
Jan 24	Elizabeth Cunningham	75	0	0
Jan 24	Constance Rathbone Taylor	49	3	29
Feb 5	Daniel J. Ryan	72	9	5
Mar 8	Barry Bigelow	55	0	14
Apr 1	Jennie Stockellburg	58	0	0
Apr 7	Richard Thomson	26	0	0
Apr20	Robert L. DeNormandie	76	0	0
May 1	Catherine E. Shea	59	4	19
May 5	Claire LeBlanc	3	11	27
May 8	Helen L. Cunnert	77	1	7
Jul 1	Mary Eliza Somerby	79	10	5
Jul 2	George Leon Holmes	21	0	0
Aug11	Mary M. Riley	75	1	0
Aug20	Henry J. Kennedy	57	0	0
Aug31	Caroline Townsend Monks	63	8	22
Sep 11	Della M. Bowles	73	0	5
Sep 27	Fern Adele Johnson	59	1	6
Oct 2	James P. Coan	70	1	9
Oct 6	Riley Williams	92	5	24
Oct 10	Frank Dadmun	85	0	3
Nov 8	Lily T. Chapman	65	10	15
Nov20	Madelyn Louise Cousins	50	5	8
Nov24	Mary M. Younker	70	0	0
Dec 17	Clarence Marshall	67	4	15

Valuation List, January 1, 1953

Name of Taxpayer	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real and Personal Estate
Abbott, John A. and Diana B.		$7,050	$338.40
Adams, John Q. and Lucy D.		39,550	1,898.40
Adams, John Quincy	$800		38.40
Adams, Ramelle C.		12,850	616.80
Adams, Thomas B.	200		9.60
Adkins, Archibald W. and Dorothea C.		10,000	480.00
A'Hearn, Marian E.		3,150	151.20
Albano Bros.		300	14.40
Algeo, John T. and Catherine R.		5,000	240.00
Algeo, Leo J. and Elaine T.		4,400	211.20
Algeo, Mary A.		4,600	220.80
Allen, Lloyd R.		250	12.00
Allied Commonwealth Corp.		46,000	2,208.00
Ammen, David L. and Judith B.		5,050	242.40
Anderson, Lawrence B. and Rosina DuP.		13,300	638.40
Andrews, Paul R. and Catherine L.		2,300	110.40
Antinarelli, Joseph J. and Helen J.		500	24.00
Appleby, Richard B.		4,500	216.00
Aptt, Harry S. and Etta E.		3,250	156.00
Arnold, S. Leonard and Anna M.		4,000	216.00
Ashworth, Harold T. and Irma D.		7,000	336.00
Avery, Abigail D.		7,500	360.00
Ayer, Richard B. Jr. and Constance		9,000	432.00
Aylward, Augustine J.		1,000	48.00
Baggs, Arthur E. Jr. and Marion S.		6,700	321.60
Baker, John C. and Elizabeth E.		2,000	96.00
Baker, Margaret C.		5,000	240.00
Baker, Theodore C. and Mary Amory		9,250	444.00
Baltrush, William C. and Sarah M.		3,300	158.40
Barber, John W. Jr. and Mary E.		1,400	67.20

Name of Taxpayer	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real and Personal Estate
Bardsley, Doris A.		2,600	124.80
Barker, Elliot R.		1,500	72.00
Barnaby, John M. and Charlotte B.		4,600	220.80
Barthel, Walter and Emma C.		4,950	237.60
Barthel, Walter		100	4.80
Baylis, Lloyd T. and Leonne P.		5,500	264.00
Bean, Anna K.		6,000	288.00
Beebe, Alice W.		47,000	2,256.00
Beers, Roland F. and Helen C.		10,650	511.20
Belanger, Walter E. and Mary F.		7,400	355.20
Benton, Carl R. and Barbara A.		100	4.80
Bernson, Bob	300	2,650	141.60
Bernson, Bob and Edith J.		3,350	160.80
Bernson, Edith J.		18,000	864.00
Bergquist, Walter J. and Brita M.		3,500	168.00
Bertolami, Leo F.	235		11.28
Bertolami, Leo F. and Rose M.		4,700	225.60
Bertolami, Paolina		400	19.20
Billings, Bruce H. and Virginia M.		7,280	349.44
Billings, Bruce H. and Sarah W.		750	36.00
Billings, James B. and Marion		10,650	511.20
Bingham, Elizabeth A.		9,250	444.00
Bingham, Elizabeth P. B.		250	12.00
Bingham, George C.		500	24.00
Black, Everett A. and Anne E.		32,000	1,536.00
Blake, Charles H. and Helen L.		10,500	504.00
Blake, Donald D. and Alicia		4,550	218.40
Boccadoro, Joseph and Ida		100	4.80
Bockoven, John Sanbourne and Dorothy Ruth		3,600	172.80
Bogner, Walter F. and Edith		9,200	441.60
Bonia, Walter J.		5,400	259.20
Booth, Alice Burrage		500	24.00
Booth, Robert H.	35	14,300	688.08
Boston & Maine R.R.		900	43.20
Boston Consolidated Gas Co.	85,000		4,080.00
Boston Edison Co.	154,263		7,404.62
Bowles, Clifford		7,000	336.00
Bowles, Mildred E.	50	12,150	585.60
Bowles, William	1,075	4,000	243.60

Name of Taxpayer	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real and Personal Estate
Boyce, Brothers	3,500		168.00
Boyce, John J. and Mary M.		12,000	576.00
Boyce, Manley B.		3,000	144.00
Boyce, Manley B. and Alice M.		2,500	120.00
Boyce, Michael J.		4,500	216.00
Bradford, Robert L. and Martha A.		5,300	254.40
Bradshaw, Fred and Julia S.		5,000	240.00
Briggs, Susan L.		13,500	648.00
Brisson, N. F. Inc.	300	1,450	84.00
Brooks, Albert S. and Maude M.		5,400	259.20
Brooks, Paul		9,750	468.00
Brown, Elizabeth G.		14,000	672.00
Brown, Gordon C. and Persis A.		1,200	57.60
Brown, Marion I. and Bernice I. Stevens		3,000	144.00
Brown, Robert P. and Polly F.		7,150	343.20
Browne, Secor D. and Mary D.		7,000	336.00
Browning, Edgar C. and Katherine A.		4,950	237.60
Browning, George U.	2,110	6,000	389.28
Buerger, Martin J. and Lila		12,000	576.00
Burckett, Douglas M. and Phillippa C.		500	24.00
Burgess, Catherine M.		1,500	72.00
Burgess, Rebecca M. and Jeddrie, Mary M.		3,250	156.00
Burke, Edward J. and Helen V.		4,500	216.00
Burns, Melvin P.		4,400	211.20
Burns, William C. and Daisy May Day		3,000	144.00
Busfield, Gibson L. and Marilyn A.		5,500	264.00
Butcher, Charles R.		1,950	93.60
Butcher, Henry A. Jr. and Margaret V.		2,100	100.80
Butcher, Ralph E.	225	4,300	217.20
Buthman, Fred A. and Edna E.		500	24.00
Butler, William H. and Mary G.		4,750	228.00
Buttrick, David Co.	2,700	10,100	614.40
Buxton, David and Lois Pardee		6,000	288.00
Bygrave, Robert and Lucy E.		6,500	312.00

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Caisey, Roland J.		4,200	201.60
Calkins, Ramona T. and Whittier		4,500	216.00
Campbell, Fannie S. and Adeline S.		7,500	360.00
Campobasso, Anthony B. and Dorothy M.		3,100	148.80
Campobasso, Ethel		1,500	72.00
Campobasso, Joseph R.		1,820	87.36
Cannella, Brothers	2,000		96.00
Cannella, James J. and John C.		3,800	182.40
Cannon, Ellen DeN. and Bradford		22,800	1,094.40
Carman, Eleanor T.		10,100	484.80
Carney, Florence T.		3,575	171.60
Carrig, James A.		5,500	264.00
Carstensen, Warren and Evelyn G.		20,500	984.00
Cassidy, Henry J. and Verna E.		3,650	175.20
Cassidy, Patrick		400	19.20
Cassis, Anthony		10,000	480.00
Catoia, Angelo and Mary J.		3,100	148.80
Catoia, Anthony J. and Lucy M. A.		2,850	136.80
Causer, William O. and Mary E.		3,300	158.40
Chadwick, William and Jessie T.		5,000	240.00
Chapin, Louise B. and Bertha L.		11,500	552.00
Chapin, Robert C. and Margaret E.		3,500	168.00
Chapman, James S.		4,775	229.20
Chapman, Lily T.		750	36.00
Chellis, Herbert N. and Eleanor M.		4,500	216.00
Chipman, Robert Hennessy		5,000	240.00
Chisholm, Edward C. and Margaret F.		5,000	240.00
Chu, Chauncey C. and Margaret		1,000	48.00
Church, Robert T. and Priscilla Schirmer		10,100	484.80
Churchill, Robert R. and June D.		5,400	259.20
Cibel, Stanley A. and Thelma W.		6,300	302.40
Ciraso, Michael and Amelia		3,650	175.20
Clark, George A.	30	3,100	150.24
Clark, W. Van Alan and Mary H.		6,900	331.20

Name of Taxpayer	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real and Personal Estate
Coan, James P.		3,250	156.00
Coan, Thomas F.		3,350	160.80
Coane, John H. Jr.		2,250	108.00
Coburn, Edward S.	460	6,200	319.68
Codman, Thomas N. et al. Trustees	500	67,300	3,254.40
Codman, Dorothy S. F. M.		5,000	240.00
Coffey, John B. and Wilma L.		3,500	168.00
Cole, Edwin M. and Lucy F.		11,200	537.60
Cole, Nancy W.		8,800	422.40
Collins, Mary Brewster		6,900	331.20
Comey, Arthur C. and Elizabeth P.		8,000	384.00
Community Store	1500		72.00
Comstock, Joan B.		7,350	352.80
Conant, Lily R.		9,000	432.00
Conary, Frances P.		4,500	216.00
Concannon, Marian E.		4,200	201.60
Condit, Robert P. and Phyllis C.		5,000	240.00
Conlin, James J. and Winifred Irene		1,600	76.80
Connair, John J. and Margaret J.		3,100	148.80
Connally, J. Irving and Evelyn		3,450	165.60
Conti, Bartolomeo B.		6,750	324.00
Cook, Brothers	500		24.00
Cook, Harry and John F.		4,850	232.80
Corcoran, Francis J.		3,000	144.00
Cormey, Henry J. and Illione W.		3,400	163.20
Corrigan, Edward D.		3,500	168.00
Corrigan, John F. and Mary		7,000	336.00
Corrigan, Leo W.		2,300	110.40
Corrigan, Martin		2,400	115.20
Corrigan, Mary		1,500	72.00
Costello, John D.		100	4.80
Costello, William H.		1,800	86.40
Cotoni, Carolana M.		4,600	220.80
Cotoni, Joseph	3,000		144.00
Cousins, Ashley B.		2,400	115.20
Cousins, Harold S.		12,750	612.00
Cousins, Laurence B. and Jeanne B.		4,400	211.20
Cousins, Willis N.		3,450	165.60
Cowen, Rodney P. and Elinor		2,100	100.80
Cowles, Addison and			

Name of Taxpayer	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real and Personal Estate
Alexandra C.		5,150	247.20
Crandall, Stephen H. and Patricia E.		1,250	60.00
Crane, Charles E. and Hazel G.		15,000	720.00
Crawford, Dorothy B.		6,000	288.00
Crawford, John D. and Joanna W.		5,000	240.00
Creelman, Gilmore B. and Alice M.		3,550	170.40
Croft, Robert		200	9.60
Crook, Russell G.		3,000	144.00
Crowley, Timothy J.		2,000	96.00
Crowson, Leslie W. and Madeline W.		6,800	326.40
Crozier, Christina B.		5,000	240.00
Culver, Perry J. and Kate S.		10,000	480.00
Cunnert, Fritz, Est. of	1,000	6,500	360.00
Cunningham, Elizabeth A.		500	24.00
Cunningham, Elizabeth A. and Edward B.		3,200	153.60
Cunningham, George E.		4,915	235.92
Cunningham, Harold L. and Corrine		3,600	172.80
Cunningham, Robert M.		2,900	139.20
Cushing, Gustave		4,500	216.00
Dahl, Thyra		5,800	278.40
Damico, Louise		2,350	112.80
Daniels, Bruce G.		11,500	552.00
Danosky, Edward A.	350	1,500	88.80
Danosky, Edward A. and Mary C.		3,600	172.80
Danosky, Stefania	1,000	9,650	511.20
D'Arigo Bros., Inc.		2,400	115.20
Davis, Alfred M.	1,250	4,750	288.00
Davis, Bradford D. and Barbara G.		10,200	489.60
Davis, Prescott L.	2,585	9,100	560.88
Davis, Saville R. and Anita V.		7,500	360.00
Davison, Archibald T.		13,000	624.00
Davison, Everett H.		2,600	124.80
Dean, Emma W.		3,200	153.60
Dean, Louis W.	3,750	9,800	650.40
Dean, William M.		1,000	48.00

Name of Taxpayer	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real and Personal Estate
Dean, William M. and Lorraine C.		3,000	144.00
Dee, Helena A.		2,000	96.00
Dee, Thomas J., Est. of		2,200	105.60
DeFord, William and Elinor S.		7,100	340.80
Denehy, Edward J. and Bernadette J.	700	10,900	556.80
Denio, F. Winchester		3,500	168.00
DeNormandie, Alice W.		34,500	1,656.00
DeNormandie, James	8,475	2,000	502.80
DeNormandie, James and Martha		9,950	477.60
DeNormandie, James and Robert L.		32,750	1,572.00
DeNormandie, Robert L., Est. of		21,925	1,052.40
DePavla, Dominick		500	24.00
Dewey, Davis R. II.		15,600	748.80
Diamond, James E.		1,100	52.80
Dodge, Orien B.		2,850	136.80
Doherty, Josephine C.		11,000	528.00
Doherty, Matthew H.	1,600		76.80
Doherty, Matthew H. and Elizabeth H.		13,800	662.40
Doherty, Mary E., Margaret A. and Marjorie		2,000	96.00
Dole, Gertrude E.		2,880	138.24
Dominichello, Dominic		500	24.00
Dominichello, Frank	685		32.88
Dominichello, Frank and Mattie		3,800	182.40
Donaldson, Charlotte H., Est. of		8,000	384.00
Donaldson, Donald	85		4.08
Donaldson, Gordon A.	12		.57
Donaldson, Gordon A. and Elizabeth A.		7,000	336.00
Donaldson, Malcolm D.		8,250	396.00
Donaldson, Robert D.		67,600	3,244.80
Donaldson, Robert D. Jr.		6,500	312.00
Donnelly, Bernard F. and Josephine B.		1,500	72.00
Dorian, Newart		3,750	180.00
Dougherty, Andrew J.	2,445	6,350	422.16
Dougherty, Dennis M.		2,900	139.20
Dresser, Charles N. and Ruth C.		5,600	268.80
DuBois, Anson M. and Olive S.		5,100	244.80

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DuBois, Eliot and Barbara		4,900	235.20
East, John A. and Edla A.		5,500	264.00
Eaton, Gertrude S.		7,500	360.00
Ehlert, Heirs of Ellen		5,625	270.00
Emerson, Heirs of Edward W.		500	24.00
Emerson, Heirs of Ralph Waldo		500	24.00
Ennis, Walter M. Jr. and Barbara R.		4,700	225.60
Erickson, Leonard B. and Martha F.		5,000	240.00
Evans, Lucius W. and Virginia C.		16,500	792.00
Fairbanks, Rollin		12,500	600.00
Faran, James J. and Ellen G.		1,050	50.40
Farley, Louis C. and Isabel K.		4,600	220.80
Farnsworth, Kenneth C. and Marguerite M.		15,500	744.00
Faunce, Mary Gill and Anthony		9,500	456.00
Fedock, Metro and Hazel A.		2,650	127.20
Fell, Florence C.		5,400	259.20
Fernald, Alvin E.	200	5,900	292.80
Fillmore, Bruce R. and Eleanor L.		4,400	211.20
Finnerty, James L. and Anna C.	30	4,650	224.64
Fiorelli, Ernest R. and Rose M.		400	19.20
Fitts, Charles K. and Gertrude W.		16,500	792.00
Flanagan, James and Wilhelmina G.		700	33.60
Flannery, Donald J. and Harriet E.		2,125	102.00
Fleck, Richard C. and Frances R.		10,600	508.80
Fleming, Clifford D. and E. Frances		6,500	312.00
Fletcher, Walter B. and Helen F.		6,750	324.00
Flewelling, Roy S. and Thelma G.		4,100	196.80
Flint, Edward W. Ex. u/w Ephraim B.		1,900	91.20
Flint, Henry R.	400		19.20
Flint, Josephine R.		11,000	528.00
Flint, Warren F.	3,950	13,000	813.60
Floyd, Olive B.		4,500	216.00
Flynn, Helen C.		8,700	417.60

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Flynn, Frank J.		400	19.20
Foley, Harold F. and Rita E.		1,800	86.40
Foley, Harold W.		8,750	420.00
Foote, Howard W. and Jeanne M.		6,000	288.00
Forbes, Sherman H. and Annabell O.		5,500	264.00
Forest Realty Trust		600	28.80
Fradd, Norman W.		7,500	360.00
Frasier, Joseph G. and Harriet E.		300	14.40
Fredrikson, Arvid E. and Esther A.		3,500	168.00
Fryatt, Thomas F.		6,700	321.60
Fuller, Ernest L. and Doris O.		9,300	446.40
Fullerton, Albert L. Jr. and Mary S.		5,000	240.00
Garland, Joseph and Mira C.		2,500	120.00
Garrison, David L. and Alice E.		6,200	297.60
Garrison, John B. and Barbara F.		7,800	374.40
Gary, John E. and Maida F.		8,000	384.00
Geary, Edward T. and Katherine E.		8,300	398.40
Gertz, George L. and Edith A.		4,200	201.60
Gibbs, Norman E. and Leigh H.		7,600	364.80
Giblin, Mary E. and Ruth E.		6,630	318.24
Gilbert, John W. and Josephine L.		2,500	120.00
Gilbert, Joseph H.	5		.24
Gilbert, Mary J.		2,500	120.00
Gilboy, Glennon and Elizabeth W.		10,000	480.00
Giles, Edmund W. and Muriel H.		14,600	700.80
Giles, E. W. Inc.	1,350		64.80
Giles, Thomas T.	1,050		50.40
Giles, Thomsa T. and Stella A.		7,700	369.60
Gilfoy, Donald A. and Helen B.		12,000	576.00
Guirleo, James M. and Mary C.		10,000	480.00
Glazier, L. Gordon and Gertrude		19,000	912.00
Gordon, Marie C.		4,200	201.60
Grabill, Elliott V. and Martha L.		11,000	528.00
Graf, Malcolm		2,000	96.00
Grason, Rufus L. and Edna B.		1,200	57.60

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Gray, Robert W.		6,600	316.80
Gray, Thomas H. 3rd		300	14.40
Greco, Louis and Katherine T.		600	28.80
Greene, Frederick H. Jr. and Helen H.		11,100	532.80
Griffin, Harriet S.		6,500	312.00
Grinnell, William L. and Virginia B.		7,000	336.00
Gropius, Walter and Ilse		14,500	696.00
Gross, T. A. O. and Judith C. F.		5,300	254.40
Gustafson, Edwin Anton and Doris Margaret		4,000	192.00
Haartz, John C. Jr. and Beatrice R.		10,600	508.80
Haden, Russell L. and Constance J.		5,700	273.60
Hagerty, Julia C.		3,000	144.00
Hagman, Anna, Ext. u/w Fridolin Hagman		3,850	184.80
Hagman, Otto and Katherine		5,000	240.00
Hale, Hazen G. Jr. and Gail Robinson		1,400	67.20
Haley, Arthur E.		1,500	72.00
Hall, Cecil E. and Nancy E.		7,000	336.00
Hamilton, Bessie E.		4,800	230.40
Hanlon, Albert W.		5,000	240.00
Hapgood, Norman Jr. and Ruth K.		3,000	144.00
Harding, Catherine		2,500	120.00
Harling, Ernest J.		4,500	216.00
Harrington, F. Frank, Est. of		1,750	84.00
Harrington, Katherine A.		2,000	96.00
Harrington, Winthrop W.		4,100	196.80
Hart, Frederick R.		200	9.60
Hart, Joseph S.		6,000	288.00
Hart, William E. and Isabella C.		9,000	432.00
Hartman, Henry F.		3,700	177.60
Hartwell Farm	1,000		48.00
Hatheway, Louise A.	4,710	133,950	6,655.68
Haworth, George G. and Thelma E.		6,000	288.00

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Healey, Harry R. Jr. and Jeanne C.		4,700	225.60
Heck, Mary Higbee		30,800	1,478.40
Hedge, Mary A.		10,500	504.00
Helburn, Peter and Margaret		2,200	105.60
Held, Arnold E. and Mary A.		4,200	201.60
Henderson, Ernest	200		9.60
Henderson, Gerard C. and Edith M.		5,000	240.00
Henderson, Robert S. and Carolyn H.		5,000	240.00
Henley, Archibald and Lottie		4,640	222.72
Henry, Hall M. and Addie McAllister		10,000	480.00
Herlihy, Maurice K. and Jean E.		3,300	158.40
Herman, Edwards W.		12,200	585.60
Herthel, Stephen W. and Evelyn S.		13,650	655.20
Hess, Kenneth W. and Alice B.		9,500	456.00
Hester, Leon B. and Mary B.		5,000	240.00
Hews, Charles A. and Annie F.		3,500	168.00
Hinds, Edward H. and Edith M.		100	4.80
Hinds, Evelyn W.		8,000	384.00
Hoar, George W. and Norman W.		9,500	456.00
Hollingsworth, Lowell M. and Florence S.		7,000	336.00
Hoover, Henry B. and Lucretia J.		7,300	350.40
Hornor, Townsend and Barbara G.		18,200	873.60
Houghton, John J. and Lillian		3,800	182.40
Howard, Elizabeth F.		13,000	624.00
Howard, Esther T.		9,400	451.20
Hoyt, Harrison and Shirley J.		2,700	129.60
Hubbard, Eliot Jr.		9,100	436.80
Hunt, Lewis E.		3,900	187.20
Hunt, Merrill		13,420	644.16
Hunt, Pearson and Merrill T.		6,500	312.00
Huntley, George F. and Lottie D.		4,350	208.80
Huntley, Medford E. and Blanche L.		3,700	177.60
Huntley, Oland F. and Alberta T.		2,900	139.20
Hurd, Joseph F. and Nellie M.		4,000	192.00

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Hurd, Nancy Dabney		9,100	436.80
Hyde, Benjamin D. and Mildred B.		8,500	408.00
Irwin, Mary M.		13,500	648.00
Jackson, Dorothy W.		12,000	576.00
Jackson, Gardner S. and Sallie		3,100	148.80
Jacobs, May L.		15,000	720.00
Jagger, James M. and Miriam H.		4,800	230.40
Jenney, Charles J. and Katrina C.		5,500	264.00
Jensen, Holgar J. and Grace A.		3,100	148.80
Jensen, Olin A. and Agnes E.		5,100	244.80
Johansen, Rose May		1,500	72.00
John, DeWitt		7,050	338.40
Johnson, Ernest L. and Grace M.		11,500	552.00
Johnson, Fern A.		3,000	144.00
Johnson, John W. and Josephine		150	7.20
Jones, Chester L. and Anne B.		5,000	240.00
Kane, Henry B. and Elizabeth C.		3,750	180.00
Keene, Clifton R.		5,000	240.00
Keily, Delbar P. and Gertrude E.		4,200	201.60
Keizer, Harold		1,500	72.00
Kelliher, John J.		3,800	182.40
Kennedy, Albert E.		5,800	278.40
Kennedy, John T. and Albert E.		150	7.20
Kennedy Bros.	500		24.00
Kern, Walter P.		350	16.80
Killoran, Martha		3,850	184.80
Kindleberger, Charles P. and Sarah M.		5,450	261.60
King, Abigail A.		12,000	576.00
King, William T.		15,700	753.60
Kingsbury, Roy S. and Ann B.		2,500	120.00
Kinney, Robert C.		2,000	96.00
Kinsler, Herman F. and Louise M.		5,500	264.00
Kirkpatrick, David W. and Margaret M.		5,000	240.00
Kistiakowsky, George B. and Irma E.		11,500	552.00

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Kling, John W. and Louise		4,500	216.00
Knowles, Harry B. Jr.	250		12.00
Knowles, Wilma E.		5,000	240.00
Kolyshkin, George, Estate of		3,030	145.44
Kubik, Charles S. and Emily K.		6,000	288.00
Ladd, Edward H. Jr. and Agnes E.		5,250	252.00
Lahey, Heirs of James		1,500	72.00
Lahnstein, Karl F.		3,200	153.60
Langton, William G.		7,000	336.00
Larrabee, Leonard C. and Peggy S.		5,900	283.20
Lavery, Francis W. and Veronica J.		6,200	297.60
Lavrakas, Fofo		2,150	103.20
Lawson, Harold E.	1,500	8,150	463.20
Lawton, John J. and Beatrice G.		5,100	244.80
Leavitt, Donald P. and Christine P.		9,000	432.00
LeBlanc, Alphonse J. and Alice M.		2,500	120.00
LeBlanc, Philias and Lena		5,850	280.80
Lee, Edwin John		1,800	86.40
Lemander, William C. and Emily K.		6,000	288.00
LeMann, John		2,850	136.80
Lennon, James V. and Elin		3,800	182.40
Leslie, Maurice A. and Annie M.		4,340	208.32
Liddick, Harold S. and Virginia D.		6,700	321.60
Ligda, Myron G. H. and Evelyn D.		2,900	139.20
Lincoln Heights Estates Inc.		10,500	504.00
Lincoln Beauty Salon	250		12.00
Lincoln, John W. and Clarinda Y.		5,400	259.20
Linscott, Donald A. Jr. and Grace M.		4,400	211.20
Little, Rudolph		3,150	151.20
Livengood, Eleanor C. H.		3,800	182.40
Llanover Trust		17,000	816.00
Lorrey, Mildred J.		5,575	267.60
Lothrop, John W. and Ellen D.		10,500	504.00

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Loud, John F. and Mary L.		10,000	480.00
Luce, Peter Paul and Margaret		8,250	396.00
Lumus, John W. and Ann A.		4,750	228.00
Lunt, Heirs of Charles		2,500	124.80
Lustwerk, Ferdinand		5,000	240.00
Lynch, Edward H. Jr.		3,600	172.80
Lyon, Ruth		3,700	177.60
Lyons, John J. and Ann V.		900	43.20
Lyons, Martin and Winifred A.		4,380	210.24
MacFarland, Charles C. and Phyllis M.		2,750	132.00
MacFarland, Ernest H.		6,000	288.00
MacInnis, Daniel A. Jr. and Francis Clarke		3,050	146.40
MacKenzie, Roland C.		12,000	576.00
MacLaurin, Richard Collin and Ellen		11,000	528.00
MacLean, Heirs of Hector J.		4,350	208.80
MacLeod, Edward and Hester M.		2,850	136.80
MacLeod, Edward Jr. and Mary M.		1,100	52.80
MacRae, Manning W.	200	5,500	273.60
Mahan, Russell P.		8,000	384.00
Mahar, Raymond and Gertrude M.		3,200	153.60
Mallett, Herbert A. and Eva M.		2,600	124.80
Malloy, Robert M. and Irene C.		9,000	432.00
Mann, David W.	6,500	22,900	1,411.20
Mannarino, Heirs of Anna		1,500	72.00
Manning, Joseph J. and Catherine L.		4,700	225.60
Manzelli, John		5,200	249.60
Mar, James W. and Edith		5,000	240.00
Marchetti, John W. and Sarah G.		8,000	384.00
Maroni, Robert F. and Valentine R.		1,250	60.00
Martin, Fred and Marie		5,000	240.00
Martin, John O. and Candida W.		3,500	168.00
Martin, Wilhelmina W.		9,500	456.00
Mascari, Edward L.	400		19.20

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Mascari, Leonard E. and Grace B.		11,000	528.00
Matthews, Ida Lucille W. and Marion Clark		3,500	168.00
McClennen, Alan and Louise H.		12,500	600.00
McCune, William J. and Elizabeth		8,300	398.40
McHugh, Mary F.		5,950	285.60
McLellan, John W. and Julia C.		3,150	151.20
McMillin, James B.		2,100	100.80
McShane, Nellie		100	4.80
Mead, Varnum R. and Janice H.		4,500	216.00
Meade, Edmund J. and Eleanor H.		3,500	168.00
Melanson, Leonard J. and Mary		4,000	192.00
Mele, John A. and Sarah L.		4,300	206.40
Mellish, Eugene D. and Nancy		4,500	216.00
Meriam, Richard S. and Alice G.		12,350	592.80
Merrill, Vincent N. and Anne S.		1,000	48.00
Meyer, John R. Jr. and Marjorie R.		5,250	252.00
Meyer, Robert V.		5,300	254.40
Michel, Jules J.		10,040	481.92
Militzer, Raymond E. and Martha B.		18,000	864.00
Miller, Henry D. and Mary E.		8,300	398.40
Miller, Mary G.		5,500	264.00
Mills, Cecil R. and Lillian M.		3,650	175.20
Mix, Thomas R. and Helen B.		2,250	108.00
Monks, Caroline T.		6,750	324.00
Monks, John P.	700		33.60
Monks, John P. and Ann S.		49,000	2,352.00
Moody, Charles P. and Josephine C.		6,100	292.80
Moor, Edgar Jr. and Joan		1,500	72.00
Moore, Herbert L. Jr. and Sylvia		10,000	480.00
Moore, Paul		100	4.80
Morgan, Henry M. and Gwen G.		7,000	336.00
Morris, Milliage E.	205		9.84
Morris, Milliage E. and Beatrice M.		2,400	115.20
Morris, Robert E. F. and Clara D.		3,700	177.60

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Morris, Robert H. and Irene S.		4,500	216.00
Morrissey, Elizabeth Ann		500	24.00
Morrissey, John Joseph		5,500	264.00
Morse, Thomas R.		12,300	590.40
Moses, John P. and Alice W.		6,500	312.00
Moszka, Stanley E. and Anna		2,800	134.40
Mukhitarian, Samuel and Stephanie		4,050	194.40
Mulledy, John A.		600	28.80
Mullins, Edward S. and Florence M.		250	12.00
Murphy, Bridget		4,500	216.00
Murphy, Cyrus W. and Persis S.		3,450	165.60
Murphy, Daniel J. and Louise C.		4,550	218.40
Murphy, Edward W.		5,000	240.00
Murphy, Heirs of Jeremiah		3,500	168.00
Murphy, Mina Dorothea		3,500	168.00
Murphy, Otis W. and Patricia		50	2.40
Murphy, William F.		10,750	516.00
Neary, Patrick J. and Alice B.		4,200	201.60
Nelson, Albert E. and Marjorie E.		5,900	283.20
Nelson, Erik J. and Dorothy D.		3,000	144.00
Nelson, W. Newton and Eleanor R.		9,450	453.60
Neumann, Ernest P. and Sylvia		8,250	396.00
Neville, Ellen M., Heirs of		500	24.00
Neville, Mary A. and Delia M.		4,000	192.00
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	71,200	4,000	3,509.60
Newell, Joseph S. and Lena M.		8,500	408.00
Newton, Harland B. and Ethel H.		7,300	350.40
Newton, Hazel H.		5,800	278.40
Nichols, Walter and Ethel D.		5,100	244.80
Nielsen, Svend H. and Virginia R.		5,900	283.20
Niles, Robert I. and Virginia M.		7,000	336.00
Northeastern Gas Transmission Co.		43,850	2,104.80
Norton, Paul L.		1,500	72.00
Norton, Paul and Margaret		6,500	312.00
Nystrom, Foster H. and Edna C.		6,500	312.00
Ogden, Warren G. Jr.		6,000	288.00

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Olsen, Ralph and Marcia		3,500	168.00
Olsen, Ralph		500	24.00
O'Reilly, Joseph J. and Camilla M.		3,800	182.40
Osborne, Gordon and Freda W.		19,940	957.12
O'Sullivan, William J.	400		19.20
O'Sullivan, William J. and Mary E.		35,000	1,680.00
Owen, Carleton W.		7,850	376.80
Paddock, Louis E. and Ann E.		7,000	336.00
Paquette, Margaret		250	12.00
Page, Elliott F. and Emily R.		3,800	182.40
Page, William N. and Elizabeth J.		8,000	384.00
Paine, Charles H.		200	9.60
Pallotta, Henry and Eleanor A.		4,500	216.00
Palmer, Attelio A. and Kathryne		4,600	220.80
Palmer, Eleanor M.		7,500	360.00
Panetta, Franklin and Theresa		1,350	64.80
Panetta, Pasquale	350		16.80
Panetta, Pasquale and Mary		6,000	288.00
Parish, Edward C. Jr. and Joan DeF.		6,900	331.20
Parker, Jackson		5,000	240.00
Parker, William J. Jr. and Evangeline C.		1,750	84.00
Parks, Henry A. and Harriett A.		2,300	110.40
Pattinson, Mary I.		6,600	316.80
Pavlo, Samuel G.		400	19.20
Pazzano, Charles H. Jr. and Mary R.		250	12.00
Pearmain, William Robert		1,700	81.60
Pearson, Theodore A. and Quint, Theodore A.		2,500	120.00
Peavy, Leopold Jr.		1,350	64.80
Peck, Mildred E.		3,850	184.80
Pederson, Sarah A.		1,100	52.80
Peirce, Harriet T.		4,200	201.60
Peloquin, Roy J. and Alice M.		4,300	206.40
Pertzoff, Constantin A.	500		24.00
Pertzoff, Olga		9,600	460.80

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Pertzoff, Constantin A. and Olga		38,740	1,859.52
Peterson, Frank W. and Mary E.		4,100	196.80
Peterson, John R. and Mary Virginia		1,000	48.00
Peterson, Roy C.		3,300	158.40
Phillips, Henry B. and Charlotte T.		16,450	789.60
Pierce, Charles Eliot and Dora Redway		12,500	600.00
Poinier, Donald and Roberta		4,900	235.20
Poole, Ruth E. and Frederick		9,700	465.60
Poor, Jane H. and Fitch, Marion A.		12,500	600.00
Potter, Howard L. and Barbara V.		6,000	288.00
Powers, William C. and Clara E.		6,000	288.00
Preston, Jean W.		24,000	1,152.00
Preston, William M.	100		4.80
Pellandini, Robert T. and Virginia		4,700	225.60
Prouty, C. Newton		1,000	48.00
Primak, John	735		35.28
Primak, John and Lena		10,200	489.60
Quarton, Gardner and Frances		15,030	721.44
Ragan, Ralph R. and Ruth M.		5,000	240.00
Rand, Lucy K.		21,500	1,032.00
Rand, William	500		24.00
Rando, Giovanina		4,850	232.80
Rando, Thomas	800		38.40
Read, Kenneth C. and Margaret M.		7,100	340.80
Ricci, Joseph, Louis, Fred and Charles		5,050	242.40
Rice, Arthur W. Jr. and Pauline K.		12,200	585.60
Rice, Earl S. and Naoma F.		6,000	288.00
Rice, James F. Jr. and Barbara A.	13	3,400	163.82
Rice, Richard B. and Grace W.		4,200	201.60
Rice, Warren A. and Ruth H.		9,100	436.80
Rice, Warren	1,750		84.00

Name of Taxpayer	Value of Personal Estate Aggregate	Value of Real Estate Aggregate	Real and Personal Estate Tax on
Richardson, Howard C.		200	9.60
Richardson, Lyle		13,000	624.00
Riley, Allston and Marion		10,400	499.20
Riley, William B. and Mary M.		1,900	91.20
Robbins, Roland W. and Geraldine		3,000	144.00
Roberti, Norbert F.		4,250	204.00
Robey, A. Alexander and Harriet Stevens		10,600	508.80
Robichaud, George V. and Emma		5,000	240.00
Robichaud, George V.		7,000	336.00
Robinson, Dora J.		3,500	168.00
Robus, Tamzin K.		2,500	120.00
Rodiman, Mildred M.		1,000	48.00
Rogers, Edward H.	525	19,000	938.88
Rogers, John H.		7,000	336.00
Rollins, Elmer A.		800	38.40
Rood, Allan and Jane		6,400	307.20
Rooney, Edward D. and Elizabeth M.		5,300	254.40
Rooney, John J. and Margaret C.		1,500	72.00
Rooney, Leonard A. and Helen L.		3,000	144.00
Root, Harriet E.		600	28.80
Root, Lily Frederica		3,350	160.80
Ross, William C. and Marion L.		10,200	489.60
Rouner, Thomas J.	625		30.00
Rouner, Thomas J. and Doris J.		8,250	396.00
Rowe, Lawrence L. and Mildred M.		1,700	81.60
Rowe, Standish S.		5,500	264.00
Rudzki, Jan A. and Mary		4,150	199.20
Rufo, John and Helen L.		400	19.20
Russes, Frances		2,900	139.20
Ryan, Anastasia, Heirs of		2,400	115.20
Ryan, Frank A.		100	4.80
Ryan, James	100		4.80
Ryan, James J. and Helen		3,000	144.00
Ryan, Lawrence		3,500	168.00
Ryan, Mary J.		4,000	192.00
Sagendorph, George A. and Jane H.		16,000	768.00

Name of Taxpayer	Value of Personal Estate Aggregate	Value of Real Estate Aggregate	Real and Personal Estate Tax on
Santangelo, Laura B. and John		350	16.80
Sawtel, Clement C. and Adeaide I.		6,000	288.00
Schaal, Albert A. and Zelpha M.		200	9.60
Schlaifer, Robert O.		5,700	273.60
Schoales, Gilbert C.	100		4.80
Schumacher, August		1,110	53.28
Schmacher, August and Mary L.		1,000	48.00
Schwann, William and Sonya		7,450	357.60
Scott, Gordon and Beatrice V.		8,700	417.60
Scott, Herman H.		7,500	360.00
Scott, Robert W.	400	24,700	1,204.80
Sears, Ann		1,000	48.00
Secora, Julia		3,000	144.00
Seeckts, E. William		6,500	312.00
Seeckts, Marion E. and Ehlert W.		4,000	192.00
Segadelli, Doris C. and John J.		500	24.00
Sexton, Maurice S.		600	28.80
Shank, Maurice E. and Virginia		5,500	264.00
Shaw, Alice DeS.		20,000	960.00
Shea, Catherine E., Est. of		4,500	216.00
Shepard, Paul F.		4,650	223.20
Sherman, Daniel E.		9,800	470.40
Sherman, D. Everett, Jr.	1,175	5,250	308.40
Sherwin, Edward V.		1,500	72.00
Shumway, Herbert L. and Violet A.		7,200	345.60
Siler, William C. and Barbara Jean		4,200	201.60
Silva, Manuel, Heirs of		21,150	1,015.20
Silva, Mary	13,130		630.24
Simonds, Anthony J. and Lena J.		5,300	254.40
Simms, Mildred A.		1,700	81.60
Sisson, John H. and Barbara		10,800	518.40
Small, William A. and Dolina N.		6,200	297.60
Smith, Carl D. and Florence C.		5,500	264.00
Smith, John E. and Helen M.		5,000	240.00
Smith, Sumner	2,150	55,700	2,776.80
Smith-Peterson, Helda D.		2,150	103.20
Smith, William B. and Mary W.		3,900	187.20
Snelling, Caroline, Est. of		4,500	216.00

Name of Taxpayer	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real and Personal Estate
Snelling, Charles A.		4,100	196.80
Snelling, Dorothy R.		4,300	206.40
Snelling, Howard and Elizabeth		4,500	216.00
Snider, Joseph L. and Greta W.		850	40.80
Sorenson, Hans, Heirs of		4,050	194.40
Sorenson, J. Oscar		4,250	204.00
Spence, Robert A. and Helen M.		6,000	288.00
Spencer, Henry W. and Marguerite C.		11,500	552.00
Spooner, Frederick C. and Sarah W.		3,500	168.00
Spooner, Lily T.		4,250	204.00
Sterner, John and Janine M.		7,400	355.20
Stevens, Kimball C. and Eleanor G.		6,000	288.00
Stevens, Robert R. and Nancy L.		300	14.40
Stockellburg, Arthur A. and Jennie L.		1,750	84.00
Stone, Edith C.		300	14.40
Street, Earle B. and Janet H.		4,500	216.00
Stratford Realty Co. Inc.		12,300	590.40
Stuart, Edward T.		1,500	72.00
Sturgis, Alanson H. Jr. and Anne H.		4,750	228.00
Sturm, Henry A. Jr. and Harriet W.		5,200	249.60
Sullivan, Winifred P.		1,200	57.60
Summerfield, John R. and Mary Anne		1,300	62.40
Swan, Edmund and Eleanor C.		1,100	52.80
Swanson, Alfred and Alma		7,450	357.60
Swanson, Arthur W. and Helen K.		7,600	364.80
Swanson, John, Realty Corp.	2,000	12,500	696.00
Sweeney, Joseph E. and Jeanne M.		5,000	240.00
Swift, Orlando B.	200		9.60
Swift, Orlando B. and Janice B.		8,650	415.20
Swift, William N. and Phyllis C.		8,600	412.80
Swinconeck, John J.		1,600	76.80
Taillacq, Elise		4,000	192.00

Name of Taxpayer	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real and Personal Estate
Tarbell, George G. et al., Trustee		20,200	969.60
Tarbell, George G. Jr.		8,000	384.00
Tarky, William J. Jr.		1,000	48.00
Taylor, Edward S. and Constance R.		7,150	343.20
Taylor, Phillip L. and Miriam H.		500	24.00
Tasker, Eliza J.		3,500	168.00
Teabo, Eugene R. and Alice M.		900	43.20
Tew, John B.		13,400	643.20
Thiessen, Arthur E. and Laura		13,500	648.00
Thoma, Henry F. and Mary Alice		5,000	240.00
Thompson, G. Brooks Jr. and Arlene		9,600	460.80
Thorpe, Margaret M.		7,000	336.00
Thorson, Robert H. and Kathryn F.		7,100	340.80
Todd, Catherine M.		3,200	153.60
Todd, Mabel H.		18,500	888.00
Todd, Pauline E. Adm. u/w C. Lee Todd		26,900	1,291.20
Toler, Louise C.		500	24.00
Tonseth, Didrick and Phebe		1,850	88.80
Torode, Herbert L. and Lorraine S.		3,000	144.00
Townsend, John B. and Helen A.		5,500	264.00
Tracey, Joseph	500		24.00
Tracey, Elizabeth C.		8,300	398.40
Tracy, John W. and Gertrude G.		2,830	135.84
Trenholm, Charles E. and Harriet M.		725	34.80
Troisi, Ferdinand L. and Mary G.		1,900	91.20
Trull, Sybil Shaw Ex.		200	9.60
Tyler, Ethel A. Admx. u/w Fred Tyler		2,700	129.60
Umbrello, Francis and Virginia		8,950	429.60
Umbrello, Francis	4,975		238.80
Vance, Jane K.		18,700	897.60
Van Leer, Hans L.	5,350	900	300.00
Van Leer, Hans L. and Mary K.		11,000	528.00
Van Wart, Walter L. and Mary A.		1,600	76.80

Name of Taxpayer	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real and Personal Estate
Victor's Market	1,500		72.00
Walker, Harry		350	16.80
Waible, Wendell J. and Florence E.		5,700	273.60
Walen, Roger S. and Constance M.		4,000	192.00
Wales, Andrew M. and Betty R.		11,500	552.00
Wales, Isabel G.		14,800	710.40
Waller, Ervin S.		500	24.00
Ward, Henry DeC. and Janet G.		12,000	576.00
Warner, Henrietta S.		9,500	456.00
Warner, Henry E.		19,550	938.40
Warner, John Burton and Barbara K.		10,700	513.60
Washburn, Mabel L. and Rachel W.		4,400	211.20
Watt, Norman and Martha E.		3,000	144.00
Webb, John F.		9,000	432.00
Webb, Rosella		5,500	264.00
Weiner, Julius W. d/b as Wyner Realty Co.		4,600	220.80
Welch, Vernon F. and Leatrice J.		500	24.00
Weld, Anne S. and Frederick C.		10,500	504.00
Wellman, Bertram and Cora B.		4,300	206.40
Wells, George and K. W.		8,200	393.60
Wescott, Arthur E. and E. Edna		500	24.00
Westcott, Charles W. C. and Mary		3,500	168.00
Westcott, Vernon C. and Mary Alice		5,700	273.60
Western Union Tel. & Tel.	2,800		134.40
Weston, Georgianna H.		4,500	216.00
Wheeler, Elizabeth F., Ann H., Mary L. and Ruth A. Gale		17,150	823.20
White, Katherine S. and John W.		12,500	600.00
White, Robert E. and Marion S.		4,800	230.40
Whitney, Harold A. and Consuelo V.		4,600	220.80
Whittier, Charles F. and Ramona Calkins		2,200	105.60

Name of Taxpayer	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real and Personal Estate
Wilber, Harold T. and Inez E.		4,450	213.60
Wilbor, John S. and Anne F.		5,500	264.00
Wilbur, Richard P. and Charlotte W.		4,600	220.80
Wildes, Leland A. and Irene E.		5,500	264.00
Wiley, G. Arnold and Helen		10,250	492.00
Wilfert, Fred J. and Eleanor M.		5,400	259.20
Wilfert, Walter A. and Eleanor A.		200	9.60
Wilfert, Walter A., Eleanor A., Fred J. and Eleanor M.		600	28.80
Wilke, Earle L. and Virginia A.		4,600	220.80
Wilkins, James	400		19.20
Wilkins, John H. and Aida S.		16,000	768.00
Wilkshire, Alice E.		100	4.80
Willard, Henry L. and Helen S.		8,000	384.00
Williams, Edwin L. Jr.		4,200	201.60
Williamson, Elizabeth R.		1,300	62.40
Wilson, John Otis		9,100	436.80
Wilson, Melvin S. and Eleanor F.		4,500	216.00
Wilson, Montgomery S. and Mary Ann		4,750	228.00
Wilson, William A. and Eleanor L.		9,200	441.60
Winchell, Guilbert	240		11.52
Winchell, Guilbert and Evelyn		26,650	1,279.20
Witham, Arthur B. and Margaret F.		3,100	148.80
Witherton, John R. and Elizabeth P.		5,800	278.40
Wood, Frank H. and Jeanne R.		8,200	393.60
Wood, James and Lizzie		4,500	216.00
Wood, James D. and Ruth E.		4,500	216.00
Woodland Trust		420	20.16
Woods, Henry A. and Barbara R.		6,500	312.00
Worcester, Alice E. and others		2,000	96.00
Worthington, Thos. K. and Elizabeth C.		5,250	252.00
Young, Charlotte Wales		3,850	184.80
Young, David B. and Cora S.		3,150	151.20
Zdanowski, John J. and Mary A.		4,580	219.84
Ziegler, Elmer H. and Hilda M.		5,100	244.80

Perpetual Care Funds

Funds deposited in Middlesex Institution for Savings	Principal	Income Accumulated in Pior Years	1952 Care Paid in 1953	1953 Income	December 31, 1953 Balance
Samuel Hartwell	$300.00	$28.46	$6.00	$8.10	$330.56
Orila J. Flint	300.00	79.50	7.00	9.36	381.86
Annie A. Ray	300.00	83.44	.....	9.64	393.08
Maria L. Thompson	500.00	164.60	6.00	16.55	675.15
John H. Pierce	500.00	86.35	22.20	14.18	578.33
Geo. F. Harrington	100.00	7.61	2.50	2.64	107.75
Francis Flint	250.00	95.70	7.00	8.50	347.20
Wm. W. Benjamin	500.00	211.77	19.00	17.41	710.18
Abijah Jones	300.00	16.62	6.50	7.79	317.91
Ellen F. Whitney	100.00	3.68	.....	2.60	106.28
E. H. Rogers	250.00	19.08	6.50	6.59	269.17
Ellen T. Trask	200.00	106.75	2.75	7.64	311.64
Thomas Huddleston	200.00	11.09	6.00	5.16	210.25
Joa Pacewicz	400.00	41.17	4.50	10.97	447.64
Mary Susan Rice	87.27	12.71	.....	2.50	102.48
Julia A. Bemis	300.00	9.88	7.00	7.60	310.48
Donald Gordon	300.00	130.68	5.65	10.69	435.72
Elizabeth G. Chapin	300.00	69.57	7.00	9.11	371.68
Sarah J. Browning	200.00	11.98	4.00	5.22	213.20
Agnes S. Brown	300.00	25.82	5.50	8.05	328.37
Lewis W.Woodworth	150.00	7.30	4.50	3.83	156.63
Robert B. Chapin	300.00	13.66	.....	7.88	321.54
Gardner Moore	300.00	16.22	5.00	7.82	319.04
Mary J. Scripture	500.00	23.46	6.00	13.01	530.47
Chas. P. Farnsworth	350.00	19.24	5.50	9.14	372.88
Helen O. Storrow	2,000.00	137.67	5.00	53.62	2,186.29
Elizabeth S. Wheeler	200.00	15.16	5.50	5.26	214.92
John H. Wilkins	675.00	58.32	6.00	18.29	745.61
L. B. and A. E. Thiessen	500.00	26.75	.....	13.23	539.98
Paul Dorian	150.00	5.75	.....	3.91	159.66
Raymond Haggerty	150.00	5.75	.....	3.91	159.66
Charles O. Preble	100.00	2.12	.....	2.56	104.68
George G. Tarbell	400.00	.....	.....	5.01	405.01
Funds deposited in Suffolk Savings Bank					
J. Waldo Smith	300.00	21.21	5.50	8.73	324.44
Charles S. Smith	300.00	23.68	4.25	8.83	328.26
Edward R. Farrar	300.00	11.90	7.00	8.43	313.33
Anne D. Pollard	300.00	9.85	5.25	8.42	313.02
	$12,662.27	$1,614.50	$184.60	$352.18	$14,444.35

Report of Commissioners of Trust Funds

JOHN H. PIERCE LEGACY

Cash Account

Cash balance at January 1, 1953		$1,395.70
Income received in 1953:		
U. S. A. bond interest	$337.50	
Other bond interest	191.10	
Savings bank interest	168.45	
Annuity u/w John H. Pierce	3,000.00	
Rent of property for 1953	600.00	
Well-Child Clinic fees	68.00	
Dental Clinic fees	642.05	
Donation from Salvation Army for Dental Clinic	200.00	5,207.10
Refunds of payments made		376.05
Bond interest used to amortize purchase premiums		1.40
Withdrawn from Wakefield Savings Bank		1,979.56
		$8,959.81
Payments per order of Selectmen:		
Hospital aid	$2,608.72	
Medicines	128.43	
Doctors' bills	342.00	
Well-Child Clinic	455.00	
Dental Clinic	1,543.21	
Repairs to Pierce house	957.50	
Care of grounds	150.00	
	$6,184.86	
Savings bank interest allowed to accumulate	168.45	6,353.31
Cash balance at December 31, 1953		$2,606.50

Cash and Securities at December 31, 1953

Cash on hand	$2,606.50
Middlesex Institution for Savings	3,255.44
Provident Institution for Savings	1,221.32

U. S. A. bonds, at cost:	
$11,000 Series "G" 2½% due Sept. 1, 1956	11,000.00
2,500 Series "G" 2½% due Nov. 1, 1959	2,500.00
8,500 Series "F" due April 1, 1958	6,290.00
2,000 Series "F" due March 1, 1960	1,480.00
2,700 Series "F" due Dec. 1, 1960	1,998.00
3,500 Series "F" due July 1, 1961	2,590.00
$2,000 Southern Pacific R.R. Equip. Trust "Q" 2¼% due Oct. 1, 1954	1,981.29
2,000 St. Louis San Francisco R.R. Equip Trust "I" 2⅞% due Aug. 1, 1955	2,002.77
2,000 Baltimore & Ohio R.R. Equip. Trust "CC" 3% due Sept. 1, 1961	1,995.72
1,000 Southern California Edison Co. 3% due 1965	1,000.00
	$39,919.04

Note: Redemption value of U. S. A. bonds at December 31, 1953, exceeded cost by $980.90.

ABBIE J. STEARNS FUND FOR THE SILENT POOR

Cash Account

Cash balance at January 1, 1953	$ 75.00
Income received in 1953—interest	73.46
	$148.46
Less savings bank interest allowed to accumulate	43.46
Cash balance at December 31, 1953	$105.00

Cash and Securities at December 31, 1953

Cash on deposit	$ 105.00
Middlesex Institution for Savings	1,772.07
$1,200 U. S. A. Series "G" 2½% due Jan. 1, 1955	1,200.00
	$3,077.07
Income accumulated to December 31, 1953	$1,852.02
Principal	1,225.05
	$3,077.07

DECORDOVA SCHOOL EQUIPMENT FUND

Cash Account

Cash balance at January 1, 1953		$ 4.37
Income received in 1953		
U. S. A. bond interest	$364.82	
Other bond interest	148.34	
Savings bank interest	143.72	
Dividends	60.00	
	$716.88	
Less interest paid on bonds purchased	2.63	714.25
Bond interest credited to Principal to amortize purchase premiums		4.34
Withdrawn from savings bank		983.26
Proceeds of sale of 12/13ths share which with one full share was received as stock dividend from First National Bank of Boston		47.56
		$1,753.78
Safe deposit box rental	3.00	
Net income paid to Town of Lincoln	711.25	
Purchase of $1,000 Alabama Power Co. 3½% bond due 1972	989.80	1,704.05
Cash on hand at December 31, 1953		$49.73

Cash and Securities at December 31, 1953

Cash on deposit	$ 49.73
Cambridge Savings Bank	2,791.52
Middlesex Institution for Savings	762.27
U. S. A. bonds, at cost: less amortization:	
$10,000 Series "G" 2½% due April 1, 1958	10,000.00
1,000 Series "G" 2½% due Nov. 1, 1959	1,000.00
1,000 Treasury 2½% due March 15, 1970-65	1,014.67
2,000 Treasury Reg. 2¾% due April 1, 1980-75	2,029.65
Other bonds	
$1,000 Alabama Power Co. 3½% due 1972	989.80
1,000 American Tel. & Tel. Co. 2¾% due 1975	948.30
1,000 Baltimore & Ohio R.R. Equip. Trust "CC" 3% due 1961	997.86
1,000 Southern California Edison Co. 3% due 1965	1,000.00

1,000 Southern Pacific R.R. Equip. Trust "Q" 2¼% due Oct. 1954	990.65
1,000 Western Maryland R.R. 4% due 1969	1,026.41
26 shares First National Bank of Boston	1,400.65
	$25,001.50

GRAMMAR SCHOOL FUND

Cash Account

1953 savings bank interest paid to General Funds of Town	$ 53.01

Savings Bank Deposits December 31, 1953

Middlesex Institution for Savings	$ 722.00
Cambridge Savings Bank	495.52
	$1,217.52

CHARLES SUMNER SMITH SCHOOL AND PLAYGROUND FUND

Cash Account

Cash balance at January 1, 1953		$ 31.53
Income received in 1953:		
Savings bank interest	$ 180.30	
U. S. A. bond interest	937.50	
Other bond interest	378.01	
	$1,495.81	
Less accrued interest paid on bonds purchased	40.69	1,455.12
Bond interest credited to book value of bonds to amortize premiums		3.24
Withdrawn from savings banks		6,007.36
		$7,497.25
Safe deposit box rent	$ 3.00	
Savings bank interest allowed to accumulate	117.74	

Deposited in savings banks		681.25	
Bonds purchased:			
$2,000	Baltimore & Ohio RR Equip, Trust "FF" 3⅛% due Dec. 1, 1967	1,883.26	
1,000	American Tel. & Tel. Co. 2¾% due 1975	895.80	
2,000	Detroit Edison Co. 3% due 1970	1,936.60	
2,000	Alabama Power Co. 3⅛% due 1972	1,979.60	7,497.25

Cash and Securities at December 31, 1953

Boston Five Cents Savings Bank		$2,204.63
Middlesex Institution for Savings		2,175.33
U. S. A. bonds, at cost (see note):		
$25,000	Series "F" due Sept. 1, 1955	18,500.00
1,000	Series "F" due Nov. 1, 1956	740.00
6,000	Series "F" due May 1, 1957	4,440.00
700	Series "F" due Oct. 1, 1957	518.00
1,200	Series "F" due Dec. 1, 1958	888.00
9,000	Series "F" due June 1, 1959	6,660.00
1,000	Series "F" due Oct. 1, 1959	740.00
1,375	Series "F" due Dec. 1, 1962	1,017.50
26,500	Series "G" 2½% due Oct. 1, 1954	26,500.00
11,000	Series "G" 2½% due Sept. 1, 1956	11,000.00
2,000	Alabama Power Co. 3½% due 1972	1,979.60
4,000	American Tel. & Tel. Co. 2¾% due 1975	3,742.81
1,000	Baltimore & Ohio RR Equip. Trust "CC" 3% due 1961	997.86
2,000	Baltimore & Ohio RR Equip. Trust "FF" 3⅛ due 1967	1,883.26
2,000	Detroit Edison Co. 3% due 1970	1,936.60
2,000	Great Northern Rwy. Equip. Trust "M" 2⅞% due 1960	2,002.99
2,000	Southern California Edison Co. 3% due 1965	2,033.70
2,000	Southern Pacific Rwy. 1st Mgt. 2¾% due 1961	1,913.27
		$91,873.55

Note: Redemption value of USA bonds at Dec. 31, 1953 was in excess of book value (cost) by $6,286.90.

BEMIS LECTURE FUND

Cash Account

Cash balance at January 1, 1953				$579.43
Interest income received in 1953				908.62
				$1,488.05
Payments per order Bemis Lecture Fund Trustees:				
Jan.	23	Lady Molly Huggins	$200.00	
Feb.	13	Dr. Johh Nicholls Booth	75.00	
March	6	Folktale Puppet Studio	100.00	
March	13	Max Gene Nohl	125.00	
Oct.	23	Gustav Grahn	125.00	
Nov.	20	Ivan Sanderson	150.00	
			$775.00	
Printing and postage			180.39	
Janitor service at lectures			19.80	
Safe deposit box rental			3.00	978.19
Cash balance at December 31, 1953				$509.86

Cash and Securities at December 31, 1953

Cash on deposit		$ 509.86
Middlesex Institution for Savings		28.04
U. S. A. bonds, at cost:		
$11,000	Series "G" 2½% due April 1, 1956	11,000.00
3,000	Series "G" 2½% due April 1, 1957	3,000.00
4,800	Series "G" 2½% due May 1, 1957	4,800.00
1,000	Series "G" 2½% due Nov. 1, 1959	1,000.00
$3,000	Atchison Topeka & Santa Fe Gen'l 4% 1995	3,000.00
3,000	Louisville & Nashville RR, A K & C Div. 4% due 1955	3,000.00
3,000	New England Power Co. 3¼% due 1961	3,000.00
1,000	Southern California Edison Co. 3% due 1965	1,000.00
2,000	Southern Pacific RR Equip. Trust "Q" 2¼% due 1954	1,981.29
		$32,319.19
Accumulated income		$ 497.86
Principal		31,821.33
		$32,319.19

DONALD GORDON RECREATION FUND

Cash Account

Cash balance at January 1, 1953		$ 152.29
Income received in 1953:		
Savings bank interest	$ 5.64	
U. S. A. Series "G" bond interest	75.00	
Other bond interest	60.00	140.64
		$ 292.93
Payments per order of Trust Fund Commissioners:		
July 4 celebration—23rd Infantry Band	$225.00	
July 4 celebration—badges and prices	25.50	250.50
		42.43
Savings bank interest allowed to accumulate		5.64
Cash on hand at December 31, 1953		$ 36.79

Cash and Securities at December 31, 1953

Cash on deposit	$ 36.79
Middlesex Institution for Savings	230.33
$3,000 U. S. A. Series "G" 2½% due Jan. 1, 1955	3,000.00
1,000 Baltimore & Ohio RR Equip. Trust "CC" 3% due 1961	997.86
1,000 Southern California Edison Co. 3% due 1965	1,000.00
Accumulated income at December 31, 1953	$ 70.23
Principal	5,194.75
	$5,264.98

LINCOLN LIBRARY TRUST FUNDS

Cash Account

Cash balance at January 1, 1953		$ 611.02
Income received in 1953:		
Julia A. Bemis Fund	$ 18.11	
Elizabeth and Leland Burr Fund	1.81	
Codman Fund	11.96	
Robert L. DeNormandie Fund	3.22	
Hugh Anthony Gaskill Fund	6.32	
Hattie Hoar Howard Fund	2.60	
David W. Mann Fund	1.39	
John H. Pierce Fund	27.87	
George Russell Fund	11.00	
Abbie J. Stearns Fund	49.63	
Abbie J. Stearns Special Fund	52.05	
George G. Tarbell Fund	78.65	
Constance Taylor Fund	1.00	
C. Edgar and Elizabeth S. Wheeler Fund	32.73	
General Library Funds	5.58	303.92
Donations to establish new Library Trust Funds:		
Constance Taylor Fund		73.00
Robert L. DeNormandie Fund		352.00
Withdrawn from savings banks:		
Julia A. Bemis Fund		36.61
Codman Fund		3.98
Hattie Hoar Howard Fund		103.61
David W. Mann Fund		55.80
General Library Funds		203.00
		$1,742.94
Paid per order of Library Trustees:		
Part of cost of new furnace installation, from:		
David W. Manh Fund	$ 57.19	
Hattie Hoar Howard Fund	106.21	
General Library Funds	208.58	
Codman Fund (from accumulated income)	74.02	
	$ 446.00	

To Town of Lincoln, for purchase of Library books	400.00	
Book of the Month Club, Inc.	25.00	
Safe deposit box rent	3.00	
Savings bank interest allowed to accumulate	78.04	
Constance Taylor and Robert L. DeNormandie funds deposited in savings banks	425.00	
Edith B. Farrar, Librarian, income from John H. Pierce Fund	27.87	1,404.91
Cash balance at December 31, 1953		$338.03

Cash and Securities at December 31, 1953

	Accumulated Income on Deposit	Principle	Total
Julia A. Bemis Fund:			
Middlesex Institution for Savings		$684.05	$684.05
Elizabeth and Leland Burr Fund:			
Middlesex Institution for Savings	$4.34	70.00	74.34
Codman Fund:			
U.S.A. Series "G" 2½% due June 1, 1955		400.00	400.00
Middlesex Institution for Savings		74.59	74.59
		$ 474.59	$ 474.59
Robert L. DeNormandie Fund:			
Warren Institution for Savings	3.22	352.00	355.22
Hugh Anthony Gaskill Fund:			
Middlesex Institution for Savings		158.89	158.89
John H. Pierce Fund:			
U.S.A. Series "G" 2½% due Jan. 1, 1955		1,000.00	1,000.00
Middlesex Institution for Savings		114.57	114.57
		$ 1,114.57	$1,114.57

George Russell Fund:			
Middlesex Institution for Savings	33.24	415.74	448.98
Abbie J. Stearns Fund:			
U.S.A. Series "G" 2½% due Jan. 1, 1955		1,000.00	1,000.00
Middlesex Institution for Savings	74.41	930.00	1,004.41
		$ 1,930.00	$2,004.41
Abbie J. Stearns Special Fund:			
Middlesex Institution for Savings		1,301.03	1,301.03
George G. Tarbell Fund:			
U.S.A. Series "G" 2½% due Jan. 1, 1955		3,000.00	3,000.00
Middlesex Institution for Savings	11.04	138.38	149.42
		$ 3,138.38	$3,149.42
Constance Taylor Fund:			
Warren Institution for Savings	1.00	73.00	74.00
C. Edgar and Elizabeth S. Wheeler Fund:			
Middlesex Institution for Savings	98.86	1,235.46	1,334.32
	$226.11	$10,947.71	$11,173.82
Accumulated income on hand in First National Bank of Boston	338.03	.....	338.03
	$564.14	$10,947.71	$11,511.85

deCordova and Dana Museum and Park

Financial Report for the Year 1953

At the beginning of 1953 the Directors had on hand			$21,975.49
During the year 1953, Receipts and Expenditures were as follows:			
	Received	Expended	
Income from deCordova trusts	$38,396.80	.....	
Interest on Savings Banks Deposits	483.40	.....	
Memberships of Associates	2,630.20	.....	
Contributions of Visitors	407.90	.....	
Sale of Property (chiefly firewood)	168.00	.....	
Museum Services	109.35	.....	
School, 1953:			
Adults, tuition and costs	6,383.97	6,986.39	
Children, materials fee and costs	4,494.35	6,910.21	
Tuition for 1954, held for use in 1954	1,420.00	.....	
Concert, film, lecture admissions, costs	2,054.70	1,405.86	
Salaries and wages	.....	21,517.91	
Office Expenses, supplies and Maintenance	.....	2,976.44	
Utilities	.....	3,610.40	
Insurance, taxes other financial	.....	4,769.52	
Caretaker's Cottage	.....	550.22	
Publicity	.....	1,805.97	
Museum exhibits, other special events	194.00	1,734.14	
Outdoor Maintenance	.....	441.81	
Cost of items held for sale	.....	691.11	
Equipment and improvements	.....	2,750.19	
Subscriptions and memberships	.....	191.11	
Total of receipts and expenditures	56,742.67	56,341.30	
Excess of receipts, 1953			401.37
Therefore at the end of 1953, the Directors had on hand			22,376.86

deCordova and Dana Museum and Park

TREASURER'S REPORT 1953

Last year's report indicates that $8,931.91 was made during the year. That figure requires some explanation.

Knowing that in the third quarter of 1953 the Museum would have to begin paying off its indebtedness of $45,000.00 borrowed from principle to complete the alterations and that from now until 1965 a payment of $3,755.08 a year will be paid out of trust income to repay this loan, the Board of Directors set aside money to cover any unforseen major financial expenditures. They voted $2,100.00 to purchase funds and $3,000.00 to a depreciation fund. The unexpended balance of approximately $3,800.00 in 1952 compares with a net balance of approximately $400.00 for the year 1953. Because of this debt repayment and increased operating expenditures, no money could be appropriated to either fund this year.

Since the trust income is fixed, it becomes apparent that with the increased use of the museum and enlarged program, money must be raised if the museum is to continue to expand its services.

Finance Committee

Recommended Budget for 1954

The Finance Committee recommends that the Town appropriate for general purposes the several separately numbered items detailed in the list attached hereto aggregating $393,915.76 plus the sum of $8,000.00 for the Reserve Fund, making a total of $401,915.76.

This total sum compares with total expenditures of $356,812.42 in 1953 for similar general purposes which includes transfers from the Reserve Fund — an increase of $45,103.34, or 12.64 per cent.

The Committee also recommends for the Water Department appropriations aggregating $26,606.25, the same to be taken from Water Department treasury. Although this total includes $3,261.25 for debt service, the total water budget is $3,460.67 less than last year's expenditures.

The following is a summary of our 1954 recommendations for general purposes based on the major categories, with the approximate percentage that each bears of the total, together with the dollar increase over last year's expenditures for the same categories:—

Purpose	Recommendation	% of Total	Change from 1953 Expenditure	
General Government	$22,570.	5.73	+	$6,676.
Protection of Persons and Property	28,995.	7.37	+	156.
Health and Sanitation	3,330.	0.85	+	292.
Highways	41,278.	10.48	+	746.
Aid to Citizens	19,750.	5.02	−	122.
Schools	203,483.	51.66	+	27,969.
Town Debt (Schools)	41,995.	10.66	−	577.
Library	6,810.	1.73	+	709.
Recreation	2,183.	0.55	−	63.

Cemetery	2,750.	0.70	+	191.
Unclassified	12,635.	3.22	−	786.
Town Debt (other than schools)	8,111.	2.03	+	3,258.
Total	$393,915.	100%		37,103.
Added for Reserve Fund	8,000.			
Total Recommended including Reserve	$401,915.			

The increase requested for the Reserve Fund does not reflect any contemplated increase in expenditures, but is for the purpose of providing a more satisfactory insurance against the unforseen requirements that may arise from the $393,915. budget.

The increase in General Government reflects a full year's charge for added personnel to assist the Selectmen in handling the increased responsibilities.

None of the remaining general purpose categories, except schools, shows an increase of more than $750.

The total transfers from the Reserve Fund during the year were $3,844.60, which were used for the following purposes:

Elm tree removal	$1,637.38
Fire Department	1,367.13
Interest on bonds	432.67
Ballfield and Playground	203.53
Town House	101.88
Highways	69.01
Treasurer	33.00
	$3,844.60

Unexpended appropriations which accrued to surplus aggregated $30,297.86, of which $21,503.97 came from School account. The unexpended appropriations which carry over for future expenditure without reappropriation amounted to $14,580.12, as shown by the Treasurer's Report.

We recommend the use of $37,000. from free cash for all bond retirements in 1954, except for Water Works, and that the appropriation from the Reserve Fund and the State and County Share of Chapter 90 Maintenance also be taken therefrom.

Assuming that the 1954 valuation list of the Town is $5,700,000 ($200,000 over 1953), each $5,700 appropriated at the coming meeting will have an effect of about $1 in the tax rate. Its impact may be postponed by resort to borrowing or may be partially offset by State and Federal reimbursements.

Substantial capital outlays in all phases of the Town's operation are in prospect. It is felt, therefore, that an orderly study and programming of long-term overall requirements for capital expenditures has become essential for a reasonable approach to this problem.

In our opinion the recommended appropriations are entirely adequate for carrying on the regular business of the Town for the year 1954.

Respectfully submitted,

F. WINCHESTER DENIO, Chairman
THOMAS L. ROUNER, Secretary
PAUL L. NORTON
WILLIAM N. PAGE
CHARLES K. FITTS

February 1, 1954.

SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF 1953 AND RECOMMENDATIONS FOR 1954

	Expenditures 1953		Recommendations 1954	
GENERAL GOVERNMENT				
Selectmen				
1. Selectmen	$ 600.00		$ 600.00	
2. Administrative Assistant	2,073.68		5,800.00	
3. Clerks	2,236.01		2,000.00	
4. Supplies and Miscellaneous	572.07		1,037.00	
		$ 5,481.76		$9,437.00
Treasurer				
5. Salaries	400.00		400.00	
6. Clerical	257.83		500.00	
7. Supplies and Miscellaneous	321.00		288.00	
		978.83		1,188.00
Collector				
8. Salary	1,800.00		1,800.00	
9. Supplies and Miscellaneous	630.00		400.00	
		2,430.00		2,200.00
Town Clerk				
10. Salary	300.00		350.00	
11. Supplies and Miscellaneous	46.16		50.00	
		346.16		400.00

SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF 1953 AND RECOMMENDATIONS FOR 1954

	Expenditures 1953		Recommendations 1954	
Assessors				
12. Salaries	550.00		550.00	
13. Clerical	307.67		1,000.00	
14. Supplies and Miscellaneous	325.53		375.00	
		1,183.20		1,925.00
Auditor				
15. Salary		50.00		50.00
Legal				
16. Counsel		1,667.74		500.00
Election and Registration				
17. Salaries	242.00		450.00	
18. Supplies and Miscellaneous	246.91		425.00	
		488.91		875.00
Town House				
19. Janitor	2,517.50		2,600.00	
20. Fuel	765.81		800.00	
21. Repairs and Maintenance	808.33		1,200.00	
22. Supplies and Miscellaneous	725.74		985.00	
		4,817.38		5,585.00

Planning Board				
23. Clerical	.....		150.00	
24. Supplies and Miscellaneous	514.24		250.00	
		514.24		400.00
Finance Committee				
25. Dues	10.00	10.00		10.00
TOTAL FOR GENERAL GOVERNMENT		$17,968.22		$22,570.00
PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY				
Police				
26. Salaries	10,115.00		10,800.00	
27. Supplies and Miscellaneous	2,562.02		2,900.00	
28. Car	593.30		.....	
		13,270.32		13,700.00
Fire Department				
29. Salaries	300.00		300.00	
30. Labor at Fires	4,405.75		3,500.00	
31. Operation, Supplies and Equipment	3,286.38		3,270.00	
		7,992.13		7,070.00
Tree and Moth Department				
32. Salary	.....		200.00	
33. Insect Control	1,999.90		2,300.00	

SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF 1953 AND RECOMMENDATIONS FOR 1954

	Expenditures 1953		Recommendations 1954	
34. Poison Ivy Control	498.45		600.00	
35. Dutch Elm Disease Control	1,698.53		1,200.00	
36. Brush Control	500.00		500.00	
37. Elm Tree Removal	1,637.38		1,500.00	
		6,334.26		6,300.00
Board of Appeals				
38. Clerical	52.00		250.00	
39. Supplies and Miscellaneous	202.05		250.00	
		254.05		500.00
Inspectors of Building, Plumbing and Wiring				
40. Salaries and Transportation		591.23		800.00
Civil Defense				
41. Telephone Rental	313.60		350.00	
42. Supplies and Miscellaneous	83.41		300.00	
		397.01		650.00
TOTAL FOR PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY		28,839.00		29,020.00
HEALTH AND SANITATION				
Board of Health				
43. Salaries of Nurses	2,315.00		2,340.00*	
44. Supplies and Miscellaneous	724.41		890.00	
		3,039.41		3,230.00

Inspector of Animals				
45. Salary		100.00		100.00
TOTAL FOR HEALTH AND SANITATION		3,139.41		3,330.00
* $560 additional to be paid by School Dept.				
HIGHWAYS				
46. Chapter 90 Maintenance		2,997.85		*4,500.00
* State and County share of $3,000 to be taken from Free Cash and returned to Free Cash when received.				
General Highways				
47. Wages	14,962.09		14,500.00	
48. Machinery, Repairs and Maintenance	5,369.01		5,000.00	
49. Supplies and Miscellaneous	11,844.98		11,200.00	
50 Street Lights	5,840.82	38,016.90	6,078.06	36,778.06
TOTAL FOR HIGHWAYS		41,014.75		41,278.06
AID TO CITIZENS				
51. Public Welfare	19,132.07		18,500.00	
52. Public Welfare Adm.	728.59		750.00	
53. Veterans' Aid	12.00		500.00	
		19,872.66		19,750.00
TOTAL AID TO CITIZENS		19,872.66		19,750.00

SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF 1953 AND RECOMMENDATIONS FOR 1954

	Expenditures 1953		Recommendations 1954	
EDUCATION				
Schools				
54. General Control	13,234.16		14,792.00	
54a. Out of State Travel			178.00	
55. Instruction	85,842.66		99,199.00	
56. Operation	17,074.91		20,409.00	
57. Maintenance	3,965.87		3,940.00	
58. Auxiliary Agencies	52,504.13		61,649.00	
59. Vocational	585.53		1,330.00	
60. New Equipment	1,016.77		1,986.00	
		174,224.03		203,483.00
Library				
61. Salaries	4,211.88			
62. Books	1,116.43		4,300.00	
63. Supplies and Miscellaneous	545.96		1,375.00	
64. Repairs	227.50		907.00	
			228.00	
		6,101.77		*6,810.00
TOTAL FOR EDUCATION		180,325.80		210,293.00

* $500 to be taken from Free Cash and returned to Free Cash when received from Library Trustees, and $650 from Dog Tax.

RECREATION				
65. Salaries and Wages	1,528.95		1,400.00	
66. Supplies and Miscellaneous	717.58		783.00	
		2,246.53		2,183.00
TOTAL FOR RECREATION		2,246.53		2,183.00
CEMETERY				
67. Salaries			150.00	
68. Labor, Maintenance and Interments	2,526.80		2,500.00	
69. Supplies and Miscellaneous	32.48		100.00	
		2,559.28		2,750.00
TOTAL FOR CEMETERY		2,559.28		2,750.00
UNCLASSIFIED				
70. Middlesex County Pension Fund	2,009.80		2,165.45	
71. Town Reports	1,505.15		1,200.00	
72. Rent of Dump	375.00		375.00	
73. Insurance	6,336.65		5,700.00	
74. Rent of Hydrants	3,195.00		3,195.00	
TOTAL FOR UNCLASSIFIED		13,421.60		12,635.45

SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF 1953 AND RECOMMENDATIONS FOR 1954

	Expenditures 1953		Recommendations 1954	
TOWN DEBT SERVICE				
75. School Building Bonds	33,000.00		33,000.00	
75a. Interest on School Bonds	9,572.50		8,995.00	
76. Highway Equipment Building Bonds	4,000.00		4,000.00	
76a. Interest on Highway Building Bonds	420.00		350.00	
77. Water Works Bonds			3,000.00*	
77a. Interest on Water Works Bonds			261.25*	
78. Interest on Tax Notes	432.67		500.00	
		47,425.17		50,106.25
TOTAL FOR TOWN DEBT SERVICE		47,425.17		50,106.25

* To be taken from Water Works Treasury.

RESERVE FUND			
79. Reserve Fund (1953 transfers)		3,844.60	*8,000.00

* To be taken from Free Cash and any balance returned thereto.

TOTAL 1953 EXPENDITURES	356,812.42	
TOTAL RECOMMENDATIONS FOR 1954		401,915.76

WATER WORKS (from Water Works Treasury)				
80.	Salary and Wages		11,325.00	
81.	Supplies, Maintenance and Rentals		8,050.00	
82.	Meters, Operating Expense and Miscellaneous		3,970.00	
83.	Bond Service		3,261.25	
		30,066.92		26,606.25
TOTAL FOR WATER WORKS		30,066.92		26,606.25

Warrant for 1954

NOTICE

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Lincoln in said County:

GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Town of Lincoln qualified to vote in Town Meeting for the Transaction of Town affairs, to meet in the Town House in said Lincoln, on Monday the first day of March next at 7:30 o'clock P.M. then and there to act on the following articles except Article 1 and also to meet in said Town House on Saturday, the sixth day of March next, at 12 o'clock Noon, then and there to act on the following Article 1, by posting a copy of this Warrant, by you attested in each of the Post Offices, and in some other public place in said Town seven days at least before the first day of March next.

The polls for voting the Australian ballot on Saturday, March sixth will be open at 12 o'clock Noon, and may be closed at 7 o'clock P.M.

Article 1. To bring in their votes for the following Town Officers and any other officers required by law, to be elected by Australian Ballot viz:

One Moderator for three years.

One Town Clerk for one year.

One member of the Board of Selectmen for three years.

One member of the Board of Assessors for three years.

One Treasurer for one year.

One Auditor for one year.

One member of the School Committee for three years.

One member of the Board of Water Commissioners for three years.

One member of the Board of Health for three years.

One Tree Warden for one year.

One member of the Trust Fund Commissioners for three years.

One member of the Trustees of the Bemis Fund for Free Public Lectures for three years.

One member of the Board of Cemetery Commissioners for three years.

One member of the Planning Board for five years.

One Director for the deCordova and Dana Museum and Park for four years.

and also the following questions:

Shall the Town accept the provisions of Chapter 402 of the Acts of 1952, being **"An Act restricting the use of lands abutting the highway known as Route 2 in the Towns of Lincoln and Concord",?** as follows:

Section 1. For the purpose of promoting the health, safety, convenience and welfare of the inhabitants of the commonwealth, the use of the land in the towns of Lincoln and Concord abutting the highway now known as Route 2, and extending back for two hundred feet from either side line of said highway, is hereby restricted to such uses as are lawfully permitted therein under the

respective zoning by-laws of said towns in effect immediately prior to the effective date of this act, such uses, however, to be subject to the restrictions of said by-laws. The restrictions in such by-laws in respect to the area of lots, frontage, the height and bulk of buildings, the set-back from the way fronted upon, and the width of side yards, and rear yards in force immediately prior to the effective date of this act, so far as applicable to the land to which this act relates, shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 2. This act shall become effective upon its acceptance at annual town elections held in the towns of Lincoln and Concord prior to April thirtieth, nineteen hundred and fifty-four.

> Shall the Town accept the provisions of sections sixteen to sixteen I, inclusive, of chapter seventy-one of the General Laws, providing for the establishment of a regional school district, together with the town of Sudbury and the construction, maintenance and operation of a regional school by the said district in accordance with the provisions of a proposed agreement filed with the selectmen?

Article 2. To bring in their votes for any committees, commissioners, trustees, and other officers, required by law to be elected by ballot or otherwise.

Selectmen

Article 3. To hear and act upon the reports of Town Officers, Committees, Commissioners and Trustees.

Selectmen

Article 4. To fix the salaries and compensation of the several elective officers of the Town and to determine whether any Department, Board or Committee shall be authorized to employ for additional compensation any of its members and to fix additional compensation of such members.

Selectmen

Article 5. To raise and appropriate money for the necessary and expedient purposes of the Town and enact anything in relation to the same.

Selectmen

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1954, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Selectmen

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to conduct services on Memorial Day, the thirtieth of May, appoint a committee, raise and appropriate money, or take any other action relative thereto.

Selectmen

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $974.30 to pay the following unpaid 1953 bills:

Water Department	$276.00
School Department	323.55
Legal	374.75

Treasurer

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate additional funds for the use of the Bi-centennial Committee, or take any other action relative thereto.

Selectmen

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to purchase the following town vehicles to replace existing equipment: Police car, Highway truck, Water Department truck, or take any other action relative thereto.

Selectmen

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a motor driven street sweeper or take any other action relative thereto.

Selectmen

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the installation of new alarm equipment for the use of the Fire Department or take any other action relative thereto.

Selectmen

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to discontinue as a public highway that portion of the Old Bedford Road, beginning at the Bedford-Lincoln town line and extending in a southwesterly direction for a distance of about 2,100 feet to a point where said Old Bedford Road intersects with the substitute way constructed by the Federal Government, or take any other action relative thereto.

Selectmen

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Moderator to appoint a committee of five to investigate and study the effect on the Town of the development of Lawrence G. Hanscombe Field (Bedford Airport) and other facilities or operations related thereto; to report thereon with recommendations to the Selectmen and with the approval of the Selectmen, to take such action with reference thereto as the committee may determine to be in the interest of the Town including, but not limited to, representing the Town at hearings of legislative bodies or governmental agencies; to raise and appropriate the sum of five hundred dollars ($500) for the use of said committee, or take any other action relative thereto.

By Petition.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law by amending Section 11, Paragraph (d) as follows:

Change the period to a comma and add the following: "and shall also hear and decide requests for special permits to issue, subject to conditions and safeguards imposed by the Board of Appeals, for temporary structures and uses which do not conform to the regulations herein prescribed, provided that no such permit shall be for longer than a three year period."

or take any other action relative thereto.

By Petition.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars ($1,000.00) for use in mosquito control; the appropriation to be expended to re-open mosquito control as provided for in Chapter 252 of the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, or take any other action relative thereto.

By Petition.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to change the name of the street extending from Lexington Road to North Great Road, from Mill Street to Old Mill Road.

By Petition.

Articl 18. To see if the Town will vote to acquire by purchase, gift, eminent domain or any other way, a parcel of land located on Bedford Road, south west of the intersection of route 2 and Bedford Road, containing 22,000 square feet more or less, raise and appropriate a sum of money therefor or take any action relative thereto.

Selectmen

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,000 to be used by a Committee appointed by the Moderator to study further the building needs of the Lincoln Schools, or take any other action relative thereto.

School Committee

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Fifteen Thousand Dollars ($15,000), or any other sum, for the use of the Regional District School Committee in the event that a Regional School District is established with the Town of Sudbury by vote of the Town of Sudbury and by vote of this Town on the related question in Article I of this Warrant; such sum to be made available to said Regional District School Committee, if and when created, only after a budget of such Committee has been approved by the Finance Committee and Selectmen of this Town and the Town of Sudbury, in accordance with provisions of a proposed agreement filed with the Selectmen, or take any other action relative thereto.

School Committee

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to repeal the present Town By-Laws except the Zoning By-Law and the Building Code By-Law and adopt new **"General By-Laws** of the **Town of Lincoln"** as follows:

"GENERAL BY-LAWS
OF THE TOWN OF LINCOLN"
AS REVISED AND ADOPTED MARCH 1, 1954

ARTICLE I

TOWN MEETINGS

SECTION 1.

The Annual Town Meeting shall be held on the first Monday after the fifteenth day of March in each year at 7:30 P.M., for the transaction of all business except that the election of such officers and the determination of such matters as by law are required to be elected or determined by ballot shall take place on the following Saturday, when the polls shall be open from 12 M. until 7 P.M. or to such later time up to 8 P.M. as the Town may by vote determine.

SECTION 2.

Every Town Meeting shall be called in pursuance of a warrant under the hands of the Selectmen or a majority of them stating the time and place of holding the same and the subjects to be acted upon, notice of which shall be given at least seven days before such meeting by a constable or other person to whom it is directed, who shall attest and post copies thereof in or on three or more buildings belonging to the Town or any three public places in the Town and make his return of service thereof to the Selectmen.

SECTION 3.

In connection with the call of any special meeting, the Selectmen shall send by mail or otherwise to each household within the Town, at least seven days before the time appointed for such meeting, a notice of the time and place for the holding thereof and a general statement as to the subjects to be considered thereat but no failure to receive such notice shall invalidate any action taken at a meeting held pursuant to the call prescribed by section 2 of this article.

SECTION 4.

Admission to the place of meeting or to a defined portion set aside for the holding thereof shall be open only to voters whose names appear on the check list which shall be used in the enforcement of this section. The Moderator shall enforce this section throughout each meeting.

SECTION 5.

All votes shall be taken in the first instance by voice vote unless otherwise provided by law. If the Moderator is in doubt as to the result of such voice vote, or if seven or more registered voters immediately question the announced result thereof, the Moderator shall call for another vote to be taken, as he may decide, by standing vote, or by a division of the meeting, by the use of the check list or by ballot.

SECTION 6.

When a question is before the Meeting, the following motions, to wit:

To fix the time to which to adjourn,
To lay on the table,
For the previous question, by 2/3 vote,
To postpone to a time certain,
To commit, recommit or refer,
To amend,
To postpone indefinitely,

shall be received and shall have precedence in the foregoing order; and the first three shall be decided without debate.

SECTION 7.

On proposed amendments involving sums of money, the larger or largest amount shall be put to the question first, and an affirmative vote thereon shall be a negative vote on any smaller amount.

SECTION 8.

When a report of a committee is placed in the hands of the Moderator, it shall be deemed to be properly before the meeting for its action thereon, and a vote to accept the same shall discharge the committee; for the adoption of the recommendations of the committee, however, a specific vote shall be required.

ARTICLE II

FINANCES

SECTION 1.

The Town Treasurer shall have the custody of all funds belonging to the Town, including trust funds, except funds for which other provision is made by law. He shall pay no money from the treasury except upon a warrant signed by a majority of the Selectmen, stating the account to which the same is chargeable. Such warrant shall be sufficient authority to the Treasurer to pay

the same, and the payment thereof shall discharge him from all liability on account of the money so paid.

SECTION 2.

The Water Commissioners and all other boards, committees and officers shall pay to the Town Treasurer on the first of each month, or at such earlier date or shorter interval as the By-Laws provide or as the Selectmen or the Treasurer may order, all sums collected by them to the custody of which the Treasurer is entitled.

SECTION 3.

All accounts, claims, bills, orders and payrolls growing out of an appropriation authorizing such commitment and expenditure by the Water Commissioners, by the School Committee, or by any committee, board, officer or other person, shall upon examination thereof and approval in writing by a majority of such commissioners, committee or board or by the officer or person having charge of its expenditure, be transmitted to the Selectmen for their examination and approval.

SECTION 4.

All items approved and transmitted to the Selectmen pursuant to the foregoing section 3, of this article, and all other accounts, claims, bills, orders and payrolls shall be examined by the Selectmen, and, if within the appropriation therefor and otherwise proper, shall be listed with the dates, amounts, payees and funds or appropriations from which the same are payable and be transferred to the Treasurer for payment as directed by their warrants therefor.

SECTION 5.

No money except State and County taxes and principal and interest of Town notes or bonds shall be paid from the Town treasury except upon a warrant therefor signed by a majority of the Selectmen.

SECTION 6.

The Treasurer shall file and safely keep all receipts, vouchers and cancelled obligations of the Town and shall have the custody of all deeds, contracts, insurance policies and other similar documents owned or held by the Town, and, except for fidelity bonds covering Town officers and employees, which shall be filed with the Selectmen, shall have custody of all bonds which run to the Town or any of its commissioners, committees or officers.

SECTION 7.

The Selectmen shall keep an appropriate record of the several appropriations voted by the Town, of the warrants for payments issued by them under each, and of the warrants paid; a similar record of appropriations and approved warrants paid under each shall be kept by the Treasurer. The Selectmen shall not issue any warrant for payment nor shall the Treasurer make any payment which overdraws any appropriation except in such cases as the expenditure is permitted or required by law. The Selectmen and Treasurer respectively shall keep a record of all bonds, notes, script or other evidences of indebtedness signed or countersigned by them.

SECTION 8.

When the bills contracted or approved by any board, committee or officer, pursuant to a given appropriation, have exhausted the entire appropriation therefor, such board, committee or officer, shall incur no further expenditure thereunder except in such cases where such expenditure may be required or permitted by law; and it shall be the duty of each board, committee or officer before the close of the financial year to approve all accounts, claims, bills and payrolls chargeable to their appropriation.

SECTION 9.

There shall be a Finance Committee composed of five voters of the Town who shall serve without pay and shall not, while serving on said committee, hold any other

Town office, either elective or appointive. The Moderator shall, within thirty days after the adjournment of every Annual Town Meeting, appoint for a term of three years either two persons or one person as may be necessary to provide a committee of five members. The members of the Committee shall hold office until their successors are appointed and qualified, and any vacancy shall be filled by the remaining members of the Committee and the Moderator. The Committee shall choose a chairman and a secretary and shall prior to the Annual Town Meeting confer with the Selectmen and report on the annual budget, and may hold public hearings. The Committee shall consider all questions that require the expenditures of money and, to the extent they deem desirable, shall consult with all boards, committees or officers on their respective annual or special requests for appropriations. The Committee shall make reports and recommendations in the Annual Town Report or by special report on any question brought before the Town at a Town Meeting other than the Annual Town Meeting.

SECTION 10.

As soon as may be but in any event within the week following the dissolution or adjournment without day of any Town Meeting, the Town Clerk shall transmit to the Selectmen, to the Town Treasurer, to the Auditor and to the Assessors respectively, a certified copy of all votes appropriating money or authorizing the expenditure of money or otherwise affecting the finances of the Town, and within the same period the Town Clerk shall transmit to all other Town officers or committees a certified copy of any vote of the Town affecting their respective powers or duties.

SECTION 11.

There shall be an annual audit of the Town's accounts under the supervision of the Director of Accounts of the Department of Corporations and Taxation in accordance with the provisions of Section 35, Chapter 44, General Laws.

ARTICLE III

TOWN SEAL

SECTION 1.

The design of the Town seal shall be: a circle, in the border the words "Lincoln. Incorporated in 1746 as a precinct; in 1754 as a Town"; in the center, a shield, in the chief or upper part of which on a cross, gules, a fleur-de-lis, gold, from the old seal of Lincoln, England, and in the base of the shield a view of the present Town Hall; crest, the old chestnut tree standing upon the common in Lincoln; in saltire two shepherd's crooks; the device thereof being as follows:

SECTION 2.

All deeds and other legal documents made, given or entered into by the Town requiring a seal shall be sealed with the Town Seal, and signed in behalf of the Town by a majority of the Selectmen.

SECTION 3.

The Town Clerk shall have the custody of the Town Seal.

ARTICLE IV

POWERS AND DUTIES OF OFFICERS

SECTION 1.

The Selectmen shall have general direction and management of the property and affairs of the Town in all matters not otherwise provided by the law of the Commonwealth or by the By-Laws of the Town.

SECTION 2.

The Selectmen may compromise claims and suits to which the Town is a party, provided that they shall act upon the advice of counsel when the amount claimed by or against the Town exceeds $200.00.

SECTION 3.

The Selectmen shall have, unless it is otherwise voted by the Town, full authority as agents of the Town to institute and prosecute suits or other proceedings in the name of the Town before any tribunal, to appear and represent or defend the Town before any tribunal in all suits and other proceedings against the Town or in which the Town has an interest, to employ counsel for the purpose aforesaid, and for other purposes when it may be expedient to do so, and to take all necessary and proper measures for the protection of the interests and rights of the Town.

SECTION 4.

If the Town shall, at any meeting called for the purpose, choose a committee on claims, such committee shall have and exercise exclusively all the powers and duties conferred upon the Selectmen by the two preceding sections.

SECTION 5.

The Town Clerk shall keep a file of all Town reports, reports of all committees chosen by the Town, and all original documents relating to the affairs of the Town which may come into his possession. It shall be the duty of the Town Clerk to see that all conveyances of real estate to the Town are properly recorded in the Registry of Deeds.

SECTION 6.

No officer or board of the Town shall make any contract on behalf of the Town in which such officer or any member of such board is directly or indirectly financially interested, except competitive contracts.

SECTION 7.

The Commissioners of Trust Funds shall act as the Grammar School Fund Trustees.

SECTION 8.

No Town officer, board, department or committee having the matter in charge shall (1) execute any contract involving an estimated expenditure of $1,000 or more for labor, equipment, materials or supplies, or any combination of same, or (2) otherwise purchase from a single supplier at one time any property having an estimated aggregate value of $1,000 or more, without either inviting proposals therefor from two or more reliable parties regularly engaged in performing similar contracts and supplying similar requirements; or as an alternative to the foregoing procedure inviting proposals by public advertisement published in Middlesex or Suffolk County inviting bids therefor, reserving the right to reject any and all proposals. If the first method is used but no proposals are received, the second method shall be used. No contract nor bid shall be split, separated or divided, for the purpose of avoiding this By-Law, by reducing the amount below $1,000. This section shall not apply to purchase of materials in connection with work to be performed under Chapters 81 or 90 under specifications of, and at prices established by, the State Department of Public Works.

ARTICLE V

RECORDS

SECTION 1.

Books, records and laws received by the Town from the Commonwealth shall be deposited in the Public Library.

SECTION 2.

It shall be the duty of the Town officer by whom any book mentioned in the preceding section is received to

cause the same to be at once deposited in the Public Library.

SECTION 3.

Such books may be used by the inhabitants of the Town within the Library and may be taken therefrom upon written receipt to the Librarian for a period not exceeding four days at any one time for use in any Town meeting, or by or before any committee or official of the Town.

ARTICLE VI

REPORTS AND PUBLICATIONS BY THE TOWN

SECTION 1.

The annual reports of the Town officers, boards and committees shall be prepared and submitted to the Selectmen in form suitable for printing on or before the first day of February in each year.

SECTION 2.

The Selectmen shall cause to be printed an annual Town report which shall contain, in addition to the reports of officers, boards and committees, a detailed report for the next preceding financial year of all moneys received into and paid out of the Town treasury during such year, showing separately payments made from loans as capital outlays for permanent improvements; the report of the Collector of Taxes of receipts, payments and abatements; statements of all funds belonging to the Town or held for the benefit of its inhabitants; a statement of the liabilities of the Town, as of the year end, on bonds, notes, certificates of indebtedness or otherwise and of indebtedness authorized but not incurred and the purposes thereof; a copy of the records of Town meetings; a statement of all devises, bequests and donations to the Town; and such other matters as said report is required by law to contain or as may be inserted by the Selectmen, under the discretion granted to them by law.

SECTION 3.

The Selectmen shall cause the annual report to be distributed to each household in the Town ten days at least before the Annual Meeting.

SECTION 4.

The Selectmen shall from time to time cause to be printed copies of the General and other By-Laws of the Town, and of the Rules or Regulations adopted by any officer, board or committee and shall periodically publish a list of the laws of the Commonwealth applicable to the Town soley by virtue of the acceptance thereof by the Town, and such printing or publication may be separate or as part of an annual Town report.

ARTICLE VII

WATER DEPARTMENT

SECTION 1.

No extension of water mains which involves the expenditure of any funds of the Town shall be undertaken unless expressly authorized by a vote of the Town.

SECTION 2.

The Water Commissioners may appoint one or more Registrars who shall, as directed by the Commissioners, take and tabulate a complete census of all water fixtures connected with the Town Water System, read and record all service meters at such intervals as the Commissioners may direct, and perform any other duties required by the Commissioners.

SECTION 3.

The Water Commissioners shall regularly transmit the assessments for water rates to the Collector of Taxes, who shall collect the same and turn the proceeds over to the Town Treasurer weekly.

SECTION 4.

A charge of not less than two dollars shall be made whenever the Water Commissioners, or their representatives, at the request of a water taker turn on or shut off the water in any service pipe.

SECTION 5.

Water rates shall be payable to the Collector the first day of March and the first day of September in each year, or as the Water Commissioners may determine.

SECTION 6.

No tap for service shall be made unless approved by the Board of Water Commissioners, who may require the payment of a suitable fee before allowing the tap.

SECTION 7.

No alteration shall be made in any of the pipes or fixtures installed by the Town except by persons authorized by the Water Commissioners who shall also be allowed to enter the premises, examine the fixtures, read the meters and ascertain if there is any unnecessary waste.

SECTION 8.

If any person shall open a hydrant or remove the cover thereof or make any opening or connection with any pipe or turn on or off the water from any pipe (not upon his own premises) except in case of fire or by authority of the Water Commissioners, he shall be liable to a fine or not more than twenty dollars.

SECTION 9.

Upon the non-payment of water rates and charges within sixty days after their due date, said water rates and charges shall be a lien upon the real estate to which the connection with the Town Water System was made. Notwithstanding the authority to establish such lien, such overdue rates and charges may be collected through any legal means, including the shutting off of water,

which may be deemed advisable. Chapter 40 of the General Laws, as amended by Chapter 415 Acts of 1938, shall apply in all cases of non-payment of all water rates, charges, interest, etc.

SECTION 10.

The Board of Water Commissioners may make abatements in the water rates in such cases as the Commissioners may deem proper, and may temporarily shut off water from any street after giving notice of their intention so to do.

SECTION 11.

The Board of Water Commissioners shall keep suitable records in which shall be entered the names of all water-takers and the amounts charged, and these records shall be open to inspection.

SECTION 12.

The Water Commissioners may make such rules and regulations for the management and control of the business of the Water Department as they deem judicious, not inconsistent with the By-Laws of the Town or the laws of the Commonwealth.

ARTICLE VIII

MISCELLANEOUS

SECTION 1.

No person shall fire or discharge any firearms or explosives of any kind within the limits of any highway, park, or other public property, or on any private property except with the consent of the owner or legal occupant thereof, provided, however, that this by-law shall not apply to the lawful defense of life or property nor to any law enforcement officer acting in the performance of his duties. Any person violating this by-law shall be punished by a fine of not more than twenty dollars.

ARTICLE IX

SECTION 1.

These by-laws shall be known as **"General By-Laws of the Town of Lincoln"** and the Zoning By-Law and the former Article bearing the caption of Article IX shall not form a part hereof but shall be separately identified as the **"Zoning By-Law"** and as the **"Building Code By-Law".**

ARTICLE X

REPEAL

SECTION 1.

All by-laws or parts of by-laws heretofore in effect which are inconsistent with the provisions of the foregoing General By-Laws, except the Zoning By-Law and the Building Code By-Law are hereby repealed and annulled; but the provisions of the foregoing by-laws so far as they are the same as the provisions of by-laws heretofore adopted, shall be construed as in continuation of such provisions and not as new enactments.

SECTION 2.

The repeal of a by-law heretofore adopted shall not affect any act done, ratified or confirmed, or any right accrued or established, nor any action, suit or proceeding commenced or had, nor affect any punishment, penalty or forfeiture incurred under such by-law."

or take any action relative thereto.

By-Law Committee

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk, at or before the time for the meeting aforesaid. Given under our hands this 15th day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-four.

EDMUND W. GILES
HENRY DeC. WARD
JOHN O. WILSON
Selectmen of Lincoln

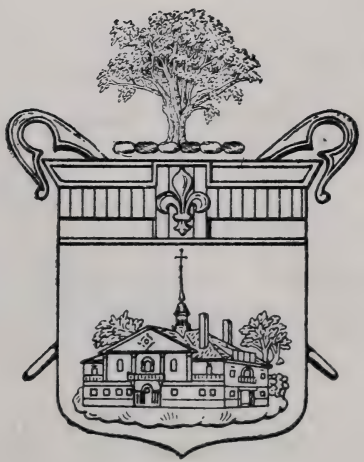
Report

of the Officers and Committees

of the

Town of Lincoln

FOR THE YEAR 1954



LINCOLN, MASSACHUSETTS.

Calendar

SELECTMEN -- Second and fourth Mondays of each month 8 P.M. at the Town House. Clearwater 9-8882.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE -- First Tuesday of each month 8 P.M. at the Charles Sumner Smith School. Clearwater 9-8333.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS -- First Wednesday of each month 8 P.M. at the Town House. Clearwater 9-8882.

WATER COMMISSIONERS -- Meetings by appointment, call Sumner Smith. Clearwater 9-8213.

BOARD OF HEALTH -- Meetings by appointment, call Dr. Gordon Donaldson. Clearwater 9-8192.

BOARD OF APPEALS -- Meetings by appointment, call Town House. Clearwater 9-8882.

PLANNING BOARD -- Second Wednesday of each month 8 P.M. Town House. Clearwater 9-8882.

Population -- 2,339 by 1950 census.

Town Area -- 8,572 acres.

1954 Tax Rate -- $48.00 per $1,000 valuation.

Annual Town Meeting -- First Monday in March after the fifteenth - March 21, 1955.

Annual Election of Town Officers - Saturday following Town Meeting -- March 26, 1955.

Qualifications for Registration - Twelve months continuous residence in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts prior to March 21, 1955, and six months continuous residence in the Town of Lincoln prior to March 21, 1955.

Town Office -- Open daily 9:00 A.M. to 4:30 P.M., Saturday 9:00 A.M to 12 noon. Closed Saturdays during June, July and August.

Town Dump -- Wednesdays 1:00 P.M. to 7:00 P.M. Saturdays 9:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M. Sundays 10:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.

(Telephone numbers indicated will be in effect May 1, 1955.)

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ELECTED TOWN OFFICERS

	Term Expires
MODERATOR	
Donald P. Donaldson	1955
TOWN CLERK	
William H. Davis	1955
SELECTMEN AND BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE	
John O. Wilson, Chairman	1955
Edmund W. Giles	1956
Henry DeC. Ward	1957
ASSESSORS	
George G. Tarbell, Jr., Chairman	1956
Arthur W. Rice	1957
G. Arnold Wiley	1955
TREASURER	
Frederick B. Taylor	1955
COLLECTOR OF TAXES	
William H. Davis	1956
AUDITOR	
Louis C. Farley, Jr.	1955
SCHOOL COMMITTEE	
John W. Carman, Chairman	1956
Elizabeth C. Donaldson	1957
Ernest P. Neumann	1955
WATER COMMISSIONERS	
Sumner Smith, Chairman	1956
Edward S. Taylor	1957
Henry Warner	1955
TREE WARDEN	
Daniel A. MacInnis, Jr.	1955
BOARD OF HEALTH	
Gordon A. Donaldson, Chairman	1955
Warren F. Flint	1956
Ellen DeN. Cannon	1957

CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS	Term Expires
George E. Cunningham, Chairman	1956
Robert D. Donaldson	1957
James B. Billings (Resigned)	1955
H. Arnold MacLean (Appointed)	1955

PLANNING BOARD	
Richard J. Eaton, Chairman	1956
Arthur T. Howard, Clerk	1957
Howard Snelling	1955
Everett A. Black	1958
Alan McClennen	1959

MEASURER OF WOOD AND BARK	
Clifford J. Bradley	1955
Joseph R. Tracey	1955

COMMISSIONERS OF TRUST FUNDS	
Clement C. Sawtell, Chairman	1955
William DeFord	1956
William T. King	1957

TRUSTEES OF BEMIS FUND FOR FREE PUBLIC LECTURES	
Christopher W. Hurd, Chairman	1955
Mabel H. Todd	1956
Leonard C. Larrabee	1957

TRUSTEES OF LINCOLN LIBRARY	
Roland C. MacKenzie, Chairman	
George G. Tarbell	
Alice G. Meriam	
John O. Wilson, Chairman Selectmen ex-officio	
John W. Carman, Chairman School Committee ex-officio	

deCORDOVA AND DANA MUSEUM AND PARK

A. Directors

John Q. Adams	1956
Charles H. Blake	1957
Elizabeth J. Snelling	1958
Jane K. Vance	1955

B. Directors

Richard S. Meriam - appointed by Library Trustees	1955
Arthur E. Thiessen - appointed by Selectmen	1957
Helen Wiley - appointed by School Committee	1956

OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES
APPOINTED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

	Term Expires
ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT	
Leslie M. Willard	1955
CLERK OF SELECTMEN AND PUBLIC WELFARE AGENT	
M. Elizabeth Causer	1955
SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS	
Clifford H. Bradley	1955
CHIEF OF POLICE	
Leo J. Algeo	1955
POLICE OFFICERS	
Lawrence P. Hallett	1955
James J. Diamond	1955
CONSTABLES	
Leo J. Algeo	1955
Lawrence P. Hallett	1955
John J. Kelliher	1955
George E. Cunningham	1955
DOG OFFICERS	
Leo J. Algeo	1955
Lawrence P. Hallett	1955
James J. Diamond	1955
SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES	
Orrin C. Wood	1955

SPECIAL POLICE

John T. Algeo	Harry B. Knowles, Jr.
Bob Bernson	Harry B. Knowles, 3rd
Robert H. Booth	Daniel A. MacInnis, Jr.
Floriy Campobasso	Karl F. Lahnstein
Joseph Campobasso	Edward D. Rooney
John Cook	Carl Smith
Joseph Cotoni	Francis J. Smith
Henry J. Davis	Sumner Smith
James DeNormandie	David Spooner
William Doherty	Henry Warner
Francis T. Gilbert	Leslie M. Willard
John Gilbert	Orrin C. Wood

	Term Expires
FIRE ENGINEERS	
Andrew J. Dougherty	1955
Frank W. Gordon	1955
William M. Dean	1955
FOREST WARDEN	
Andrew J. Dougherty	1955
DEPUTY FOREST WARDEN	
Frank W. Gordon	1955
MOTH SUPERINTENDENT	
Daniel A. MacInnis, Jr.	1955
PETROLEUM INSPECTOR	
Andrew J. Dougherty	1955
DIRECTOR OF CIVIL DEFENSE	
Eveleth R. Todd	1955
BUILDING INSPECTOR	
Walter Bergquist	1955
PLUMBING INSPECTOR	
Daniel J. Murphy	1955
WIRING INSPECTOR	
William Dean	1955
BOARD OF APPEALS	
Elliott V. Grabill, Chairman	1956
James DeNormandie (Resigned)	1955
Elmer H. Ziegler (Appointed)	1955
Henry B. Hoover	1958
John White	1957
Thomas B. Adams	1959
William Dean, Associate Member	1955
Hans Van Leer, Associate Member	1956
REGISTRARS OF VOTERS	
Manley B. Boyce	1955
Andrew J. Dougherty	1956
Henry J. Davis	1957
William H. Davis, Town Clerk ex-officio	1955

BUREAU OF OLD AGE ASSISTANCE	Term Expires
M. Elizabeth Causer	1955
Marian N. Ober	1955
John J. Kelliher	1955

MEMBER OF DISTRICT NURSING COMMITTEE	
Alberta A. Fradd (Resigned)	1955
Louise H. McClennen (Appointed)	1955

FENCE VIEWERS	
George G. Tarbell	1955
John J. Kelliher	1955

FIELD DRIVERS	
Joseph Campobasso	1955
Sherman Davis	1955

RECREATION COMMITTEE	
Ethan Murphy, Chairman	1955
John W. Carman	1955
Astrid L. Donaldson	1955
Norman Fradd	1955
John B. Garrison	1955
Edward D. Rooney	1955
Sadie J. Sherman	1955
David Todd	1955

SURVEYOR OF CORD WOOD	
Clifford Bradley	1955

VETERANS' AGENT	
Edmund W. Giles	1955

CARETAKER OF TOWN HALL	
Orrin C. Wood	1955

JURY LIST, 1954

Name	Residence	Occupation
Lawrence B. Anderson	Beaver Pond Road	Architect
Richard B. Ayer	South Great Road	Engineer
Theodore C. Baker	Baker Bridge Road	Asst. Manager
John M. Barnaby	Concord Road	Coach
Walter B. Belanger	Cambridge Turnpike	Engineer
Robert P. Brown	Page Road	Architect
John J. Connair	Lincoln Road	Retired
Charles E. Crane	Weston Road	Ind. Real Estate
Gilmore B. Creelman, Jr.	South Great Road	Bank Teller
D. Bradford Davis	Beaver Pond Road	Printer
Murray P. Farnsworth	Lincoln Road	Salesman

Name	Residence	Occupation
Richard C. Fleck	Sandy Pond Road	Investment Officer
William L. Grinnell	Beaver Pond Road	District Manager
Stanley Heck	Bedford Road	Purchasing Agent
Gerard C. Henderson	Beaver Pond Road	Advertising
Kenneth W. Hess	Tower Road	Executive
Townsend Hornor	Sandy Pond Road	Banker
Leonard C. Larrabee	Bedford Road	Treasurer's Office
Edward S. Mullins	Weston Road	Art Teacher
Robert L. Niles	Blueberry Lane	Salesman
Elliott F. Page	Beaver Pond Road	Engineer
Frederick P. Walkey	South Great Road	Museum Director
John G. Webb	Weston Road	Banker
G. Arnold Wiley	Lexington Road	Engineer
Guilbert Winchell	Concord Road	Retired

Appointed June 14th, 1954.

William H. Davis, Town Clerk

APPOINTED BY THE TREASURER

ASSISTANT TREASURER	Term Expires
M. Elizabeth Causer	1955

APPOINTED BY THE BOARD OF HEALTH

COMMUNITY NURSE	
Marian N. Ober	1955
BURIAL AGENT	
William H. Davis	1955
INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS	
Andrew J. Dougherty	1955

APPOINTED BY THE MODERATOR

FINANCE COMMITTEE	
F. Winchester Denio, Chairman	1957
Thomas J. Rouner, Secretary	1956
William N. Page	1955
Paul L. Norton	1956
Charles K. Fitts	1957

OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES

MEMORIAL DAY COMMITTEE

	Term Expires
David B. Spooner	1955
Gladys de Y. Herman	1955
Rev. Rollin J. Fairbanks	1955
James V. Lennon	1955
Louis E. Paddock	1955

BUILDING CODE COMMITTEE

Norman F. Brisson — William M. Dean
Robert Bygrave — Manning W. MacRae
Henry B. Hoover

REGIONAL SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Malcolm L. Donaldson — Victor A. Lutnicki
William A. Wilson
(The other members of this committee, appointed by the Sudbury Moderator, are Luther M. Child, Robert S. Childs and John Woods)

SCHOOL BUILDING COMMITTEE

Andrew J. Dougherty — Stanley Heck
Elliott V. Grabill — Elizabeth J. Snelling
James DeNormandie

200th ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION COMMITTEE

Edith B. Farrar — E. Donlan Rooney
Warren F. Flint — Alice W. Smith
Frederick H. Greene, Jr.

SCHOOL LAND COMMITTEE

Andrew J. Dougherty — Stanley Heck
Elliott V. Grabill — Elizabeth J. Snelling

COMMITTEE ON SITES FOR FIRE DEPARTMENT HOUSING

Andrew J. Dougherty, Chief of Fire Engineers
Richard J. Eaton, Chairman of Planning Board
S. Leonard Arnold
Henry M. Morgan
Russell L. Haden, Jr.

BEDFORD AIRPORT COMMITTEE

Thomas B. Adams — Walter E. Belanger
Calvin P. Bartlett — Richard J. Eaton
Katharine S. White

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL BUILDING NEEDS COMMITTEE

Andrew J. Dougherty
Elliott V. Grabill
Stanley Heck
Ernest P. Neumann
Elizabeth J. Snelling

MOSQUITO CONTROL COMMITTEE

Charles H. Blake
John B. Tew
Barbara K. Warner

APPOINTED BY THE CIVIL DEFENSE DIRECTOR

MEMBERS OF AUXILIARY POLICE FORCE

Walter Belanger
Robert Booth
Walter Bonia
Sheldon A. Briggs
Secor Browne
Stanley Cibel
Robert C. Day
Richard J. Eaton
Warren F. Flint
Howard W. Foote
Donald A. Gilfoy
Lowell Hollingsworth
Eliot Hubbard, 3rd
Medford E. Huntley
Ernest L. Johnson
David W. Kirkpatrick
Harry B. Knowles, Jr.
Harold Lawson
H. Arnold MacLean
James W. Mar
John W. McLellan
Thomas R. Morse
W. Newton Nelson
Foster Nystrom
Warren Parker
William Powers
Roland W. Robbins
Allston Riley
E. Donlan Rooney
Charles A. Snelling
Howard Snelling
Henry Sturm
Didrick Tonseth
Robert Thorson
John B. Warner
G. Arnold Wiley
Edwin L. Williams
Arthur Witham
Henry Woods

Town Government

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Communications

The operators in our local telephone exchange have given such good service to our fire and police departments for so many years that we had come to accept it as an automatic and perpetual operation. On fire calls they notify the fire engineers, truck drivers and key call firemen, answer inquiries as to the location and nature of fires and do all this at no cost to the Town. On police calls they locate the officer on duty even if it is necessary to call Concord where the call can be sent out by radio. All this will stop on April 30, 1955 when the dial system goes into effect, the local office is closed and Arlington becomes the headquarters.

For many months the fire engineers, police chief, civil defense officials and others have been working with the Selectmen on plans for a communications system to replace that which we are losing. Operations in other towns have been observed, radio systems, tapper systems and telephone systems explored and appraised, and costs estimated. The unanimous recommendation is that a central telephone switchboard and radio transmitter be established at the Town House to be manned around the clock.

Specifically, we propose having a switchboard in the Town Offices with three trunk lines coming in and 25 direct lines out to the following:

5 Police
15 Fire
1 Highway garage
1 Pumping station
2 Town offices
1 Civil Defense

Additional trunk lines in and direct lines out can be added. A radio base station will be located adjacent to the switchboard through which the operator can communicate with the two police cars which are now equipped with radio and the three fire engines which we propose to so equip. In addition, it is planned to move the fire whistle to the Town House, a higher and more central location, so it too can be operated by the person at the switchboard.

The personnel problem is of utmost importance. As long as the volume of calls is not materially greater than at present, the staff in the office can and are willing to man the equipment during regular business hours. Their qualifications are evident. During other hours, too, it is imperative that we have personnel who are reliable,

calm in emergencies, thoroughly familiar with the Town and well trained by both the police and fire engineers so that they can be of maximum help to both departments.

The proposed system involves a minimum of capital expenditure $4,887. part of which will probably be reimbursed from Federal Civil Defense funds. Hence, we have flexibility to change the system if it does not work satisfactorily. Operating expenses are high $6,361. for the balance of 1955 and approximately $9,000. for a twelve months period. Most of the operating expense is for personnel and any system would involve this same cost. We believe this to be an economical and efficient system which will (1) fill the gap resulting from introduction of the dial system and (2) provide better service for the Town.

To the individual telephone operators and to the New England Telephone & Telegraph Company we extend our thanks for their co-operation and contributions to the welfare of the Town over a period of many years.

Fire Department

The report of the special committee to re-examine previous recommendations for a site for a fire station appears elsewhere in this volume. In view of the conclusions an article appears in the warrant for the 1955 Annual Town Meeting to acquire the suggested site. The Selectmen believe that prompt action is desirable.

The Fire Department continues to function efficiently and successfully. The fire record is so good that many of us do not stop to think of the physical effort, planning and sacrifices that go into this operation. It must be recognized that the availability of call firemen is a constantly more troublesome problem, that the growth of the Town accelerates the time when we should have a driver at a station all the time to move out one piece of apparatus immediately and that an adequate station is a matter for consideration in the next few years, not in the indefinite future.

Police Department

Recommendation is made to add a fourth full time man to the police force. The use of special police for necessary work which could not be handled by the present personnel has been increasing steadily, and the need of more hours on traffic control is evident. These facts combined indicate that now is the time to make a permanent addition. It must be recognized that all police problems are multiplied as the city moves nearer to us.

Lexington and Page Roads

As the result of a fatal accident and a series of actual and near accidents at the intersection of Lexington Road and Route 2 and Page

Road and Route 2, the Selectmen issued a temporary order, approved by appropriate State authority, making both roads one way for a short distance near Route 2. Vehicles on Route 2 are not permitted to enter either Page Road or Lexington Road. Preliminary conversations with the State Department of Public Works assure us of their interest in doing something to decrease the hazard to vehicles coming out from Cambridge which are trying to turn left onto these roads. It is expected confidently that a solution will be found that will eliminate the inconvenience encountered by some residents of the Town as a result of the temporary order.

Chapter 90 Construction

Over a period of years Trapelo Road was rebuilt in its entirety except for the section from the Center to Lexington Road. A serious drainage problem has developed in that section in recent years and it is estimated that the cost of building suitable drains would be $8,000 to $10,000. The road itself is expensive to maintain and will need extensive repairs within a few years in any case. The cost of rebuilding the road and drains may be as much as $18,000. With the approval of the abutters, the Selectmen have petitioned the County and State to accept this section of Trapelo Road for a Chapter 90 project. The County and State will not participate in the cost of solving the drainage problem alone but have tentatively allocated $9,000 ($3,000 from the County and $6,000 from the State) to be matched by $3,000 from the Town to start a complete rebuilding this year if funds are voted by the Town now. It is contemplated that this work would be let out by contract.

Department of Public Works

Many towns have established Departments of Public Works to centralize control and management of some or all of the work now done by our Highway, Water, Cemetery and Tree and Moth departments. The Selectmen believe that the possibilities of economy and better service from such a system should be investigated carefully before any recommendation is made to the Town and have inserted an article in the Warrant looking to the appointment of a committee to examine this matter thoroughly.

Capital Improvements

The Selectmen also recommend the appointment of a committee to study the capital improvements needed by the Town over the foreseeable future. Our experience has been that all such capital investments have arisen as emergencies. It is our thought that a committee assigned to this one subject would be expected to develop a long range program which would permit appropriate timing and financial planning.

Administrative Assistant

The experience of a year and a half has confirmed the opinion of the Selectmen that the Town can profitably employ a full time man with engineering and municipal background to carry out projects approved by the Board, to consult with the Board on problems on which his background and training have given him special knowledge and to gather information as needed. Our present assistant, Mr. Willard, has met with and worked for various other boards and committees including especially the Water Commissioners, Board of Health, Planning Board and Bicentennial Committee. A start has been made on central purchasing although more can be done in that line. More information has been available on various subjects, for instance, communications because there was some one available to dig out the material. More prompt action has been taken on many matters, such as the dump and garbage collection, because there was some one who could be assigned to carry out the plans once they were formulated and approved. An interesting side light on this subject is that several towns are now adopting this procedure or are seriously considering such action.

Town Dump

Immediately after the 1954 Annual Town Meeting, arrangements were made for fencing the dump and for having a man in attendance three days a week. Only contractors who make special arrangements have access to the dump at other times. Although the salary appears to be an added expense, it is offset in part by the decrease in cost of clearing up and bulldozing and further by the decrease in the number of fire calls. The slight net increase in cost appears to be well justified, and a continuation of the present operation is contemplated as indicated by the budget.

Garbage Collection

The system developed in the spring of 1954 by which the Town collects the fees for garbage collection and pays for collections actually made has worked well from all points of view. The clerical cost was absorbed by other departments in 1954 pending determination as to whether the system would continue. This year there will be allocated to this account the estimated cost of billing and other services as was originally contemplated when the schedule of charges was set. The number of house holders using this service has been rising steadily and is estimated at an average of 250 for 1955.

Hurricane

It will be noticed that various departments, especially Highway, expended less money than had been budgeted for 1954. This was due

largely to the hurricanes which necessitated a rearrangement of schedules. All expenses of cleaning up after the first hurricane became eligible for reimbursement by the State and were charged to a separate account rather than to the usual departmental appropriations.

Having in mind the fact that the Boston Edison Company has purchased land for a substation in Lincoln and the fact that several sections of Town were without electricity for several days after each hurricane, the Selectmen requested the Company to bring the trunk line from Waltham to the substation under ground. The requested meeting on this subject has not been held as yet. Public support for this project will be solicited at the appropriate time.

Roads

The steady deterioration of our roads has been accelerated during the past year and has reached the point were even more maintenance and patching cannot prevent rebuilding much longer. The maintenance budget for 1955 is larger, but there are strong inclinations that the Town must soon face a program of extensive draining, shaping and resurfacing. It is expected that the proposed committee on capital expenditures will give due consideration to this matter.

Respectfully submitted

Edmund W. Giles
Henry DeC. Ward
John O. Wilson, Chairman.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

The Town Clerk is the official recorder of Town events and activities and issues licenses and certificates. His duties include recording the proceedings at Town Meetings and elections, and notifying the Selectmen and other officers concerned of appropriations which have been voted.

The record of Registered Voters of Lincoln is kept at the Clerk's office. Persons wishing to become voters in the Town should communicate with the Clerk.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
Monday, March 1, 1954

Pursuant to a Warrant duly served, the Meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Mr. Donald P. Donaldson, at 7:30 o'clock P.M. The return of the Warrant was read, and the Moderator called attention to Article I. (Election of Officers).

Article 2. To bring in their votes for any committees, commissioners, trustees, and other officers, required by law to be elected by ballot or otherwise.
Voted: That Clifford H. Bradley and Joseph Tracey be elected Measurers of Wood and Bark for the ensuing year.

Article 3. To hear and act upon the reports of Town Officers, Committees, Commissioners and Trustees.
Voted: That the reports of the Town Officers, Committees and Trustees as printed in the Town Report be accepted and the reports of the following Committees be accepted as interim reports, and that the Committees and their unexpended appropriations be continued: Building Code Committee, School Building Committee, 200th Anniversary Committee, School Land Committee; and that the following reports be accepted as final: Union Health Committee, Town By-laws Committee and Town Report Committee.

Article 4. To fix the salaries and compensation of the several elective officers of the Town and to determine whether any Department, Board or Committee shall be authorized to employ for additional compensation any of its members and to fix additional compensation of such members.
Voted: That the salaries of the elected Officers of the Town for the current year be fixed at the following amounts respectively:

Selectmen, each	$200.00	Assessors, other members, each	$175.00
Treasurer	200.00	Auditor	50.00
Collector of Taxes	1,800.00	Water Commissioners, each	75.00
Town Clerk	350.00	Tree Warden	200.00
Assessors, Chairman	200.00		

Article 5. To raise and appropriate money for the necessary and expedient purposes of the Town and enact anything in relation to the same.

At the request of Mr. Wilson the Civil Defense appropriation, Item Number 42, was held out for discussion. He pointed out the difficulty of arriving at a figure because of the many unknown factors involved. Mr. E. R. Todd, Civil Defense Director, then commented on what had been done, and referred to the proposed budget as an operating budget, which did not allow for capital expenditures such as an auxiliary lighting generator and other equipment. It was his opinion, however, that an Auxiliary Police Force could be organized within the amount recommended. There was no further discussion and with the increases and deductions recommended, the following was

Voted: That under Article 5 of the Warrant the Town raise and appropriate for the 1954 fiscal year the eighty-seven separate appropriations recommended by the report of the Finance Committee as printed in the 1953 Town Report on pages 157 to 165 inclusive, and there be raised in addition thereto the following increases: Item 42, $97.50 by transfer of unexpended balance Civil Defense Clerical; Item 44A, Garbage Collection Account, $2,500.00, to be taken from Free Cash; Item 51, Public Welfare, $2,000.00; Item 71, Town Reports, $45.65; Item 72A, Dump Operation and Maintenance, $1,000.00; Item 82, Water Works, Meters, Operating Expenses and Miscellaneous, $1,000.00; making an aggregate for general purposes of $407,558.91 and an aggregate for Water Works of $27,606.25, and that in connection with the foregoing vote the following sums for the several items shall be applied from the sources respectively designated, as follows: Item 37, Dutch Elm Disease Control, $94.50 from unexpended balance 1953; Item 46, Chapter 90, $3,000.00, from Free Cash and returned thereto when reimbursed from State and County; Item 60, New Equipment Schools, $711.25 from deCordova School Equipment Fund Income and $53.01 from Grammar School Income; Item 62, Books (Library), $500.00 from Free Cash to be returned thereto upon receipt of $500.00 from Library Trustees per agreement; Item 75, School Building (Bonds), $25,000.00 from Free Cash; Items 77, 77a, 80, 81, 82, 83, Water Works, $27,606.25 from Water Works Treasury; Item 79, Reserve Fund, $8,000.00 from Free Cash, any unexpended balance to be returned thereto. Further voted: that the following Balance Sheet Item of Unexpended Accounts on 12/31/53 be transferred to Surplus: (See Page 46) Town Reports Committee, $67.40; Truck and Sprayer for Tree and Moth Department, $177.30; Revision of Town By-laws, $150.00; Union Health District, $100.00.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1954, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Voted: That the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1954, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to conduct services on Memorial Day, the thirtieth of May, appoint a committee, raise and appropriate money, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Moderator be authorized to appoint a committee of five to plan and carry out exercises on Memorial Day, the thirtieth of May next and that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $150.00 for the use of such Committee in connection with these exercises.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $974.30 to pay the following unpaid 1953 bills:

Water Department	$276.00
School Department	323.55
Legal	374.75

Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of $974.30 to pay the following unpaid 1953 bills:

Water Department	$276.00
School Department	323.55
Legal	374.75

$276.00 to be taken from Water Works Funds and the balance of $698.30 to be taken from Free Cash.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate additional funds for the use of the Bi-centennial Committee, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of $3,500.00 for the use of the Bi-centennial Committee, said sum to be taken from Free Cash.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to purchase the following town vehicles to replace existing equipment: Police car, Highway truck, Water Department truck, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $3,199.00, $699.00 for the purchase of a police car, Chevrolet to be turned in, and $2,500.00 for the purchase of a highway truck, 1946 White truck to be turned in; also the sum of $1,066.00 for the purchase of a Water Department truck, 1948 Chevrolet truck to be turned in, said sum to be taken from Water Works Treasury.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a motor driven street sweeper or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $550.00 for the purchase of a motor driven street sweeper.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the installation of new alarm equipment for the use of the Fire Department or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $1,210.00 for the purchase and installation of new alarm equipment for the fire department.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to discontinue as a public highway that portion of the Old Bedford Road, beginning at the Bedford-Lincoln town line, and extending in a southwesterly direction for a distance of about 2,100 feet to a point where said Old Bedford Road intersects with the substitute way constructed by the Federal Government, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Town vote to discontinue as a public highway that portion of the Old Bedford Road, beginning at the Bedford-Lincoln town line and extending in a southwesterly direction for a distance of about 2,100 feet, to a point where said Old Bedford Road intersects with the substitute way constructed by the Federal Government.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Moderator to appoint a committee of five to investigate and study the effect on the Town of the development of Lawrence G. Hanscom Field (Bedford Airport) and other facilities or operations related thereto; to report thereon with recommendations to the Selectmen and with the approval of the Selectmen, to take such action with reference thereto as the committee may determine to be in the interest of the Town including, but not limited to, representing the Town at hearings of legislative bodies or governmental agencies; to raise and appropriate the sum of five hundred dollars ($500) for the use of said committee, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Town of Lincoln authorize the Moderator to appoint a committee of five to investigate and study the effects on the Town of the development of Lawrence G. Hanscom Field (Bedford Airport) and other facilities or operations related thereto; to report thereon with recommendations to the Selectmen and with the approval of the Selectmen to take such action with reference thereto as the committee may determine to be in the best interest of the Town including, but not limited to, representing the Town at hearings of legislative bodies or governmental agencies; raise and appropriate the sum of five hundred dollars ($500.00) for the use of said committee, including expenses for travel out of the Commonwealth, said sum to be taken from Free Cash.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law by amending Section 11, Paragraph (d) as follows:

Change the period to a comma and add the following: "and shall also hear and decide requests for special permits to issue, subject to conditions and safeguards imposed by the Board of Appeals, for temporary structures and uses which do not conform to the regulations herein prescribed, provided that no such permit shall be for longer than a

three year period" or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: To amend the Zoning By-Law by amending Section 11, Paragraph (d) as follows: Change the period to a comma and add the following: "and shall also hear and decide requests for special permits to issue subject to conditions and safeguards imposed by the Board of Appeals, for temporary structures and uses which do not conform to the regulations herein described, provided that no permit shall be for longer than a three year period."

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars ($1,000.00) for use in mosquito control; the appropriation to be expended to re-open mosquito control as provided for in Chapter 252 of the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Moderator appoint a committee of three to bring in a report on mosquito control at the next town meeting, regular or special. Committee appointed: Charles H. Blake, Mrs. John B. Warner and John B. Tew.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to change the name of the street extending from Lexington Road to North Great Road, from Mill Street to Old Mill Road.

Voted: Under this article a motion "That the name of the street extending from Lexington Road to North Great Road be changed from Mill Street to Old Mill Road" was lost.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to acquire by purchase, gift, eminent domain or any other way, a parcel of land located on Bedford Road, south west of the intersection of Route 2 and Bedford Road, containing 22,000 square feet more or less, raise and appropriate a sum of money therefor or take any action relative thereto.

Voted: To pass over the Article.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,000.00 to be used by a Committee appointed by the Moderator to study further the building needs of the Lincoln schools, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Moderator appoint a committee to study the building needs of the elementary school, and make its recommendation to the Town, and that the sum of $3.000.00 be appropriated for the use of this committee for professional services in developing plans and cost estimates if required. Committee appointed: Ernest P. Neumann, Elizabeth J. Snelling, Andrew J. Dougherty, Elliott V. Grabill and Stanley Heck.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Fifteen Thousand Dollars ($15,000) or any other sum, for the use of the Regional District School Committee in the event that a Regional School District is established with the Town of Sudbury by vote of the Town of Sudbury and by vote of this Town on the related

question in Article 1 of this Warrant; such sum to be made available to said Regional District School Committee, if and when created, only after a budget of such Committee has been approved by the Finance Committee and Selectmen of this Town and the Town of Sudbury, in accordance with provisions of a proposed agreement filed with the Selectmen, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: (unanimously) That the Town appropriate the sum of fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000.00) for the use of the Regional District School Committee of the Regional School District in the event that such Regional School District is established by vote of the Town of Sudbury on March 1st, 1954, and by vote of this Town on the related question in Article 1 of the Warrant for this Town Meeting, such sum to be taken from Free Cash.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to repeal the present Town By-Laws except the Zoning By-Law and the Building Code By-Law and adopt new "General By-Laws of the Town of Lincoln."

Voted: (unanimously) That the Town repeal the present Town By-Laws except the Zoning By-Laws and the Building Code By-Laws and adopt new "General By-Laws of the Town of Lincoln" as printed under Article 21 of the warrant for this meeting. At this point Mr. Henry Warner spoke of the good and efficient work of Mr. F. Winchester Denio for the Committee. Loud and prolonged applause.

William H. Davis, Town Clerk

ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION
March 6, 1954

In accordance with Article 1 of the Warrant the Moderator declared the polls open at 12 o'clock noon, previously the ballot box had been inspected and the following Ballot Clerks duly sworn: Helena A. Dee, Helen M. Dougherty, Ann E. Paddock, Manley B. Boyce, D. Everett Sherman, Jr., and William O. Causer, the Polls were declared closed at 7 o'clock P. M. with the following results. Total number of votes cast 722.

Moderator (Three years)

Donald P. Donaldson	684
Blanks	38

Town Clerk (One year)

William H. Davis	694
Blanks	28

Selectman (Three years)

Henry DeC. Ward	671
Blanks	51

Assessor (Three years)

Arthur W. Rice, Jr.	661
Blanks	61

Treasurer (One year)

Frederick B. Taylor	680
Blanks	42

Auditor (One year)

Louis C. Farley, Jr.	664
Blanks	58

School Committee (Three years)

Lucy E. Bygrave	289
Elizabeth C. Donaldson	426
Blanks	7

Water Commissioner (Three years)

Robert W. Scott	286
Edward S. Taylor	421
Scattering	1
Blanks	14

Board of Health (Three years)

Ellen DeN. Cannon	669
Blanks	53

Tree Warden (One year)

Daniel A. MacInnis, Jr.	668
Blanks	54

Commissioner of Trust Funds (Three years)

William T. King	662
Blanks	60

Trustee of Bemis Fund for Free Public Lectures (Three years)

Leonard C. Larrabee	661
Blanks	61

Cemetery Commissioner (Three years)

Robert D. Donaldson	667
Blanks	55

Planning Board (Five years)

Alan McClennen	662
Blanks	60

Director of deCordova and Dana Museum (Four years)

Elizabeth J. Snelling	673
Blanks	49

Question No. 1
Regional School District

Yes	651
No	36
Blanks	35

Question No. 2
(An Act restricting the use of lands abutting the highway known as Route 2 in the towns of Lincoln and Concord)

Yes	473
No	186
Blanks	63

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
July 26, 1954

Pursuant to a Warrant duly served the Meeting was called to order by the Town Clerk at 7:30 P.M. The return of the Warrant was read, on motion, seconded Mr. Sumner Smith was elected temporary Moderator and duly sworn.

Article 1. To see if the Town disapproves of the amount of debt ($100,000) authorized by the Lincoln-Sudbury Regional District School Committee for the purpose of acquiring land, constructing, originally equipping and furnishing a school building.

Under this Article a motion "That this meeting go on record as expressing disapproval of the amount of debt, namely $100,000, authorized by the Lincoln-Sudbury Regional District School Committee for the purpose of acquiring land, constructing, originally equipping and furnishing a school building" was lost, the vote against the motion being unanimous. The meeting adjourned at 8 o'clock P.M.

William H. Davis, Town Clerk

STATE PRIMARY
September 14, 1954

Warrant

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
To either of the Constables of the Town of Lincoln Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in the Town House Tuesday, the fourteenth day of September, 1954, at one o'clock P.M. for the following purposes: To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the nomination of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices: Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary, Treasurer and Receiver General, Auditor, Attorney General, Senator in Congress, all for this Commonwealth; Representative in Congress, 5th Congressional District, Senator, 5th

Senatorial District, Representative in General Court, 10th Middlesex District, Councillor, 3rd Councillor District, District Attorney, Registrar of Probate and Insolvency, Middlesex County, County Commissioner, Middlesex County, County Treasurer, Middlesex County. The polls will be open from one P.M. to eight P.M. Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting. Given under our hands this 23rd day of August A.D. 1954.

Edmund W. Giles)
Henry DeC. Ward) Selectmen of Lincoln
J. O. Wilson)

Friday, September 3, 1954

A True Copy Attest: Leo J. Algeo, Constable

In accordance with the above Warrant the Polls were declared open at one P.M. by Mr. Henry DeC. Ward, Warden. The following Ballot Clerks were duly sworn: Helena A. Dee, Helen M. Dougherty, Manley B. Boyce, Elizabeth J. Snelling, William O. Causer and D. Everett Sherman, Jr. At 4 o'clock P.M. Mr. Edmund W. Giles assumed the duties of Warden, Mr. John O. Wilson assumed Warden's duties at 6:30 P.M. and declared the Polls closed at 8 P.M. Total vote, 916:Republican 879, Democratic 37.

Republican

Governor

Christian A. Herter	815
Blanks	64

Lieutenant Governor

Sumner G. Whittier	802
Blanks	77

Secretary

Michael G. McCarty	786
Blanks	93

Treasurer

Augustus G. Means	785
Blanks	94

Auditor

William P. Constantino	786
Blanks	93

Attorney General

George Fingold	801
Blanks	78

Senator in Congress

Leverett Saltonstall	813
Blanks	66

Congressman, 5th Middlesex

Edith Nourse Rogers	797
Blanks	82

Councillor, 3rd District

David B. Williams	794
Blanks	85

Senator, 5th Middlesex

Richard I. Furbush	807
Blanks	72

Representative in General Court, 10th Middlesex

Jefts B. Beede	60
B. Allen Benjamin	41
James L. Cunningham	182
James DeNormandie	590
Blanks	6

District Attorney, Northern District

George E. Thompson	713
Blanks	166

Register of Probate and Insolvency, Middlesex County

Sumner R. Andrews	121
Gordon L. Axtman	7
James J. Bagley	29
Robert W. Cook	34
Lawrence H. Davis	56
Warren J. Fitzgerald	380
Gordon F. Hughes	16
John F. Lombard	24
Clarence E. Lord	3
Frederick J. Wheeler, Jr.	17
Blanks	192

County Commissioner, Middlesex County

Alan G. Adams	455
Stanley E. Andrews	115
Ernest Brenner	67
Albert L. Daigle	9
Guy Dinnuccio	7
Delbert A. Merenda	5
Ellis Sutcliffe	18
Horace H. Walker	10

D. Paul Wormwood 6
Blanks 187

County Treasurer, Middlesex County

Charles P. Howard 713
Blanks 166

Democratic

Governor

Robert F. Murphy 26
Francis E. Kelley 9
Scattering 1
Blanks 1

Lieutenant Governor

James A. Burke 32
Blanks 5

Secretary

Edward J. Cronin 33
Blanks 4

Treasurer

Clement A. Riley 18
William F. Carr 7
John F. Kennedy 11
Blanks 1

Auditor

Thomas J. Buckley 33
Blanks 4

Attorney General

John F. Collins 32
Blanks 5

Senator in Congress

Foster Furcolo 29
John J. Fitzgerald 4
Joseph L. Murphy 3
Blanks 1

Congressman, 5th Congressional

J. L. Cunningham 1
Blanks 36

Councillor, 3rd District

Joseph P. Ducca 6
Orlando P. Harris 2
Endicott Peabody 16

Thomas C. Quinn	10
Blanks	3

Senator, 5th Middlesex

James J. Vahey	33
Blanks	4

Representative in General Court, 10th Middlesex

P. Joseph Murphy	29
J. L. Cunningham	4
Blanks	4

District Attorney, Northern District

Joseph V. Carroll	2
Charles H. McCue	6
Paul V. Shaughnessy	20
Ervin L. Stackpole	5
Blanks	4

Register of Probate and Insolvency, Middlesex County

John J. Butler	7
Philip P. Dever	6
John J. Foley	12
Clifford Halligan	1
John V. Harvey	5
Blanks	6

County Commissioner, Middlesex County

Thomas B. Brennan	10
John J. Burke	2
Joseph Perry Costa	1
Walter J. Frizzell	0
William E. Higham	1
James P. McCarthy	4
Jeannette C. Chisholm Sullivan	15
Blanks	4

County Treasurer, Middlesex County

C. Michael Bradley	2
Francis T. Crawford	0
Timothy J. Cronin	7
Joseph M. Curley	3
Edward L. Harley	2
Daniel J. Harley	3
Joseph T. Kelleher	4
Francis R. King	3
John J. McGlynn	0
Wilbur F. Nixon	2
Dennis O'Keefe	1

Michael A. O'Leary 3
Blanks 7

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
October 18, 1954

Pursuant to a Warrant duly served, the Meeting was called to order by the Moderator at 7:30 o'clock P.M., the return of the Warrant was read, and the following business transacted:

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of constructing and originally equipping and furnishing an addition to the elementary school to include four class rooms and determine how the appropriation will be raised, by transfer from available funds, borrowing, or otherwise, or take any action relative thereto.

Voted: (unanimously) That the sum of $142,550.00 be raised and appropriated for the purpose of constructing and originally equipping and furnishing an addition to the elementary school to include four class rooms and, to meet said appropriation, that the sum of $12,550. be appropriated from available funds in the treasury, and that the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be and he hereby is authorized to borrow the sum of $130,000.00, and to issue bonds or notes of the Town therefor; said loan hereby authorized is under the authority of and in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44 of General Laws; and that the committee appointed by the Moderator in accordance with a vote of the Town under Article 19 at the Annual Meeting on March 1, 1954, is hereby continued and is hereby authorized and empowered to enter into contracts, and to do all things necessary to construct and equip and furnish said addition; and if a vacancy should occur in said committee the Moderator is hereby authorized to fill such vacancy; and in the event that a court of competent jurisdiction shall on or before March 1, 1955, decree that the sums left to the Town of Lincoln under Article 6 of the Will of Charles S. Smith be applied toward the cost of the said addition to the new elementary school, that all sums made available by such court decree be and they hereby are appropriated as a part of the sum of $142,550.00 above appropriated, and, in that event, the sum of $130,000.00, which the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen is authorized to borrow, shall be reduced to the sum of $30,000.00, and that the sum of $12,550.00 appropriated hereunder from available funds in the treasury be reduced by any sums so decreed by the court in excess of the sum of $100,000.00.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to authorize and direct the Selectmen, in behalf of the Town, to petition a court of competent jurisdiction to decree that the sums left to the Town of Lincoln under Article 6 of the Will of Charles S. Smith be applied toward the cost of the proposed addition to the elementary school, or take any action relative thereto.

Voted: (unanimously) To authorize and direct the Selectmen, in

behalf of the Town, to petition a court of competent jurisdiction to decree that the sums left to the Town of Lincoln under Article 6 of the Will of Charles S. Smith be applied towards the cost of the proposed addition to the elementary school, such school to be called the Charles Sumner Smith School. (At this time, Mr. F. Winchester Denio made the following remarks: "For the benefit of those who never knew Mr. Smith, I am awfully glad to tell you of some of his activities. He was our Representative in General Court for several terms, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, Chairman of the Board of Cemetery Commissioners, and a Commissioner of Trust Funds. He always had the interest of the Town at heart, and I can truthfully say no one did more than he for the Town he loved." Loud and prolonged applause).

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to acquire by purchase, gift, eminent domain, or any other way, a parcel of land located on Bedford Road, southwest of the intersection of Bedford Road and Route 2, appropriate a sum of money therefor or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Moderator appoint a Committee of five citizens, to include (1) the Chairman of the Fire Engineers, (2) the Chairman of the Planning Board, and three others, none of whom is a present member of any Town Board, such Committee to further study the needs of the Town in relation to Fire Department housing and advisable sites; and to make at least a progress report to the Town at the next regular Town Meeting. Committee appointed: Andrew J. Dougherty, Richard J. Eaton, S. Leonard Arnold, Henry M. Morgan and Russell L. Haden, Jr.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate additional funds for the use of the Water Department or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Town take $1,800.00 from Salary and Wage Account and transfer it to the account of Meters and Operating Expense, also that the Town appropriate $1,500.00 for a heater for the pumping station, the money to be taken from the Water Works Treasury.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate additional funds for the use of the New School Construction Committee, or take any action relative thereto.

Voted: That the sum of $3,743.56 be appropriated from Free Cash to the use of the Lincoln School Building Committee.

Article 6. To see if the Town will accept as a public way the private road known as Granville Road approved by the Lincoln Planning Board December 27, 1951.

Voted: For the benefit of the abuttors to obtain the advantage of Town maintenance, subject to the receipt of a deed under easement in form satisfactory to the Selectmen, that the Town accept as a public way the private road now known as Granville Road, formerly Llanover Road, as shown on a plan duly recorded with Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds, Book 8195, Page 148, and approved by the Planning

Board of the Town of Lincoln on December 23, 1953.

Article 7. To determine whether the Town shall instruct the Town Clerk to send to the two U. S. Senators from Massachusetts, and to its representative in Congress for the 5th Congressional District a petition, request or statement in regard to the use of the so-called Bedford Airport, known officially as the Lawrence G. Hanscom Field, by the U. S. Air Force for military purposes; or take any other action relative to the danger, property damage and annoyance to the citizens of the Town caused by the use of said Airport for military purposes, or take any other action relative thereto.

Under this Article the following resolution was passed unanimously: "That it is the opinion of this meeting that the interests of the Town require drastic action with reference to the Lawrence G. Hanscom Field (Bedford Airport) and that the following communication be presented forthwith to the United States Senators from Massachusetts and to our Representative in the Fifth Congressional District: "The citizens of the Town of Lincoln hereby declare to you their opposition to the increasing use of Lawrence G. Hanscom Field (Bedford Airport) by military aircraft and urgently request you to use every means in your power to have the amount of flying reduced and the expansion of the facilities of the airport curtailed. Reserve training out of this airport is absolutely unnecessary. Training could be as well accomplished at nearby airports farther removed from a great center of population. These flights are now ruining the peace of our Saturdays, holidays and Sundays, and even interrupt divine service. We ask you to have these flights entirely stopped and all training activities removed to other bases. The defence of Boston according to informed opinion can be accomplished effectively without stationing air defence wings at Bedford. We request that the number of jet fighters stationed at Bedford be kept at the absolute minimum necessary for the research mission only.

"We recognize that the experimental research now being conducted at Bedford cannot easily be relocated, because of the proximity of the base to centers of scientific knowledge; however, a large portion of this is planned to terminate within a definite period. Therefore, we cannot accept the present vast program of permanent construction now underway at Bedford as necessary.

"The citizens of Lincoln are aroused by the menace to their safety, peace and happiness; real estate values are being endangered. The roar of jet planes turns away prospective purchasers. Banks are becoming reluctant to accept mortgages on property. Some residents are considering selling their homes and moving to less troubled neighborhoods. There is increasing fear that planes will crash in this area.

"We are prepared to make, and do make, necessary sacrifices for the national safety; the burden of continuous flying during the five day week we recognize as necessary, but the addition of weekends and holiday flying at this center for purposes other than research we feel is an unreasonable imposition. We do not believe that the transforma-

tion of Bedford, originally projected as a research field into a training and defence base is either necessary or in the best interests of the state and nation. It is certainly detrimental to the surrounding Towns and promises to be ruinous. We ask your utmost co-operation to alleviate this situation and call on you to justify the confidence shown in you in electing you as our representatives in Congress by putting a stop to this encroachment on our rights as citizens by the military establishment."

(In accordance with the above resolution letters were air-mailed to the Honorable Edith Nourse Rogers, Honorable Leverett Saltonstall and Honorable John F. Kennedy on October 19, 1954, to all of which replies were received promising to look into the matter and take steps to alleviate the nuisance.)

Article 8. To see if the Town will instruct the Board of Water Commissioners to extend the water pipes on Concord Road approximately 225 feet to the Lincoln Stand, appropriate money for the same, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: To pass over the Article.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 to be used by the Planning Board to employ assistance in obtaining information bearing on possible changes of the Zoning By-Laws and the preparation of a report; or take any action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 to be used by the Planning Board to employ assistance in obtaining information bearing on possible changes of the Zoning By-Law in respect to sizes in residential districts and for the preparation of a report, and that said sum be taken from free cash.

The meeting adjourned at 10:30 o'clock P.M.

William H. Davis, Town Clerk

State Election
November 2, 1954

Pursuant to a Warrant duly served, the Polls were declared open at 7 o'clock A. M. by Mr. John O. Wilson, Warden. Previously the ballot box was inspected and the following ballot clerks duly sworn: Helena A. Dee, Helen M. Dougherty, Manley B. Boyce, Elizabeth J. Snelling, William O. Causer and D. Everett Sherman, Jr.; at 1 P.M. Mr. Edmund W. Giles assumed the Warden's duties and at 4 P.M. Mr. Henry DeC. Ward took over the duties of Warden. At 7 P.M. it was voted: To keep the polls open until 8 o'clock P.M., at which time the Polls were declared closed. Total vote 1371.

Governor

Christian A. Herter ..... Republican 1138

Robert F. Murphy	Democratic	226
Laurence Gilfedder	Socialist Labor	1
Guy S. Williams	Prohibition	0
Blanks		6

Lieutenant Governor

Sumner G. Whittier	Republican	1126
James A. Burke	Democratic	220
Donald E. Babcock	Prohibition	2
Francis A. Vetane	Socialist Labor	4
Blanks		19

Secretary

Edward J. Cronin	Democratic	286
Michael J. McCarthy	Republican	1034
Fred M. Ingersoll	Socialist Labor	2
William D. Ross	Prohibition	7
Blanks		42

Treasurer

John F. Kennedy	Democratic	262
Augustus G. Means	Republican	1080
Henning A. Blemen	Socialist Labor	1
Isaac Geddard	Prohibition	0
Blanks		28

Auditor

Thomas J. Buckley	Democratic	329
William P. Constantino	Republican	995
John B. Lauder	Prohibition	3
Anthony Martin	Socialist Labor	3
Blanks		41

Attorney General

George Fingold	Republican	1100
John F. Collins	Democratic	246
Howard B. Rand	Prohibition	1
Malcolm T. Rowe	Socialist Labor	2
Blanks		22

Senator in Congress

Leverett Saltonstall	Republican	1096
Foster Furcolo	Democratic	250
Thelma Ingersoll	Socialist Labor	3
Harold J. Ireland	Prohibition	2
Blanks		20

Congressman, 5th District

Edith Nourse Rogers	Republican	1164
Scattering		2
Blanks		205

Councillor, 3rd District

Endicott Peabody	Democratic	295
David B. Williams	Republican	1040
Emma J. Nally	Prohibition	1
Blanks		35

Senator, 5th Middlesex District

Richard I. Furbush	Republican	1131
James J. Vahey	Democratic	202
Blanks		38

Representative in General Court, 10th Middlesex District

James DeNormandie	Republican	1121
P. Joseph Murphy	Democratic	215
Scattering		1
Blanks		34

District Attorney, Northern District

George E. Thompson	Republican	1096
Joseph V. Carroll	Democratic	237
Blanks		38

Register of Probate and Insolvency, Middlesex County

Warren J. Fitzgerald	Republican	1090
John J. Foley	Democratic	237
Blanks		38

County Commissioner, Middlesex County

Thomas B. Brennan	Democratic	281
Alan G. Adams	Republican	1048
Blanks		42

County Treasurer, Middlesex County

Charles P. Howard	Republican	1084
Timothy J. Cronin	Democratic	239
Blanks		48

Question No. 1

A. All Alcoholic Beverages	Yes	222
	No	1014
	Blanks	135
B. Wines and Beers	Yes	242
	No	953
	Blanks	176

C. Packages	Yes	332
	No	893
	Blanks	146

Question No. 2

A. Horse Races	Yes	316
	No	908
	Blanks	147
B. Dog Races	Yes	258
	No	925
	Blanks	188

Question No. 3

Retirement Pension	Yes	646
	No	555
	Blanks	170

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
December 2, 1954

In accordance with a Warrant duly served, the Meeting was called to order by the Moderator at 7:30 o'clock P.M. The return of the Warrant was read, and the Moderator called attention to the invitation to the citizens of Lincoln to visit Bedford Airport. The following business was transacted:

Article 1. To see whether the Town disapproves of the amount of debt, one million four hundred thousand dollars ($1,400,000.00) authorized by the Lincoln-Sudbury Regional District School Committee for the purpose of acquiring land, constructing, originally equipping and furnishing a school building.

Voted: A motion "That this meeting go on record as expressing disapproval of the amount of debt, namely $1,400,000.00 authorized by the Lincoln-Sudbury Regional District School Committee for the purpose of acquiring land, constructing, originally equipping and furnishing a school building" was lost, the vote being unanimous.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate additional funds for the use of the Department of Public Welfare or take any action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of $2,000.00 for the use of the Department of Public Welfare, said sum to be taken from free cash.

Article 3. To see if the Town will accept, as a public way, the private road known as Tabor Hill Road, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: To pass over the Article.

Article 4. To hear and act upon the report of the Mosquito Control Committee, raise and appropriate money or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Town of Lincoln, through the Selectmen and/or the Board of Health petition the State Reclamation Board at a time to be determined by the Town, to join the East Middlesex Mosquito Control District.

Meeting adjourned at 9:15 P.M.

William H. Davis, Town Clerk

LICENSES

Total number of Dog Licenses issued during the year 1954, 433: namely, 253 Male, 61 Female, 111 Spayed Female and 8 Kennel, for which the sum of $1,032.40 has been paid to the Treasurer.

Sporting, etc., issued during the year 1954: Fishing, 95; Hunting, 58; Sporting, 48; Minor Fishing, 11; Female Fishing, 21; Minor Trapping, 1; Non-Resident Fishing, 1; Non-Resident Hunting, 1; Non-Resident Military, 1; Duplicate, 1, for which the sum of $773.75 has been paid to the Division of Fisheries and Game.

William H. Davis, Town Clerk

Finance

REPORT OF THE STATE AND TOWN AUDITORS

The work of the State Auditor in 1954 consisted, as usual, of a thorough check of the Town's financial records for the preceding year, 1953, and the preparation of a statement of the Town's financial condition at the beginning of the year 1954.

The statutes provide that the "substance" of the State Auditor's report be published. In the Town Auditor's opinion, this substance is contained in the balance sheet of the Town prepared by the State Auditor, showing the condition of the Town as of December 31, 1953. A summarization of this Balance Sheet is published below.

The full Auditor's report is on file with the Town Clerk, and is available for the examination of any interested citizens of the Town.

Louis C. Farley, Jr., Town Auditor

TOWN OF LINCOLN

BALANCE SHEET December 31, 1953

General Accounts ASSETS		General Accounts LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND SURPLUS LIABILITIES	
Treasurer's Balance			
General	$163,609.12	Due County - Dog Licenses	$ 26.60
Water	2,987.81	Trust Fund Income	901.25
Petty Cash	64.68	Federal Grants for Welfare	4,014.55
Accounts Receivable		School Milk Fund	70.57
Property Taxes		Overestimate 1953 Assessment	325.89
Levy of 1952	3,785.84	Unexpended Appropriations	9,560.64
Levy of 1953	6,449.52		
Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise		Sub-total, Liabilities	$14,899.50
Levy of 1952	154.03		
Levy of 1953	4,522.34	RESERVES	
Water			
Rates 1952	145.75	Overlay Surplus	$13,005.89
Rates 1953	1,155.70	Road Machinery Fund	1,916.96
Departmental		For Tax Abatement	6,242.04
Various	168.72	Uncollected Revenues	6,146.54
Underestimates 1953 Assessments	411.61	Petty Cash	64.68
Revenue 1954	200.00		
		Sub-total, Reserves	$27,376.11
		SURPLUS	
		General (Free Cash)	$139,148.83
		Water	2,230.68
	$183,655.12		$183,655.12

TREASURER'S REPORT, CALENDAR YEAR 1954

January 1, Balance $163,645.55

RECEIPTS

Bi-Centennial Committee		1,579.00
Board of Appeals		125.00
Board of Health		
Licenses		31.00
Nurse		138.00
Garbage Collections		3,696.38
Anti-Rabies Dog Clinic		85.50
Refund from Board of Health Union Committee		7.62
Borrowed in Anticipation of Taxes		100,000.00
Cemetery, digging graves		455.00
City of Cambridge, Taxes		779.08
Collector of Taxes		322,898.42
Interest and costs		404.47
Concord Court Fines		225.00
deCordova School Equipment Fund Income		692.31
Highways		
Local		589.80
Machinery		1,353.00
Inspectors, Building, Plumbing and Wiring		681.00
Insurance dividend, refund, etc.		59.03
Interest on Deposits		2,626.69
Library Fines		355.50
Transfer from Library Trust Funds		500.00
Massachusetts, Commonwealth of		
Income Tax	$ 16,709.95	
Corporation Tax	16,800.00	
Highways, Snow Removal	165.00	
Licenses	8.00	
Old Age Assistance	17,301.63	
Aid to Dependent Children	13.37	
a/c Loss of Taxes	586.02	
Meals Tax	1,012.17	
School Aid, Ch. 70	12,800.00	
School Transportation	17,058.00	
School Construction	5,044.69	
Vocational Education	19.80	
Division of Child Guardianship	1,842.15	89,360.78
Miscellaneous Licenses, etc.		61.76
Middlesex County:		
Dog Tax		829.17
Old Age Assistance Refunds		630.92
Planning Board		128.00
Real Estate Tax Refund		2,139.35
Sealer of Weights & Measures		20.00
Schools		
Grammar School Fund	$ 37.28	
School Damage Refund	323.55	
Health Unit	5.11	
Telephone Tolls	7.12	
Rentals	100.00	
Tuition Refund	88.66	
Damage	104.01	
Miscellaneous	15.00	680.73

TREASURER

Stickel Claim, case dismissed by Court	$ 1,750.00
Town Clerk, Dog Licenses	1,032.40
Town Hall Rental	44.00
U.S., O.A. A.	13,374.70
U. S., O.A.A. Adm.	760.31
	$711,739.47

PAYMENTS

Selectmen's Orders (see detail)	$556,752.03
Mass. Commonwealth of:	
State Parks and Reservations	689.33
Auditing Municipal Accounts	1,525.23
Middlesex County:	
1954 Tax	11,685.75
Dog Licenses	1,024.00
Tuberculosis Hospital	2,855.51
Total Payments	574,531.85
Balance in Banks, December 31, 1954	137,102.62
Petty Cash Funds	105.00
	$711,739.47

DETAIL OF 1954 DISBURSEMENTS

	Carried Forward from 1953	1954 Income Reserved for Special Purposes	Appropriated in 1954	Transfer from Reserve	Total Available for Expenditure	Amount Expended in 1954	Balance Accruing to Surplus	Balance Carried Forward to 1955
GENERAL GOVERNMENT								
Selectmen								
1. Salaries of Selectmen			600.00		600.00	600.00		
2. Administrative Assistant			5,800.00		5,800.00	5,800.00		
3. Clerks			2,000.00		2,000.00	1,949.99	50.01	
4. Supplies and Miscellaneous			1,037.00		1,037.00	1,028.81	8.19	
Treasurer								
5. Salaries			400.00		400.00	400.00		
6. Clerical			500.00		500.00	498.43	1.57	
7. Supplies and Miscellaneous			288.00	50.00	338.00	331.27	6.73	
Collector of Taxes								
8. Salary			1,800.00		1,800.00	1,800.00		
9. Supplies and Miscellaneous			400.00		400.00	390.16	9.84	
Town Clerk								
10. Salary			350.00		350.00	350.00		
11. Supplies and Miscellaneous			50.00		50.00	14.48	35.52	
Assessors								
12. Salaries			550.00		550.00	550.00		
13. Clerical			1,000.00		1,000.00	975.00	25.00	
14. Supplies and Miscellaneous			375.00	50.00	425.00	423.21	1.79	
Maps	300.00				300.00		300.00	

DETAIL OF 1954 DISBURSEMENTS -- CONTINUED

	Carried Forward from 1953	1954 Income Reserved for Special Purposes	Appropriated in 1954	Transfer from Reserve	Total Available for Expenditure	Amount Expended in 1954	Balance Accruing to Surplus	Balance Carried Forward to 1955
Auditor								
15. Salary			50.00		50.00	50.00		
Legal								
16. Counsel			500.00	220.50	720.50	720.50		
Election and Registration								
17. Salaries			450.00		450.00	376.00	74.00	
18. Supplies and Miscellaneous			425.00	122.90	547.90	547.90		
Town House								
19. Janitor			2,600.00		2,600.00	2,550.00	50.00	
20. Fuel			800.00		800.00	765.11	34.89	
21. Repairs and Maintenance			1,200.00		1,200.00	951.81	248.19	
22. Supplies and Miscellaneous			985.00		985.00	900.31	84.69	
Planning Board								
23. Clerical			150.00		150.00	86.66	63.34	
24. Supplies and Miscellaneous			250.00		250.00	248.93	1.07	
Zoning Survey			1,000.00		1,000.00	227.50		772.50
Finance Committee								
25. Dues			10.00		10.00	10.00		
Total for General Government	300.00	-	23,570.00	443.40	24,313.40	22,546.07	694.83	1,072.50

	Carried Forward from 1953	1954 Income Reserved for Special Purposes	Appropriated in 1954	Transfer from Reserve	Total Available for Expenditure	Amount Expended in 1954	Balance Accruing To Surplus	Balance Carried Forward to 1955
PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY								
Police								
26. Salaries			10,800.00	926.70	11,726.70	11,726.70		
27. Supplies and Miscellaneous			2,900.00		2,900.00	2,447.93	452.07	
28. Car			699.00		699.00	699.00		
Fire Department								
29. Salaries			300.00		300.00	300.00		
30. Labor at fires			3,500.00		3,500.00	3,039.25	460.75	
31. Operation, Supplies & Equipment			3,270.00	393.95	3,663.95	3,663.95		
Fire Alarm			1,210.00		1,210.00	1,210.00		
Tree and Moth Department								
32. Salary			200.00		200.00	200.00		
33. Insect Control			2,300.00		2,300.00	1,371.50	928.50	
34. Poison Ivy Control			600.00		600.00	557.18	42.82	
35. Dutch Elm Disease Control			1,200.00		1,200.00	1,099.35	100.65	
36. Brush Control			500.00		500.00	500.00		
37. Elm Tree removal	94.50		1,405.40		1,499.90	1,218.00	281.90	
New truck and sprayer	177.30				177.30		177.30	
Board of Appeals								
38. Clerical			250.00		250.00	184.17	65.83	
39. Supplies and Miscellaneous			250.00	100.00	350.00	339.71	10.29	

DETAIL OF 1954 DISBURSEMENTS -- CONTINUED

	Carried Forward from 1953	1954 Income Reserved for Special Purposes	Appropriated in 1954	Transfer from Reserve	Total Available for Expenditure	Amount Expended in 1954	Balance Accruing To Surplus	Balance Carried Forward to 1955
Inspectors of Building, Plumbing and Wiring								
40. Salaries and Transportation			800.00	44.95	844.95	844.95		
Civil Defense								
41. Telephone rental			350.00	5.50	355.50	355.50		
42. Supplies and Miscellaneous	230.44		300.00		530.44	405.81		124.63
Total for Protection of Persons and Property	502.24	-	30,834.40	1,471.10	32,807.74	30,163.00	2,520.11	124.63
HEALTH AND SANITATION								
Board of Health								
43. Salaries of Nurse			2,340.00		2,340.00	2,340.00		
44. Supplies and Miscellaneous			890.00		890.00	827.61	62.39	
44a. Garbage Collection			2,500.00		2,500.00	2,272.80	227.20	
Inspector of Animals								
45. Salary			100.00		100.00	100.00		
Total for Health and Sanitation	-	-	5,830.00	-	5,830.00	5,540.41	289.59	-

	Carried Forward from 1953	1954 Income Reserved for Special Purposes	Appropriated in 1954	Transfer from Reserve	Total Available for Expenditure	Amount Expended in 1954	Balance Accruing To Surplus	Balance Carried Forward to 1955
HIGHWAYS								
46.Chapter 90 Maintenance			4,500.00		4,500.00	3,037.95		1,462.05
47. Wages			14,500.00		14,500.00	12,660.60	1,839.40	
48. Machinery, Repairs & Maintenance			5,000.00		5,000.00	4,990.19	9.81	
49. Supplies and Miscellaneous			11,200.00		11,200.00	10,195.84	1,004.16	
50. Street Lights			6,078.06		6,078.06	5,666.12	411.94	
Motor Sweeper			550.00		550.00	550.00		
New Truck			2,500.00		2,500.00			2,500.00
Highway Machinery Fund	1,942.06	1,353.00			3,295.06			3,295.06
Total for Highways	1,942.06	1,353.00	44,328.06	-	47,623.12	37,100.70	3,265.31	7,257.11
AID TO CITIZENS								
51. Public Welfare	3,926.41	13,374.70	22,500.00		39,801.11	38,660.00	274.98	866.13
52. Public Welfare Adm.	88.14	760.31	750.00		1,598.45	1,545.74	1.14	51.57
53. Veterans Benefits			500.00		500.00	28.00	472.00	
Total for Aid to Citizens	4,014.55	14,135.01	23,750.00	-	41,899.56	40,233.74	748.12	917.70
EDUCATION								
Schools								
54. General Control			14,792.00		14,792.00	14,179.52	612.48	
54a. Out of State Travel			178.00		178.00		178.00	
55. Instruction			99,199.00		99,199.00	95,099.34	4,099.66	
56. Operation			20,409.00		20,409.00	19,853.18	555.82	
57. Maintenance			3,940.00		3,940.00	3,927.97	12.03	

DETAIL OF 1954 DISBURSEMENTS -- CONTINUED

	Carried Forward from 1953	1954 Income Reserved for Special Purposes	Appropriated in 1954	Transfer from Reserve	Total Available for Expenditure	Amount Expended in 1954	Balance Accruing To Surplus	Balance Carried Forward to 1955
58. Auxiliary Agencies			61,649.00		61,649.00	56,108.12	5,540.88	
59. Vocational Education			1,330.00		1,330.00	1,241.62	88.38	
60. New Equipment			1,986.00		1,986.00	1,975.11	10.39	
New School Construction	318.88				318.88	318.88		
New School Addition	3,146.97		3,743.56		6,890.53	6,479.29		411.24
Additional Land	750.00				750.00			750.00
Regional School Pl. Comm.	200.00				200.00	174.20		25.80
Regional School Comm.			15,000.00		15,000.00	15,000.00		
Second School Add'n.			145,550.00	4,450.00	150,000.00	13,112.58		136,887.42
Library								
61. Salaries			4,300.00		4,300.00	4,270.00	30.00	
62. Books			1,375.00		1,375.00	1,363.62	11.38	
63. Supplies and Miscellaneous			907.00		907.00	839.21	67.79	
64. Repairs			228.00		228.00	46.40	181.60	
Total for Education	4,415.85	-	374,586.56	4,450.00	383,452.41	233,989.04	11,388.91	138,074.46
RECREATION								
65. Salaries and wages			1,400.00		1,400.00	1,297.80	102.20	
66. Supplies and Miscellaneous			783.00		783.00	713.41	69.59	
Total for Recreation	-	-	2,183.00	-	2,183.00	2,011.21	171.79	-

TREASURER

	Carried Forward from 1953	1954 Income Reserved for Special Purposes	Appropriated in 1954	Transfer from Reserve	Total Available for Expenditure	Amount Expended in 1954	Balance Accruing To Surplus	Balance Carried Forward to 1955
CEMETERY								
67. Salaries			150.00		150.00	150.00		
68. Labor, Maintenance and Interments			2,500.00		2,500.00	2,385.50	114.50	
69. Supplies and Miscellaneous			100.00	35.50	135.50	71.58	63.92	
Permanent Improvements	422.77				422.77	267.20		155.57
Total for Cemetery	422.77	-	2,750.00	35.50	3,208.27	2,874.28	178.42	155.57
UNCLASSIFIED								
70. Middlesex County Pension Fund			2,165.45		2,165.45	2,165.45		
71. Town Reports			1,245.65		1,245.65	1,245.65		
72. Rent of Dump			375.00		375.00	375.00		
72a. Dump Maintenance			1,000.00	298.13	1,298.13	1,298.13		
73. Insurance			5,700.00		5,700.00	5,241.73	458.27	
74. Hydrants (Rent of)			3,195.00		3,195.00	3,195.00		
Memorial Day Committee			150.00	8.55	158.55	158.55		
Unpaid 1953 bills			698.30		698.30	698.30		
Bi-centennial Comm.	2,500.00		3,500.00		6,000.00	5,918.71		81.29
Bedford Airport Comm.			500.00		500.00			500.00
Preservation of Town Records	150.00				150.00			150.00
Building Code Comm.	195.25				195.25			195.25
Hurricane Carol		8,135.54			8,135.54	8,135.54		
Hurricane Edna		4,999.82			4,999.82	4,999.82		
Town Report Comm.	67.40				67.40		67.40	
Rev. of Town By-Laws	150.00				150.00		150.00	
Union Health Dist. Comm.	100.00				100.00		100.00	
Total for Unclassified	3,162.65	13,135.36	18,529.40	306.68	35,134.09	33,431.88	775.67	926.54

DETAIL OF 1954 DISBURSEMENTS -- CONTINUED

	Carried Forward from 1953	1954 Income Reserved for Special Purposes	Appropriated in 1954	Transfer from Reserve	Total Available for Expenditure	Amount Expended in 1954	Balance Accruing To Surplus	Balance Carried Forward to 1955
TOWN DEBT SERVICE								
75. School Bld. Bonds			33,000.00		33,000.00	33,000.00		
75a. Int. on School Bld. Bonds			8,995.00		8,995.00	8,995.00		
76. Highway Equip. Bonds			4,000.00		4,000.00	4,000.00		
76a. Int. on Highway Equip. Bonds			350.00		350.00	350.00		
77. Tax Anticipation Notes		100,000.00			100,000.00	100,000.00		
77a. Int. on Tax. Ant. Notes			500.00		500.00	350.28	149.72	
Total for Debt Service	-	100,000.00	46,845.00	-	146,845.00	146,695.28	149.72	-
REFUNDS								
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax		1,475.22			1,475.22	1,475.22		
Property Taxes		691.20			691.20	691.20		
Total for Refunds	-	2,166.42	-	-	2,166.42	2,166.42	-	-
GRAND TOTALS	14,760.12	130,789.79	573,206.42	6,706.68	725,463.01	556,752.03	20,182.47	148,528.51

Frederick B. Taylor, Town Treasurer

GENERAL FUND, DECEMBER 31, 1954

Assets

Harvard Trust Co., Concord branch		$ 15,108.60
Day Trust Co., Boston		25,778.75
First National Bank of Boston		3,708.82
Arlington Five Cents Savings Bank		4,919.93
Belmont Savings Bank		4,471.25
Beverly Savings Bank		4,690.43
Boston Five Cents Savings Bank		4,374.05
Brockton Savings Bank		4,843.91
Brookline Savings Bank		2,443.20
Cambridge Savings Bank		5,153.04
Charlestown Savings Bank		5,429.10
East Bridgewater Savings Bank		4,867.17
Franklin Savings Bank		4,965.65
Home Savings Bank		4,935.04
Institution for Savings in Roxbury		4,868.09
Lowell Institution for Savings		2,362.79
Lynn Five Cents Savings Bank		4,894.21
Malden Savings Bank		2,426.75
Natick Five Cents Savings Bank		1,256.55
Newton Savings Bank		4,953.46
North Avenue Savings Bank		2,503.11
Warren Institution for Savings		7,113.38
Whitman Savings Bank		5,035.34
Concord Co-operative Bank		6,000.00
		$137,102.62
Petty cash		105.00
Charles S. Smith Fund, payable on demand		100,000.00
Accounts Receivable:		
Taxes, interest to be added	18,353.41	
Middlesex County, Chapter 90 Maintenance	1,500.00	
Comm. of Mass., Chapter 90 Maintenance	1,500.00	
Comm. of Mass. Old Age Assistance	2,994.24	
Underestimate, 1954 County Hosp.	2.32	
Authorized overdraft, Hurricane	13,135.36	
Due from Water Dept.	378.72	37,864.05
Total Assets		$275,071.67

Liabilities and Surplus

Dog licenses, due County	35.00
Road Machinery Fund	3,295.06
Federal grants for Public Welfare:	
Old Age Assistance Administration	21.25
Aid to Dependent Children	465.35
Aid to Dependent Children Administration	19.47
Aid to Disabled	400.78
Aid to Disabled Administration	10.85
Old Age Assistance Recovery	147.74
Overestimate of State Parks Assessment	2.71
Overestimate of County Tax	440.99

Cemetery Investment Fund Income		$ 136.99
Grammar School Fund income		37.28
deCordova School Equipment Fund income		692.31
Unexpended appropriation balances:		
Assessors' maps	$ 300.00	
Bedford Airport Committee	500.00	
Building Code Committee	195.25	
Chapter 90 Maintenance	1,462.05	
Cemetery improvements	155.57	
Civil Defense	124.63	
New Highway truck	2,500.00	
New School Addition No. 1	411.24	
New School Addition No. 2 (see note)	106,887.42	
New School Land Committee	750.00	
Planning Board Zoning Survey	772.50	
Preservation of Town Records	150.00	
Regional School Committee	25.80	
Two Hundredth Anniversary Committee.	81.29	114,315.75
Overlay reserves, 1953	2,361.72	
1954	6,850.34	9,212.06
Overlay Surplus		17,655.07
General Funds Surplus:		
Receivables, reserved until collected.	15,135.59	
Available Surplus ("Free Cash")	113,047.42	128,183.01
Total Reserves and Surplus		$275,071.67

Note: This amount includes $100,000 from the Charles S. Smith Fund. An additional $30,000 has been appropriated, to be raised by borrowing which has been authorized but not yet issued.

OUTSTANDING DEBT

$140,000 School Building Loan, 1 3/4%, due $10,000 each December 1, 1955-1968, issued under Chapter 208, Acts of 1948.

60,000 School Building loan, 1 3/4%, due $5,000 each December 1, 1955-1958, and $4,000 each December 1, 1959-1968, issued under Chapter 44, General Laws, as amended.

16,000 Highway Equipment Building Loan, 1 3/4%, due $4,000 each December 1, 1955-1958, issued under Chapter 44, General Laws, as amended.

211,000 School Building Loan, 1 3/4%, due $13,000 each December 1, 1955-1961, and $12,000 each December 1, 1962-1971, issued under Chapter 356, Acts of 1951.

70,000 School Building Loan, 1 3/4%, due $5,000 each December 1, 1955-1956, and $4,000 each December 1, 1957-1971, issued under Chapter 44, General Laws, as amended.

4,000 Water Equipment Loan, 2 3/4%, due $2,000 each August 1, 1955 - 1956, issued under Chapter 44, General Laws, as amended.

2,500 Water Main Loan, 2 3/4%, due $1,000 each November 1, 1955 - 1956, and $500 November 1, 1957, issued under Chapter 44, General Laws as amended.

$503,500

SCHOOL MILK FUND

Balance, January 1, 1954	$ 70.57	
Receipts	1,962.74	$2,033.31
Payments		1,539.42
December 31, 1954, Balance on Deposit		493.89

WATER DEPARTMENT REPORT

January 1, Balance		$2,228.68

Receipts

Operating:		
Rates, 1953	$ 676.25	
Meter, 1953	57.50	
Rates, 1954	24,211.50	
Meter, 1954	439.94	
Rent of Hydrants	3,195.00	
Water Connections	3,461.53	
Meter Pits, etc.	893.02	
Miscellaneous	315.12	33,249.86
		$35,478.54

Expenses

Salaries & Wages	9,903.72	
Supplies & Maintenance	8,026.97	
Meters and Operating Expense	5,890.43	
Bonds and interest	3,261.25	
Truck	1,342.00	
Heating System	1,000.00	29,424.37
December 31, 1954, Balance on Deposit		$ 6,054.17
		$35,478.54

SPECIAL ACCOUNTS

Old Bedford Road

Balance from 1953	$ 757.13
Expenditures	496.98
December 31, 1954, Balance on Deposit	$ 260.15

CEMETERY INVESTMENT FUND

Cash Account

Receipts in 1954		
Proceeds of sale of Cemetery lots		$ 754.00
Interest on savings account		254.19
		$1,008.19
Savings bank interest allowed to accumulate	$254.19	
Safe deposit box rent	4.00	
Deposited in Middlesex Institution for Savings	607.00	865.19
Cash Balance at December 31, 1954		$ 143.00
Cash on deposit		$ 143.00
Middlesex Institution for Savings		9,269.69
		$9,412.69

Frederick A. Taylor, Town Treasurer

PERPETUAL CARE FUNDS

Deposited in Middlesex Inst. for Savings	Principal	Income accumulated before 1954	1953 Care paid in 1954	1954 Income	December 31, 1954 Balance
Samuel Hartwell	$ 300.00	$ 30.56	$ -	$ 9.98	$ 340.54
Orila J. Flint	300.00	81.86	59.70	9.72	331.88
Annie A. Ray	300.00	93.08	-	11.87	404.95
Maria L. Thompson	500.00	175.15	60.70	18.56	633.01
John H. Pierce	500.00	78.33	59.20	15.68	534.81
George F. Harrington	100.00	7.75	-	3.25	111.00
Francis Flint	250.00	97.20	-	10.49	357.69
William W. Benjamin	500.00	210.18	46.10	20.07	684.15
Abijah Jones	300.00	17.91	-	9.59	327.50
Ellen F. Whitney	100.00	6.28	-	3.20	109.48
E. H. Rogers	250.00	19.17	-	8.14	277.31
Ellen T. Trask	200.00	111.64	41.40	8.16	278.40
Thomas Huddleston	200.00	10.25	-	6.35	216.60
Joa Pacewicz	400.00	47.64	40.30	12.31	419.65
Mary Susan Rice	87.27	15.21	-	3.09	105.57
Julia A. Bemis	300.00	10.48	-	9.38	319.86
Donald Gordon	300.00	135.72	-	13.16	448.88
Elizabeth G. Chapin	300.00	71.68	-	11.23	382.91
Sarah J. Browning	200.00	13.20	-	6.44	219.64
Agnes S. Brown	300.00	28.37	-	9.92	338.29
Lewis W. Woodworth	150.00	6.63	-	4.71	161.34
Robert B. Chapin	300.00	21.54	-	9.71	331.25
Gardner Moore	300.00	19.04	-	9.64	328.68
Mary James Scripture	500.00	30.47	-	16.02	546.49
Charles P. Farnsworth	350.00	22.88	-	11.25	384.13
Helen O. Storrow	2,000.00	186.29	47.60	64.62	2,203.31
Elizabeth S. Wheeler	200.00	14.92	-	6.48	221.40
John H. Wilkins	675.00	70.61	-	22.52	768.13
L.B. and A. E. Thiessen	500.00	39.98	-	16.31	556.29
Paul Dorian	150.00	9.66	-	4.82	164.48
Raymond E. Hagerty	150.00	9.66	-	4.82	164.48
Charles O. Preble	100.00	4.68	-	3.15	107.83
George G. Tarbell	400.00	5.01	-	12.26	417.27
Eugene Sherman	200.00	-	-	-	200.00
Deposited in Suffolk Savings Bank					
J. Waldo Smith	300.00	24.44	-	9.38	333.82
Charles S. Smith	300.00	28.26	-	9.49	337.75
Edward R. Farrar	300.00	13.33	-	9.06	322.39
Anne D. Pollard	300.00	13.02	-	9.06	322.08
	$12,862.27	$1,782.08	$355.00	$423.89	$14,713.24

REPORT OF THE COLLECTOR OF TAXES

1954	Committed	Paid	Abated	Outstanding 12/31/1954
Poll	$ 1,680.00	$ 1,426.00	$ 254.00	None
Personal	21,338.68	20,460.00	208.80	$ 669.60
Real	260,944.56	251,685.42	3,332.40	5,926.74
Excise	45,153.00	33,957.96	3,925.05	8,425.61
1953				
Personal Balance January 1, 1954	875.28	470.40	24.00	404.88
Real Balance January 1, 1954	5,574.24	3,617.40	-----	1,956.84
Excise Balance January 1, 1954 ..... $4,522.34				
" " January 19, 1954 ..... 2,800.00				
" " February 5, 1954 ..... 4,081.13	11,403.47	7,766.90	3,336.16	620.01
1952				
Excise Balance January 1, 1954	154.03	58.30	----	95.73

INTEREST

1954	-	$ 46.23
1953	-	132.64
1952	-	225.60
Total		$404.47

WATER

	Committed	Paid	Abatements & Deductions	Outstanding 12/31/54
1954	$28,096.04	$24,651.44	$2,568.77	$875.83
1953 .. Balance, January 1, 1954	733.75	733.75	-----	None
1952 .. Balance, January 1, 1954	145.75	------	145.75	None

William H. Davis, Collector of Taxes

ASSESSORS' REPORT

The Board of Assessors submit the following report for the year 1954:

All real estate and personal property tax abatement requests must be filed with the Board by October 1, of the year in question, according to law.

All automobile excise tax abatement requests must be filed with the Board within six months of the date of issuance of the notice of assessment or of the date of the sale or transfer of the vehicle, but in any event not later than January 31 of the succeeding year.

1954 Recapitulation

Town:

Total appropriations to be raised by taxation	$400,256.55
Total appropriations to be taken from available funds	64,257.91
	$464,514.46

State: Tax and Assessments

	Estimate	Underestimate	
1. State Audit	$1,525.23		
2. State parks & reservations ..	692.04	153.97	
Totals	$2,217.27	$153.97	2,371.24
County:			
1. County tax	12,126.74		
2. T. B. Hospital assessments	2,853.19	257.64	
Totals	$14,979.93	$257.64	15,237.57
Overlay of Current Year			11,514.49
Gross Amount to be raised			$493,637.76

Estimated Receipts and Available Funds

1. Income tax	$27,567.82
2. Corporation taxes	18,195.60
3. Motor Vehicle & Trailer Excise	30,000.00
4. Old Age Assistance	15,000.00
5. Schools	16,466.19
6. Water Department	27,606.25
7. Interest on Taxes & Assessments	2,300.00
8. State Assistance for School Construction	5,000.00
9. All Others	3,838.05
	$145,973.91

Overestimates of previous year (available funds)	
a. County tax	325.89
Amount voted from available funds	64,257.91
	$64,583.80
Total Estimated Receipts and Available Funds	$210,557.71
Net amount to be raised by taxation on polls and property	283,080.05

Number of polls 840 @ $2.00 Poll tax $1,680.00

Total valuation:			
Personal property	$444,556		
Real estate	$5,417,945	Personal property	$21,338.69
	$5,862,501	Real estate	260,061.36
		Total taxes on Polls and Property	$283,080.05

Number of Acres of Land Assessed	8,741
Number of Dwelling Houses Assessed	774
Tax Rate per $1000	$48

George G. Tarbell, Chairman
Arthur W. Rice, Jr.
G. Arnold Wiley

Board of Assessors

REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF TRUST FUNDS

During the year, 1954, the Commissioners of Trust Funds, to a considerable extent, deposited available cash in savings banks at the improved relatively attractive rate of 3%.

In most cases the rate of return received in the Trusts under supervision of the Commissioners averaged at between 2.65% and 2.76%, with the U.S.A. Series G Bonds paying 2½% and savings banks and some corporate bond issues yielding in the neighborhood of 3%. In those cases where the bonds included U.S.A. Ser. F. bonds, a somewhat higher yield results when the year's increment in value is added to income.

After the purchase of First National Bank of Boston shares in the the DeCordova School Equipment Fund the law was changed to limit purchases to bonds and notes legal for savings banks in Massachusetts. As the First National Bank of Boston stock this year sold above the cost to this Fund, it was deemed prudent to sell the shares.

On October 29, 1954, the Middlesex Superior Court handed down a decree directing that the Charles Sumner Smith Fund with accumulations be applied toward the cost of the proposed addition to the elementary school.

The Trust Fund Commissioners accordingly reviewed the securities in this Fund and concluded to sell certain corporate bonds, which could be disposed of at a profit, rather than run the risk of a possible decline in price. This was done and further sale of securities will be made as cash requirements dictate.

Respectfully submitted,

Clement C. Sawtell

William DeFord

William T. King

Protection of Persons and Property

REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

I herewith submit my report for the Police Department for the year ending December 31, 1954.

Arrests by Lincoln Police	60
Arrests by State Police	28
Total number of arrests	88

Arrests were made for the following offences:

Crimes against the person:	
Assault and Battery	1
Assault on Police Officer	1
Conspiracy to steal	2
Crimes against property:	
Breaking and entering and larceny	7
Larceny	2
Using a motor vehicle without authority	1
Crimes against public order:	
Delinquency	7
Driving a motor vehicle to endanger life	12
Driving a motor vehicle while intoxicated	14
Driving after suspension of license	2
Driving without a license	7
Drunkenness	13
Failing to stop for Police Officer	1
Leaving scene of accident after causing property damage	2
Motor Vehicle Laws, Violating	5
Neglect of Minor Child	1
Operating uninsured motor vehicle	5
Operating unregistered motor vehicle	5

Violations of Motor Vehicle Laws reported to Registry of Motor Vehicles 35

Motor Vehicle accident report:

Accidents reported	88
Occupants injured	66
Occupants killed	2
Pedestrians injured	1

I wish to thank the Concord Police Department for their help and co-operation throughout the past year.

Since the local telephone office will be closing in the Spring, I wish to acknowledge their service to this department. Their efforts to serve the Police Department, and the Town of Lincoln, have taken them beyond their line of duty many times. They have given this service willingly and have done so for many years. For this service I offer them my sincere thanks.

Respectfully submitted,

Leo J. Algeo, Chief of Police

REPORT OF BOARD OF FIRE ENGINEERS

During the past year the department answered 66 alarms as follows:

Buildings	1
Brush	37
Dump	2
Miscellaneous	26

Total property losses are estimated at $19,000.00.

The Board of Engineers would like to report that the closed circuit transmitter has been completed, which will enable the town to have fire alarm boxes at a later date.

The Engineers would like to point out that due to the fine management of William Costello, the department has had to answer only two alarms at the dump. We would also like to congratulate the people of Lincoln for being so co-operative in keeping the number of fires at a minimum.

Due to the two hurricanes last fall, quite a few wooded sections were inaccessible to the fire trucks. Therefore, the Massachusetts Division of Forestry, with the aid of federal funds, opened an estimated 38 miles of roads and lands.

All members of the department would like to extend their appreciation to the Water Department for painting the hydrants different colors according to the size of the pipes that feed them, and marking

the hydrants with stakes for easier location in snow. An additional thanks to the Concord Fire Department for assisting at the Moody fire and explosion.

Respectfully submitted,

Andrew J. Dougherty, Chief
William M. Dean, Clerk
Frank Gordon
Board of Engineers

REPORT OF FIRE HOUSE SITE COMMITTEE

Pursuant to the vote on Article 3 of the Warrant for the Special Town Meeting on October 18, 1954, the Committee as appointed by the Moderator has considered various aspects of fire protection in the Town, including future needs and limitations as suggested by projected population growth, water supply, local geography, telephone service, and insurance rates.

Since the installation of dial telephones will require a 24-hour watch for police purposes anyway, we first investigated the merits of a single central station, with a small permanent force.

Lincoln is now Class "D" for fire insurance rating purposes. To qualify for Class "C" would be prohibitive in expense, but both require all dwellings more than 3 miles from a station to bear a 30% to 100% jump in rates. A single station would leave too many dwellings beyond the 3-mile limit and also might well involve serious delay at the railroad crossing of equipment answering a call.

Our opinion is that the present two-station set-up with "call" firemen is the most feasible system for Lincoln for many years to come, assuming that an adequate force of "call" firemen will continue to be available. Accordingly, we believe that the Town should acquire an adequate site for a fire-house in the northerly half of the Town. We consider that this site should be located on Bedford Road, somewhere between the Town House and North Great Road. An informal public hearing, which all residents of Bedford Road were invited to attend, was held on February 9, in order to discuss the sites which we consider more or less suitable based on actual inspection on the ground. We have concluded that the so-called Tracey lot near the southwest corner of Bedford Road and Cambridge Turnpike, previously recommended to the Town by several Boards concerned in the matter, is the most suitable location for the second fire-station and should be acquired by the Town. An appropriate article has been inserted in

the Warrant for the forthcoming Annual Town Meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

Russell L. Haden, Jr., Chairman
S. Leonard Arnold
Andrew J. Dougherty
Richard J. Eaton
Henry M. Morgan

REPORT OF THE INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

The following animals have been inspected:

Cows, 2 years and over	214
Heifers, 1-2 years	82
Heifers, under 1 year	49
Bulls	6
Steers	9
Horses	38
Sheep	42
Swine	1,127

Found the animals to be under the rules and regulations of the Division of Livestock Disease Control.

Have supplied the Division of Livestock with a list of the owners and the number and kinds on the premises.

Fourteen dog bites were reported. These dogs were placed in quarantine for fourteen days and were then released, as they showed no signs of rabies.

Respectfully submitted,

Andrew J. Dougherty
Inspector of Animals

REPORT OF TREE WARDEN

The first spray applied to public shade trees was a dormant spray to elms for control of the Elm Bark Beetle, carrier of Dutch Elm Disease.

The second spray was started the second week in May, continuing until the middle of June. This spray is for control of Gypsy Moth and other leaf eating insects.

Roadside brush cutting was continued this year during the remainder of June and July. Poison Ivy control spraying was done during the hot weather of July and August, again with favorable results.

After the survey of elm trees in Lincoln this year, it was found that a total of forty-nine individual trees were infected with Dutch Elm Disease. Some of these trees were in clumps of from three to ten and were awarded to the lowest bidder for removal as twenty-nine units. All of these trees have been removed at public expense.

As a result of the two hurricanes, tree damage in Lincoln was very severe. A total of nearly three hundred public trees were destroyed, or damaged so badly that they had to be removed. As work progresses on damaged trees, it may be found that more are in a weakened condition and should also be removed.

This year Lincoln is included within the area of the 1955 aerial spray program conducted by the State. A map of Lincoln showing locations of dairy farms, poultry farms, water supplies, greenhouses, hospitals, etc., has been forwarded to the State and as this program progresses these places will be notified as to any special attention needed.

At this time I again wish to thank all employees of the other Town Departments for their co-operation and help throughout the year.

Respectfully submitted,

Daniel A. MacInnis, Jr.
Tree Warden

CIVIL DEFENSE AGENCY

During the past year one of the main objectives of this Agency has been the recruiting and training of an Auxiliary Police force. This force is now composed of forty members and is available to the Chief of Police for emergency work.

A recent development at the State level is the inclusion of Lincoln in the so-called Evacuation Zone. Heretofore, we have been designated as a "reception" town for receiving and treating evacuees in case of a disaster. The extension of the evacuation zone to include Lincoln is based on the ever increasing power of atomic weapons and the consequent expansion of the area subject to severe devastation The State feels that mass evacuation is now justified because of better warning systems and an increase in warning time.

It becomes readily apparent that such a mass movement presents a multitude of problems. The degree of success necessarily depends on thoroughness of planning and the co-operation of the whole population as to plans and procedures. In conformity with this new plan the Lincoln Civil Defense Agency is now working on evacuation plans which it hopes will accomplish the mission with the least amount of confusion if the need ever arises to put them into effect.

Principal divisions of Lincoln Civil Defense as presently established are: Civilian War Aid (feeding, housing, registration), Medical, Transportation, Communications and Police. Under the direction of the Grange a long felt need has been met through the organization of a mobile feeding unit, the main purpose of which is to take care of workers who may be called out on duty for a long period of time.

In addition to annual operating expenses, we are this year asking for funds to replace our radio transmitting and receiving set which has unfortunately outworn its usefulness. Not only will this be used in the event of a major disaster but will also supplement the over all communication equipment of the Town when and if natural or other disasters occur.

It is with regret that your director accepts the resignation of Mr. and Mrs. Harland B. Newton, who have so ably administered Civilian War Aid during the past five years.

Respectfully submitted,

Eveleth R. Todd
Local Director of Civil Defense

Health and Welfare

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

At the first meeting of the Board of Health, held in March, 1954, Mrs. Bradford Cannon was elected secretary and member of the Nursing Committee, and Dr. Gordon Donaldson, Chairman. Mrs. Marion Ober was appointed agent; Mr. William Davis, burial agent; Mr. Andrew Dougherty, inspector of animals; and Dr. Alden Russell, inspector of slaughtering. Mr. Leslie Willard continued as our sanitation officer and advisor.

During the year the following licenses were granted: overnight camps, 1; slaughtering of poultry, 2; piggeries, 3; sale of alcohol, 6; sale of oleomargarine, 6; garbage transportation, 3; message, 2; and sub-division of land, 6. 181 dogs were presented at the dog clinic in May for inoculation against rabies. Presumably, the remaining dogs in town were inoculated by private veterinarians.

The following diseases, as required by State law, were reported: measles, 2; chicken pox, 59; scarlet fever, 1; mumps, 194; dog bite, 14; pulmonary tuberculosis, 2.

We continue to be extremely fortunate in having a top flight pediatrician to direct the Well Child Clinic. Dr. John Davies has served in this capacity since the opening of the Well Child Clinic seventeen years ago. This is a pre-school clinic open to all with a minimum charge made for preventative inoculations. 23 babies were examined, 51 repeaters seen, and 69 pre-kindergarten children were checked during the year.

Dr. David Farrell continues as our dentist. During the past year the clinic was conducted by appointment for two half days each week. The Board of Health has continued its interest in following developments in the use of fluorine in drinking water as a preventative against dental caries. No action has been taken on this matter as yet.

The garbage collection service, as organized this year with Mr. Joseph Cotoni as town collector, has been generally successful. At the present time there are 224 subscribers to this collection service, and any interested in being included should apply to the Town House. The Town of Lincoln acts only as financial intermediary in this matter, and the service is self-supporting. In as much as many families have animals and facilities for garbage disposal, it seems unfair to throw this expense into the general town tax budget.

HEALTH AND WELFARE

During the past year much of the effort of the Board has been directed toward controlling the subdivision of various land areas. According to a 1953 State Law, the Board of Health is required to supervise each subdivision of land, with reference to drainage and sewer disposal. This detail has taken much of our time and is becoming a most important function. With the future in mind, we have considered each subdivision with care, and have been most concerned about developments in low lands and in areas of ledge. We have found it necessary to be particularly strict, and when any doubt has arisen professional sanitary engineers have been hired at the developer's expense. Permits have been granted only after joint meetings with the Planning and Water Boards.

In view of the rapid development of land in town, the Board is now interested in a study of the area abutting Sandy Pond, our only supply of water. It is hoped that the Town might obtain these areas in the future, and protect Sandy Pond as a suitable water supply in the face of an expanding population.

Respectfully submitted,

Ellen DeN. Cannon
Warren Flint
Gordon Donaldson, M.D., Chairman

REPORT OF THE NURSING COMMITTEE

It has been the feeling of the Board of Health, the Nursing Committee, and Mrs. Ober, that this committee could and should be more active than in the past. Due to elections and retirements, the personnel of the committee is entirely new. It was decided to have Louise McClennen supervisor of the School Health Unit, assisting Mrs. Ober in every way possible. Regular monthly meetings will be held every third Friday, which is directly following the Well Child Conference held every third Thursday.

The work of our Community Nurse, who has served the Town for 22½ years, continues to be almost entirely devoted to the Schools, the Dental Clinic and the Well Child Conference.

Miss Frances Browning served the Town during Mrs. Ober's vacation in August.

1954 SUMMARY

Number of calls	1,210
Medical	369
Surgical	78
Pre-Natal	24

Post-Natal	29
Social Service	105
Child Welfare	278
Board of Health	109
Well Child Conference & Dental Clinic	169
Out of Town	49

Number of patients moved away	2
Number of patients moved to hospitals or nursing homes	3
Number of regular patients as of 12/31/54	10
Number of new patients	4
Number of patients died	6

TOTAL FEES COLLECTED 1954

Nursing calls	$128.00
Dental clinic	1228.75
Well Child Conference	20.75
	$1377.50
Dog Clinic	85.50
Total	$1463.00

Respectfully submitted,

Elizabeth Donaldson
Louise McClennen, Secretary
Ellen Cannon, Chairman

REPORT OF THE PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AGENT

The public assistance program rests on the recognition by the community as a whole of its responsibility for individual members of the community. This recognition of responsibility is expressed in laws which are the basis of the program and which define the function of the agencies involved.

The case load in Old Age Assistance is the same as at the close of the year 1953. During the year four cases were closed and four were added. There are now 36 cases receiving assistance. Increase in cost is due to extra hospital care and medical expenses.

Old Age Assistance:

Gross Cost		$37,309.18
Receipts:		
Balance from 1953	$ 3,060.28	
Federal Government	13,374.70	
Commonwealth of Mass.	17,301.63	
Commonwealth of Mass. Meals Tax	1,012.07	
Other Cities & Towns	220.70	34,969.48
Cost to the Town of Lincoln		2,339.70
		$37,309.18

No assistance has been granted in 1954 in the Aid to Dependent Children or Aid to Disabled Categories.

Public Welfare:

Aid granted	$1,350.82

Respectfully submitted,

M. Elizabeth Causer,
Agent

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MOSQUITO CONTROL

At the annual town meeting on March 1, 1954, by a motion passed under Article 16 of the warrant, the Moderator was directed to appoint a committee to report at the next town meeting, regular or special, relative to mosquito control. For various causes, the report has been delayed until now. The undersigned, being the committee appointed, have attempted to determine what courses might be pursued by the town, what the costs would be, and what advantages and disadvantages may be cited for each course.

The committee emphasizes, at the outset, that mosquito control is to be looked on as a continuing operation carried on year after year, even if the administrative arrangements are altered from time to time. This does not mean that the cost and the coverage or methods of attack are permanently determined at the beginning.

There are three positive courses, one of which the town might adopt:
A. Revive our one-town district under the State Reclamation Board.
B. Go it alone.
C. Join the East Middlesex Mosquito Control District.

Discussion of these courses

A. We used this procedure in 1946. It was then the only feasible course of action. Its only real advantage is that we would be completely independent of other towns in the management and financing of our project and could do a slower job than under Alternative C.

There appears to be certain clear disadvantages to a one-town district. We would have to find our own labor and superintendence. The finding of labor is only a partial disadvantage since some town labor could be used effectively. We see no evidence that such use of labor would yield a financial advantage over Alternative C. Superintendence is more serious. There is no doubt of the competency of available personnel to carry out any needed operations. The real lack would be specialized, professional planning of the work. We doubt whether any Commissioners appointed for the town would have either the time or the special knowledge to do this planning and management on a volunteer basis.

If the Selectmen's administrative assistant undertook the planning and management, it would presumably be as an added duty and not in place of any part of his present duties. Further, he would then have responsibility to two masters, deriving their authority from different sources. The Commissioners of a Mosquito Control District derive their authority to spend the town's money from the State Reclamation Board to which the town's appropriation is paid.

It must be noted that the Reclamation Board has neither funds nor manpower to provide a town with anything beyond very general advice as to

planning. Further, the average cost per town in the East Middlesex District for year 'round superintendence is $650.

A more significant disadvantage is the increased cost of aircraft service even if we worked closely with other towns or the East Middlesex District. A major item here is the cost of a separate ground crew. We hav one estimate involving cooperative air spraying by Concord, Wayland and Lincoln at a cost of $2,000 per town. East Middlesex averages about $35(per town.

Minimum cost of A. would appear to be $4,000 to $5,000, excluding overhead.

B. If we should decide to go it alone we would face the same advantages and disadvantages as under A. We would forego any claim to even th small amount of advice that the State Reclamation Board would be able to give us. A district under the Board does not involve any payment to the Board for its services. The cost would be the same as under Alternative

C. Before discussing adherence to the East Middlesex District we must note certain facts.

The district now contains 11 cities and towns, including the bordering towns of Lexington, Waltham and Weston. Its Commission includes a representative from each town. This is normally a member or agent of the Boar of Health.

The East Middlesex Mosquito Control Commission on May 11, 1954, voted, subject to approval by the Reclamation Board, to admit Lincoln to the district.

Approval by the Board requires the following:

1. A petition to the Board (from the town or the selectmen) either to fo a one-town district or for admission to East Middlesex. The petition wou show that the necessary Commissioners had been appointed and the necessary money appropriated.

2. The Board holds a public hearing and thereafter approves or disapprov the petition.

The East Middlesex District has asked an initial appropriation of $7000 The Board holds a balance for us of $284.77. The net appropriation would be $6715.23. It is probable that a petition to join East Middlesex would not be approved unless we appropriated the above net sum. We are told th no further appropriation would be asked until the annual town meeting in March, 1956.

We have already hinted, under A and B, at the advantages of joining Eas

Middlesex. First, we would have the planning and other services of an experienced professional superintendent. Also, the finding and supervision of labor, including temporary labor, would be done for us. Finally, we would secure special services, such as airplane work, at the best rates. (The estimate for the first year for airplane service of $550.) It is quite probable that the real proportion of each dollar going into overhead would be less than under Alternatives A or B.

The major disadvantage is that we would have a moral commitment, even if not a legal one, to appropriate the amount of money requested annually by the District.

The initial $7000 asked by East Middlesex would be divided as $1000 for our share of the capital investment and $6000 for operation. Superintendent Armstrong has proposed the following breakdown under operations:

Dec. 1954 to Feb. 1955 -- Dusting and brush cutting	$ 450
April 1955 -- Spring air spraying (actual aircraft hire, $250)	550
May to Oct. 1955 -- Spraying and ditch cleaning	1100
Autumn 1955 -- Ditching	1000
Dec. 1955 to Feb. 1956 -- Dusting and brush cutting	500
April 1956 -- Spring air spraying	500
Unassigned, including overhead	1900

When the program is well under way it is possible that the annual cost may drop below $6000. Further, the amount of work done in a town is limited by the amount appropriated in each year by the town. No town pays anything toward operations in any other town. Only certain overhead items are charged equally to all towns.

Recommendation

Your committee recommends that the town join the East Middlesex Mosquito Control District under conditions mutually agreed upon by the town and the State Reclamation Board.

Respectfully submitted,

John B. Tew
Barbara K. Warner
Charles H. Blake, Chairman

REPORT OF BEDFORD AIRPORT COMMITTEE

Your Committee was appointed by the Moderator, pursuant to vote of the Town at its March meeting. Its first job was to get the facts about expansion of Bedford Airport. During the Spring and Summer, committee members visited Hanscom Field, interviewed informed persons and learned as much about the future plans for Bedford as security permits. An initial report was made to the Selectmen in September, and copies were mailed to all residents.

The report outlined the facts of the proposed expansion at Hanscom Field and the danger to lives and property in Lincoln. It concluded that the location of a defense squadron at Bedford and its use as the only reserve training base in New England were open to serious question, and that the matter should be presented to a special town meeting. On October 18, 1954, the Town unanimously passed a Resolution addressed to our Senators and our Representative requesting reconsideration of the decision to locate a defense squadron at Bedford, and curtailment of reserve training there. This Resolution was acknowledged personally by Congresswoman Rogers and Senator Saltonstall, Chairman of the Armed Services Committee. Senator Kennedy's office acknowledged for him, as the Senator was temporarily in the hospital.

In November, an open forum was arranged where members of the Air Force Command at Bedford could discuss the whole problem face to face with the Town. In December, the Lincoln Committee, plus representatives from several surrounding towns, met with Senator Saltonstall in Boston. At this meeting three main points were stressed:

1. Lincoln recognizes the necessity of the complete development of Bedford as a research base.

2. Lincoln would like a further explanation of the decision to station a fighter interceptor squadron at Bedford in view of the official statement of the Air Space Committee that such action "is at best a compromise in respect to the freedom of operation desirable for the successful execution of their mission."

3. Lincoln would like to know why it is necessary for so much reserve flying to be concentrated at Bedford, with reservists coming from other states as well as the full length and width of Massachusetts.

The Senator was most co-operative and expressed his intention of discussing these matters with the authorities in Washington. Just before this report went to press, he notified your Committee that "The Commander of Lawrence G. Hanscom Air Force Base has been requested to arrange flying activities on Sundays whereby aircraft noise will not interfere with church services." The Senator said further, "I send this along as evidence of some progress that is being made and

add my assurance that I will continue to work hard on this problem in your behalf."

Your Committee believes that the Bedford Airport problem deserves the continuing attention of the Town. It is a long range one, affecting the entire area. At the end of 1953 the whole value of the Bedford Airport installations was estimated at about 28 millions. An additional 60 million dollars of Federal money is now being spent there. Large training and fighter installations are being added to the research activities of the base. By the end of 1956 the Airport will cover not less than $3\frac{1}{2}$ square miles, and be serviced by personnel numbering not less than 8,000.

Although it has been impossible to obtain an authoritative estimate of the amount of increase in the number of take-offs and landings, it is definitely established that there will be more than at present. During 1954 there were 142,891, or an average of about 400 per day. No one in authority has been willing to state that the airport will not be expanded further when present appropriations are exhausted. Therefore, we recommend that a committee be continued, at least for another year, for the following reasons:

1. To continue to press for answers to the basic questions whether it is really in the National interest to expand Hanscom Field for operational flying, and whether reserve training should be concentrated at Bedford.

2. To maintain constant vigilance concerning possible land takings for extension of runways or for public housing, etc.

3. To report individual infractions of safe flying procedures.

Respectfully submitted,

Thomas B. Adams, Chairman
Calvin P. Bartlett, Secretary
Richard J. Eaton
Walter E. Belanger
Katharine S. White

Planning and Public Works

REPORT OF THE PLANNING BOARD

The Planning Board, in accordance with custom, reorganized at its first meeting following the 1954 Annual Town Meeting, electing Richard J. Eaton, Chairman, and Arthur T. Howard, Clerk. Regular meetings were held, as usual, on the second and fourth Wednesday of each month, except in July and August when one regular meeting per month was held. There were several additional meetings and four advertised public hearings.

Sub-division Control

Under the Sub-division Control Law, lots of adequate size and frontage on existing public ways may be built upon without Planning Board approval. Plans of such lots may not be recorded at the Registry of Deeds without the endorsement, "Approval under Sub-division Control Law not required", and duly signed by a majority of the Board. Our records show that we executed forty-six such endorsements during the year.

Four proposals for sub-division are currently under preliminary discussion. The following sub-divisions were conditionally approved:

Olga Pertzoff, off Bedford Road
Edward A. and Mary Danosky, off Farrar Road
Everett and Sadie Sherman, off Lincoln Road
August Schumacher, off Lincoln and Old Sudbury Roads

The following sub-divisions were finally approved and bonds discharged:

Allied Commonwealth Corp. (Granville Road) off Baker Bridge Road
Harold W. Demone (Oak Knoll Road) off Cambridge Turnpike

The Board wishes to emphasize that conditional, or even final approval of a sub-division after all the requirements relative to construction of improvements have been met, does not imply approval for acceptance by the Town of such improvements at a later date. The present Board will not recommend to the Town acceptance of streets as public ways, unless street surfaces and water mains are currently in good repair and any drainage inadequacies are rectified to its satisfaction.

PLANNING BOARD

Advisory Opinions

The Board was again called upon by the Selectmen, and in January, 1955, by the Special Fire-Station Site Committee, to advise on the location of a site for a future fire station in the northerly half of the Town. It re-affirmed its previous opinion that the so-called Tracey lot near the southwest corner of Cambridge Turnpike and Bedford Road is by far the most satisfactory location for a second fire station.

New Rules and Regulations

On December 8, 1954, new Rules and Regulations of the Planning Board were published and are available at the Town House.

Long-range Planning

To avoid repetition, the Board refers to its report for 1953.

Change in Zoning By-Law: Relative to re-zoning single-resident districts, the Board sponsored an informal public meeting in October to discuss the proposal to increase lot sizes to 60,000 or 80,000 square feet. Predominant sentiment favoring the latter figure encouraged the Board to present the question formally to the special Town Meeting on October 18, 1954. At this meeting, the Board was authorized to spend $1000 for a lot-size and land-use survey of the Town, a project which was immediately started and now substantially completed (Feb. 1, 1955). Statistical analyses and compilations will be available prior to the forthcoming Annual Town Meeting. The total cost of this survey should be substantially less than the amount authorized, thanks to the supervision generously contributed by Mr. Alan McClennen.

Sandy Pond Watershed: The protection of our water supply from Sandy Pond by acquisition of a reasonable portion of its watershed is a subject of increasing urgency. Much of the land is still undeveloped swamp and woodland. Acquisition under conditions agreeable to the present owners is certainly far more feasible today than it will be in the not too distant future when serious contamination may become a real threat to public health.

Respectfully submitted,

Richard J. Eaton, Chairman
Arthur T. Howard, Clerk
Howard Snelling
Everett A. Black
Alan McClennen

REPORT OF BOARD OF APPEALS

As can be seen from the cases listed below, the Board of Appeals has conducted frequent hearings and considered numerous difficult problems.

The basic policy of the Board has been to grant individual relief where it could properly be done without presently altering in any way the neighborhood concerned, or establishing conditions which might in the future, adversely affect a neighborhood. The Board has felt it must conform to the expressed wishes of the Town and adhere closely to the existing Zoning By-Law. This has meant that the Board has been unwilling to take action which would change the appearance or use of any part of the Town.

Set forth below is a summary of the decisions of the Board.

Application of Lucy K. Rand for a variance for the use of Lot C as a building lot, approved.

Application of Leo Corrigan for permission to alter a barn into a dwelling, approved.

Application of Vincent Merrill for a variance to permit construction of a building 25 feet from property line, denied.

Application of Town of Lincoln for a variance to permit the use of a lot on Bedford Road containing less than 22,000 square feet for a fire station, approved.

Application of Nickolas Lindsay for a variance to permit a business in a residential area, denied.

Application of Dr. Angelo for a variance to permit the construction of a two-car garage less than 40 feet back from the line of way, denied.

Application of Norman Brisson for permission to permit storage of landscaping and construction equipment in the gravel pit off North Great Road, granted for one year only.

Application of Jean Nesto for a variance to permit the designation of a lot of land for dwelling house purposes, such lot to have less than the required frontage on a right of way, denied.

Application of Roland F. Beers for a variance to permit the sub-division of land owned by him on Winter Street into two lots, approved.

Application of Mildred S. Bowles for permission to rent ponies,

granted for one year only.

Application of Helena A. Dee for a variance to permit the use of land with an area of less than 40,000 square feet as a house lot and to permit the use of a garage less than 40 feet from the line of way as a dwelling. Use of land approved, alteration of barn to dwelling, denied.

Application of Melvin S. Wilson for a variance to permit the erection of an addition to garage 17 feet from lot line, approved.

Application of Thomas Newbold for a variance to permit alteration to dwelling less than 30 feet from lot line, approved.

Application of Francis Umbrello for permission to continue use of trailer for farm help, approved for one year only.

Application of Robert Pearmain for permission to alter dwelling on land not conforming with zoning regulations, approved.

Application of Norman Hoar for a variance to allow temporary installation of a second kitchen, approved for one year only.

Application of Barbara Ennis for permission to maintain a private nursery school in her home on Bedford Road, approved for one year only.

Application of Warren Flint for permission to remove surplus peat from his property on Lexington Road, approved.

Application of Ralph Olson for permission to remove surplus loam from his property on South Great Road, approved.

Application of Hope Hunt to continue use of her house on Conant Road by two families, approved for three years only.

Application of Douglas Burckett for permission to use a garage as a dwelling, approved conditionally.

Application of Harry B. Knowles, III, for permission to alter garage not conforming with zoning regulations, approved.

Application of Philip Lindsey and John and Lena Primak to vary the application of the Zoning By-Laws to permit the sale of new and used cars at the junction of Route 2A and the Concord By-Pass, denied.

Respectfully submitted,

Henry B. Hoover
John White
Thomas B. Adams
Elmer H. Ziegler
Elliott V. Grabill, Chairman

REPORT OF WATER COMMISSIONERS

Mr. Edward S. Taylor was elected at the last annual meeting to succeed Mr. Robert W. Scott whose term had expired. The Board appreciates the conscientious and valuable services which Mr. Scott rendered during his seven years in office.

The Board held 24 meetings during the year. The following subdivision applications were considered and acted upon:

Mr. Norman Leger	1 lot	Service connection, Route 2
Mr. Harold Adler	8 lots	Trapelo Road
Mr. Harold Demone	7 lots	Route 2
Brown's Woods, Inc.	23 lots	Between Weston and Conant Roads
Mr. E. W. Giles	11 lots	North Great and Virginia Roads
Mr. Edward Danosky	6 lots	Farrar Road
Mr. D. E. Sherman, Jr.	12 lots	Lincoln and Old Sudbury Roads
Mr. August Schumacher	16 lots	Lincoln and Old Sudbury Roads
Mr. Anthony Cassis	25 lots	Route 2
U. S. Army Corps of Engineers		Radar station on Hathaway Hill, South Great Road

The Water Works allowed the Government permission to connect to the Town water system subject to the right of the Town to restrict the use of water or to discontinue the service altogether if the Town so chose.

The chlorinating apparatus, which was recommended by the State Board of Health and voted on favorably by the Town, was installed in January. One-tenth part of chlorine per million parts of water is applied to the water as it is pumped at the station. The State recommended this amount as the proper application for the present, but it is subject to variation as a result of the State's analysis of future water specimens and their resulting recommendations. The Board has had no complaints on the taste of the chlorine in the water.

All hydrants were repainted and different sizes of mains were distinguished by different colors on the hydrants for the benefit of the Fire Department.

The Board went on record with the State Department of Public Health as being unanimously opposed to the proposed legislation which would relax present laws protecting public water supplies.

The Board voted to discontinue to supply water to present customers who are residents of abutting towns where water from such town was available for their use.

The Water Works collected damages for two hydrants damaged by automobiles.

A modern, automatic hot air heating plant was installed in the Pumping Station at a contract cost of $1,000.00, and is working very satisfactorily. The toilet facilities have been replaced with modern equipment.

After due consideration, new water rates have been established, designed to conform to the use of meters. The new rates are intended to make the gross amount collected approximate the amount that would have been collected by the fixture rate basis. In addition to ordinary operating expenses this amount should be enough to allow for the amortization of the cost of the meters in about 10 years, and to refund and pay the interest charges on the bonds already issued by the Town for the Water Department, as well as to accumulate some surplus for future expenses which are herein listed and discussed briefly.

a. Obtaining a supplementary water source.

About $10,000 has been spent on geological, seismographic and test well reports, and although a 1,000,000 gallon per day well could be developed at the Fairhaven Bay site and connected to the mains at a cost of $250,000, the Commissioners are not satisfied that the Town should undertake the project. The location is such that impure water might, in the future, enter the system. Furthermore, there seem to be other less expensive possibilities. For $5,000 a report can be made on the only remaining possible adequate ground water supply in Town. This site, between Lake Walden and Route 126, might supply sufficient water from a series of wells around 30 feet deep. It would probably be less costly to develop this source than the Fairhaven Bay source. Hobbs Brook Reservoir is another possible source, but that has always been nearly dry when Sandy Pond is low. Cost for installing pump, pipes, fixtures and filter bed for this site has not been estimated. (See Blake P. 122, 1952 Report).

b. Renewing the present 12" pipe from the Pumping Station to the reservoir.

The present pipe is partly filled with tubercles and should eventually be replaced with a 16" pipe. The estimate for this work is $60,000.

c. Extending the suction into the pond.

The present suction pipe should be extended far enough to draw the pond down four more feet, resulting in a possible draw down of about 13 feet from the present pond level. (See Blake P. 123, 1952 Report.) No estimate has been obtained for this work.

d. New Venturi meter (complete).

The tube in the present meter is so filled with deposits after over 50 years of use that the recorded gallonage must be reduced by about 30% to arrive at an estimated number of gallons passing through it. An accurate figure of the number of gallons pumped is important in estimating the potential of the pond, in comparing the amount of water pumped with the total amount as recorded by meters, and in checking the efficiency of the pumps. Cost of material $1600.00, plus installation.

The new rates are as follows, not necessarily considered permanent:
For all services upon which meters are installed there shall be a semi-annual meter charge based upon the size of the meter, as follows:

Size of Meter	Semi-Annual Charge
5/8"	$1.00
3/4"	1.50
1"	2.00
1½"	5.00
2"	7.00
3"	14.00

For each water service, in addition to the meter charge, a minimum charge of $9.00 semi-annually payable in advance January 1 and July 1 of each year, for an amount not exceeding 15,000 gallons of water in each six month period; charges for water in excess of 15,000 gallons within six consecutive months shall be as follows:

15,000 - 50,000	gal.	@ $	.40 per 1,000 gal.
50,000 - 500,000	"	@	.30 per 1,000 gal.
over 500,000	"	@	.20 per 1,000 gal.

All bills for water services to be subject to a discount of 10% if paid within 60 days of dated bill, provided all prior charges are paid in full to date.

Sandy Pond at elevation 222.62 is full. The Commissioners believe it is better to let it spill through the balance of this wet period, rather than build up the shores to raise the level, which would result in the pond damaging banks and backing into swamps (where there is accumulated vegetation). Later the spill may be stopped by sand bags at the overflow.

However, this wet cycle will undoubtedly be followed by a dry one, and Sandy Pond, even if Concord discontinues drawing from it, will in

the near future be insufficient to supply the Town if its present rate of growth continues.

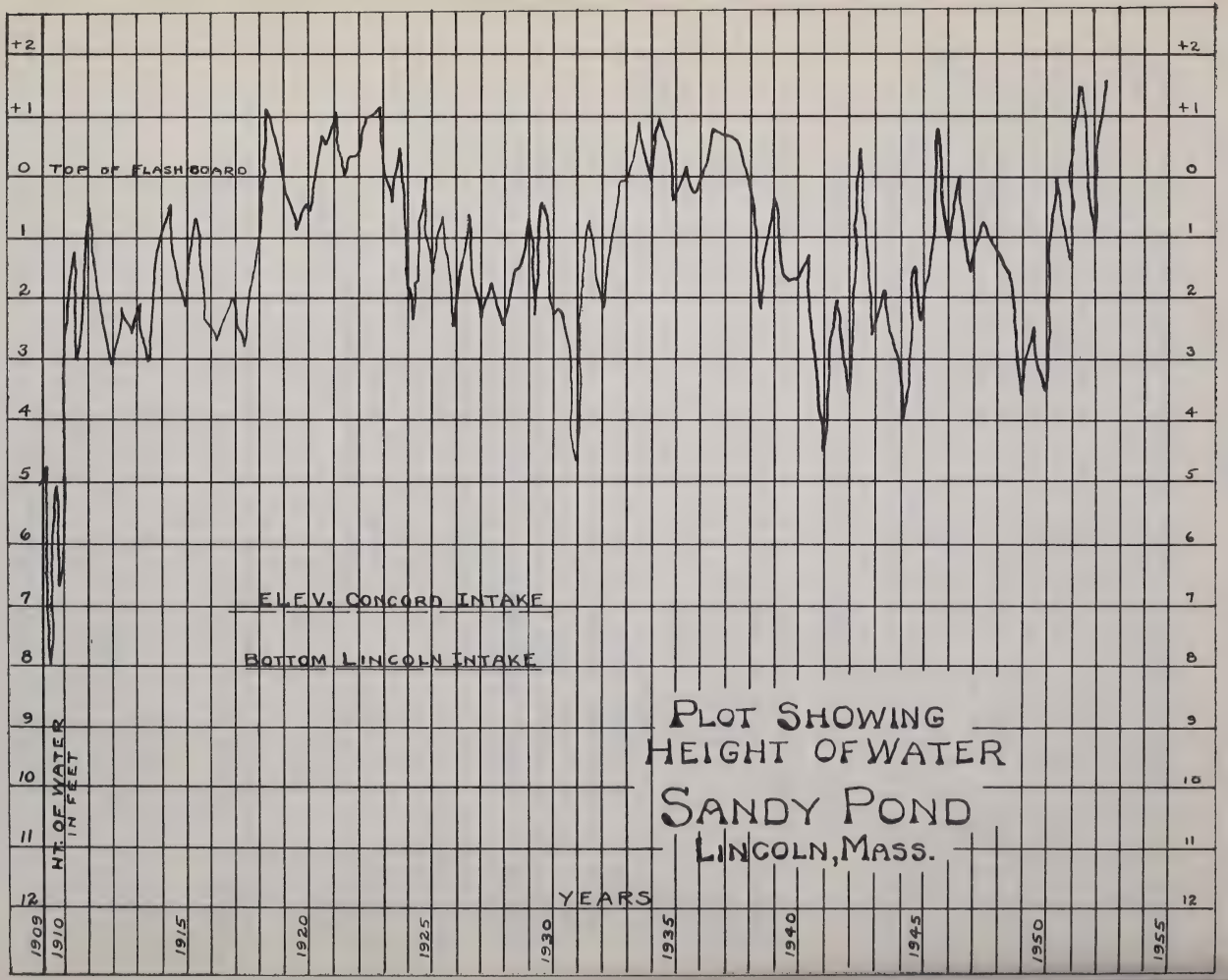
About four miles of road contain no water main, being Conant Road, Mill Street, Sandy Pond Road and Route 126 from the corner of Walden Road to the Concord line. The warrant for the last special Town Meeting contained an article asking the Town to vote on an extension of main on Route 126. The petitioner did not offer the article for consideration on the understanding the Board would review the regulation requiring the petitioners to pay the full cost of extending mains. The Board feels that this regulation is for the best interest of the Water Works and the Town and should be consistently enforced. Furthermore, sub-division plans are not approved unless the sub-division is served by adequate mains installed at the petitioner's expense.

WATER DEPARTMENT STATISTICS - January 1, 1955

Pipe in use	29.254 M.
Number of hydrants in use	215
Number of stop-gates in use	273
Number of blow-offs in use	27
Range of pressure on mains	40 - 100 lbs.
Total gallons pumped	93,347,250
Number of services added	52
Number of services renewed	12
Number of services in use	791
Number of meters in use	824
Number of meters installed	209

Respectfully submitted,

Henry Warner, Secretary
Edward S. Taylor
Sumner Smith, Chairman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SANDY POND
LINCOLN, MASS.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

The hurricanes Carol and Edna caused radical changes in the highway program for 1954. The Tree Warden, assisted by the Highway and Water Department employees, worked many hours clearing the streets for traffic, clearing the power lines and cleaning up the brush.

Prior to the hurricanes, a mile of South Great Road was surfaced with asphalt and stone under Chapter 90 maintenance. Five miles of Town roads were treated with asphalt and sand.

The usual maintenance program of clearing streets, catch basins, culverts, street signs, fences, etc., has been continued.

The Highway Department built a large parking lot at the Charles Sumner Smith school and a fence for the protection of the Town Dump on North Great Road.

On many of our roads there is need of shoulder construction, storm drainage and the elimination of banks that tend to limit visibility.

Equipment is in fair condition but replacement of the older equipment should be made in a planned program of renewal.

Respectfully submitted,

Clifford H. Bradley, Superintendent

INSPECTORS OF BUILDING, PLUMBING AND WIRING

Building permits issued during 1954:	
New residential buildings	61
New non-residential buildings	20
Alterations and additions	29
Fees Collected	$357.00
Plumbing permits issued during 1954	89
Fees Collected	$164.00
Wiring permits issued during 1954	113
Fees Collected	$135.00

Walter Bergquist, Building Inspector
William M. Dean, Wiring Inspector
Daniel J. Murphy, Plumbing Inspector

REPORT OF THE CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS FOR THE YEAR 1954

During the past year work on the cemetery grounds has been confined largely to regular maintenance with the main exception of the added work caused by the two hurricanes.

Currently a study is being made in the interest of major improvements and long range planning. Matters being studied are:

1. Drainage and soil improvements
2. Improvement of roads, including marking and naming
3. Acquisition of additional land
4. Use of interest on Perpetual Care Funds
5. Rules and Regulations

The constant enlargement and use of the Lincoln Cemetery on Lexington Road makes necessary some rules and regulations. Their purpose is to create an attractive appearance and an orderly development of the cemetery, to make known the policies of the Commissioners, and to keep the maintenance and expenses of upkeep as reasonable as possible. The Commissioners will be glad to discuss any of these matters with those who may have questions or suggestions. These rules and regulations are as follows:

1. Lots are for sale only to residents of Lincoln.
2. Lots are sold with the understanding that they may be graded immediately at the buyer's expense under the direction and approval of the Board.
3. Cost of lots is figured at 50¢ per square foot.
4. Owners are encouraged to place Perpetual Care on their lots. The minimum amount currently is $150, but a sum amounting to approximately $1.00 per square foot of space is suggested for most lots. However this sum earns such a small amount of interest yearly in the Savings Bank that it seems wise to hold the interest for whatever period of years is necessary to have sufficient money to regrade or make major improvements to the lot.
5. All planting, work and the setting of monuments in the cemetery must be under the direction of the Board.

For Report on Cemetery Funds for Perpetual Care, see Statistical section.

Burials:

January 22, 1954	Elizabeth Ann Penketh
February 9, 1954	Ada Peterson Nelson
March 24, 1954	Warren Kendell Blodgett, 2nd
March 30, 1954	Leoina Butcher

May 3, 1954	Christina Brown Crozier
May 15, 1954	Chester Sherman
May 18, 1954	Jean Patricia (Kelly) Davis
May 31, 1954	Alice M. Davis
June 9, 1954	Ernest H. MacFarland
June 14, 1954	Edward H. Rogers
June 15, 1954	Patrick J. Neary
June 21, 1954	Henry Eldridge Warner
July 10, 1954	Ira Forbes DeVeau
August 11, 1954	Thomas John Clarke
August 28, 1954	Baby Bockoven
September 23, 1954	Sadie Sautter
October 20, 1954	John Axel East
November 9, 1954	Alessandro J. Miele
December 4, 1954	Stella E. Hunter
December 12, 1954	William Clark Burns
December 27, 1954	James William Woodworth

Respectfully submitted,

George E. Cunningham
Robert D. Donaldson
Arnold MacLean

Cemetery Commissioners

REPORT OF THE LINCOLN-SUDBURY REGIONAL SCHOOL COMMITTEE

In March of 1954 the citizens of Sudbury and Lincoln approved the for tion of a Regional School District by so marking their ballots on electi day. At that time the moderators of the two towns were instructed to appoint three members each to serve on a Regional School Committee. It is not appropriate here to analyze in detail the intensive program pursu by this Committee during the past ten months. Much of this has been re ported in special town meetings and in the brochure mailed to the voters last November. The outline which follows is a progress report to advis you of the current status of the high school building program.

Early in April the Committee met in Sudbury, mapped out a careful time schedule, and began the arduous task of providing a high school by September of 1956. A Site Committee was chosen to decide on the best location for the building. Mrs. Everett Sherman, Mr. William Swift, and Mr. Alan McClennen represented Lincoln on this Committee. A Buildir Committee was appointed to study other school buildings and to help with the layout of the physical plant itself. Mrs. James Jagger, Mr. Richard Fleck and Mr. James Lennon represented Lincoln on this Committee. Dr. Herold Hunt of the Harvard School of Education was asked to be Educational Consultant. After interviewing numerous applicants, the firm of Anderson and Beckwith was chosen to be the architects for the new building.

Of the many locations considered by the Site Committee the one chosen is a 72 acre tract of land located at the intersection of Concord and Lincoln Roads in Sudbury. The land was taken by eminent domain during the summer. A final settlement regarding price has not yet been reached. Negotiations with the present owners of the property are being handled for the Committee by its legal counsel, the firm of Ropes, Gray, Best, Coolidge and Rugg.

Before planning the building, careful study was given to the educational program. Joint meetings were held with the School Committees of the two towns. At this point Mr. Douglas Roberts, the Lincoln Superintendent of Schools, and Dr. Rex Souder, the Sudbury-Wayland Superintendent of Schools, were engaged as Educational Consultants, and served the Committee thereafter on either a full time or part time basis.

Originally it was intended that the school should accommodate 500 pupils, but study of current enrollments indicated that such a building would soon be outgrown. The building outlined in detail in the brochure published in November is the result of long hours of debate and discussion at innumerable meetings with the architects, the educational consultants, and the State Building Assistance Commissioner. It will accommodate 650 pupils and will cost approximately $1,500,000, of which the State of Massachusetts will pay about 45%. The preliminary plans for the building were approved by the State School Building Assistance Commissioner on

December 8, 1954. The State Emergency Finance Board approved the bond issue on December 27. Final plans and specifications are now being prepared.

Several applicants for the position of superintendent have been interviewed. A call has been issued to the outstanding man of the group, but as yet there is nothing definite to report. The Committee regards the selection of a competent superintendent as one of its most important responsibilities. Rather than engage the best of a group of applicants, the Committee has carefully considered and determined the qualifications it expects its superintendent to present, and intends to proceed in the quest of such an individual until he is found. It is hoped that an appointment can be made in the very near future so that the new superintendent can assist in the detail planning of the building.

Early in December the program as outlined in the brochure was presented to each town in special town meetings. It was most encouraging to the Committee to have both towns vote unanimously in favor of the school.

Every effort is being made now to complete the final plans and specifications so that they may be sent out for bids in the early spring. It is expected that ground will be broken in April. The building must be ready for occupancy in September of 1956. With careful planning and concentrated effort, we fully expect to reach that goal.

The Committee is aware of the concern on the part of some parents of children who will be enrolled in the first classes to attend the Regional High School as to whether the educational program can be sufficiently well organized and administered during the first years to insure that they can qualify for college or a business career. With the support of the towns, this Committee is confident that this can be done. It is our belief and recommendation that the initial teaching and administrative staff, which will be relatively small, should be selected from highly qualified and experienced personnel, capable of organizing and launching a predetermined educational program without the breaking-in period that sometimes attends a new undertaking.

Respectfully submitted,

Luther M. Child
Robert S. Childs
Victor A. Lutnicki
William A. Wilson
John G. Woods
Malcolm L. Donaldson, Chairman

REPORT OF THE BUILDING COMMITTEE FOR THE FIRST ADDITION TO THE CHARLES SUMNER SMITH SCHOOL

The addition has been completed and a full report made to the State School Building Assistance Commission. Expenditures in the amount of $401,335.92 have been approved as a basis for reimbursement from the Commonwealth. It is expected that 27.27% or approximately $109,444.31 will be paid to the Town in twenty equal installments which correspond to the years over which the bond issue runs.

Respectfully submitted,

Elliott V. Grabill
Andrew J. Dougherty
Elizabeth J. Snelling, Clerk
James DeNormandie, Chairman

REPORT OF ELEMENTARY SCHOOL BUILDING COMMITTEE

The vote passed under Article 19 of the warrant for the annual Town Meeting on March 1, 1954 authorized the moderator to appoint a committee to study and recommend relative to the needs of the Town for an addition to the elementary school.

After careful and thorough study carried on with the complete co-operation of the Superintendent and the School Committee, and with the advice of the Board of Selectmen and Finance Committee, the committee recommended to the Town the construction of an addition to the elementary school to consist primarily of four classrooms.

At a special meeting on October 18, 1954, the Town accepted the committee's recommendation and authorized the appropriation of $142,550.00 for the construction of the addition. This sum, added to the $7,450.00 which the committee had already received to carry on its work and complete its studies, totaled $150,000.00. The vote of the Town also authorized the committee originally appointed by the moderator to contract for the construction of the school and to complete the job.

At the same Town Meeting, action was taken which has made it possible for the moneys held in the Charles Sumner Smith trust, totaling approximately $100,000.00, to be applied toward the cost of the construction of the addition. The meeting also voted unanimously to name the elementary school the Charles Sumner Smith School.

Requests for bids were issued shortly after the Town Meeting, a contract was signed late in the fall, and work was started.

SCHOOL LAND COMMITTEE

Work has progressed in a favorable manner, and there is every reason for hoping that the building will be completed in ample time for occupancy this September.

Respectfully submitted,

Elizabeth J. Snelling
Andrew J. Dougherty
Stanley Heck
Ernest P. Neumann
Elliott V. Grabill, Chairman

REPORT OF SCHOOL LAND COMMITTEE

The committee, under authorization previously granted by the Town Meeting, has carefully considered the question of providing additional ways in the form of footpaths to the elementary school. The problem has proved complicated, but the committee hopes to present specific recommendations at the next Town Meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

Elizabeth J. Snelling
Andrew J. Dougherty
Stanley Heck
Elliott V. Grabill

Education and Recreation

REPORT OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Carved in the stone of the walls of the library of one of our great cities are the words "Founded through the munificence and public spirit of citizens." This truly applies to our Lincoln Library - but particularly the continuance of our library and its increasing usefulness and enrichment has been made possible by the private generosity of many friends and by the willingness of the citizens to give public support.

We, who have been intrusted with the details of the library management and policies, are very conscious of our responsibilities and are especially grateful to the many friends who have helped.

Our planning for the future of the Lincoln Library is positive. With a knowledge of much that is to happen to our Town, we are aware that much must be done to parallel the metamorphosis of ours from a small country town library to a much larger suburban one. Our library must grow in proportion. It means more opportunity for educational and reading recreation, and in turn that means more physical expansion. At the present time our greatest need is for more room for the children. We have stressed this in previous reports and are now in the process of having plans and specifications prepared for a Children's Department. There are several possibilities under consideration and each must be judged as to utility and cost. Soon, we hope to present a plan for enlargement of facilities that will be acceptable.

Lincoln had a birthday party in 1954; in 2004 some one of our children will wish to know how we celebrated. Mrs. Farrar has collected pictures, news clippings, etc., and filed them away in scrapbooks so that the information will be there for them. This preservation of historical records is of value and is a continuance of an old custom.

1954 expenditures were less than appropriations, and 1955 recommendations are but a very little more. Last year large accumulations of interest from trust funds were used; no such surpluses are available this year and so only the yearly income can be used.

LIBRARY TRUSTEES

This report of the Trustees would not be complete without acknowledgement for their faithful, praiseworthy work during the year to Mrs. Farrar and her assistants, and also to the many contributors and friends who have been so generous and whose names are listed below with the Librarian's reports. Especially are we grateful to Mr. Mann for his care of the clock and Mrs. Thiessen for the many books in memory of Laurie.

Mrs. Anna Bean's death meant the loss of one of the Library's old and best friends.

The Librarian's report follows.

Alice G. Meriam
John W. Carman
George G. Tarbell
John O. Wilson
Roland C. Mackenzie

Trustees

List of donors to Library in 1954

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Mrs. Stuart Avery
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Mr. John Wilkins

THE LINCOLN LIBRARY
Lincoln, Massachusetts

Library Statistics -- 1954

Number of volumes January 1, 1954	15,669
Number of volumes added by gift	146
Number of volumes purchased	529
Number of volumes withdrawn	700
Number of volumes December 31, 1954	15,644
Number of borrowers	934
Number of days open	150
Amount of fines collected	$329.50

Circulation

Fiction	6253
Non-fiction	3568
Juvenile	9661
Periodicals	1163
Total	20,645

The library is open on Monday, Wednesday and Saturday from three to nine P. M.

BEMIS FREE LECTURES

Your Bemis Lecture Trustees are very appreciative of the interest shown by the good attendance and would also like to compliment the young people on their continued good behavior.

The Town is by now familiar with the Trustees problem of a limited budget and the policy of endeavoring to maintain the same standard of lectures by a reduction in their number.

As always, suggestions for lectures from interested citizens will be gratefully received.

Respectfully submitted,

Christopher W. Hurd, Chairman
Mabel H. Todd
Leonard C. Larrabee

REPORT OF THE MIDDLESEX COUNTY EXTENSION SERVICE FOR LINCOLN

The Middlesex County Extension Service is a publicly supported, educational institution to serve all the towns of the county in agriculture and home economics. In agriculture the work is developed county-wide under the direction of county councils made up of leading farmers in each of the main commodities as vegetables, fruit, poultry, dairying, livestock, and commercial flowers. A county bulletin is mailed monthly to all co-operating farmers, and timely information is furnished by circular letter, by radio, by telephone and by personal interview, and particular information is sent to those who request it.

Home owners use our service. Constantin Pertzoff is a leading fruit grower; Everett Sherman, a leading vegetable grower.

There was an Agricultural 4-H Club in the Town of Lincoln under the leadership of Almon Huff. Even though there was only one club, the club members have been most active. Carleton Huff won the County trophy in sheep at the Middlesex County Fair. David Donaldson has been a member of the Poultry Judging Team and also took many honors at the County Fair. There was a Horse Club under the leadership of Mrs. Peter Helburn.

Information and assistance was made available to all dairy and livestock producers in this area. Farm visits, circular letters, radio talks and local meetings were all employed as means of assisting the local farmers to better understand and keep abreast of the many changes in agricultural techniques.

The official dairy cow testing program in the area is directly supervised by the Livestock Agent and includes the service of complete record keeping on the production and feeding of dairy cows. All farmers in the area have available the services of the Artificial Breeding Program through the local Association, and a soil testing laboratory is maintained to serve all farmers or landowners who desire a soil analysis to determine the fertility of their soil.

Mr. Hans Van Leer is vice-president of the County Selective Breeding Association , and treasurer and a member of the Board of Supervisors of the County Soil Conservation District. Mr. James DeNormandie is president of the County Selective Breeding Association and is a member of the Dairy Advisory Committee, and is very active in livestock activities along with Mr. Warren Flint.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert D. Donaldson,
Town Director

BICENTENNIAL CELEBRATION

Bicentennial Parade

Parade Scene - Lincoln Centre

BICENTENNIAL CELEBRATION

"Winklehawk"
Presented by Lincoln Players
Author Mrs. David F. Rogers

Formal Program

Hon. Christian A. Herter Governor	John O. Wilson Chairman	William M. Rand Representative Federal Administration	George G. Tarbell Town Representative

Memorial Tree Planting

Float Parade

Fire Works

American Legion

BICENTENNIAL COMMITTEE

For the 200th Anniversary of the incorporation of Lincoln as a town, the Bicentennial Committee arranged a program to recognize the historical occasion and to provide a chance for Lincoln residents to celebrate the Town's birthday.

The celebration was divided into two phases: the first, in April, included a formal observance on the anniversary date, April 23; the second, over the Fourth of July weekend, was devoted to recreational activities. The program of events in Table 1 is reprinted from the Bicentennial Celebration booklet published at the time. All activities took place as scheduled except for the foreworks which were postponed until the following evening because of rain.

A publicity subcommittee prepared three publications during the year - The Lincoln Calendar, an engagement calendar illustrated with photographs of the Lincoln community; a Bicentennial Celebration booklet containing a summary of the Town's history, illustrated with photographs and documents of historical interest; and a 24-page special supplement to "The Colonial" newspaper which, in a collection of feature articles and news items describes in journalistic style highlights of the social and cultural history of Lincoln through two centuries. The Colonial supplement also describes the April anniversary activities and contains the text of the remarks made by the principal speakers.

The co-operation and assistance of all town organizations as well as the thirteen Bicentennial subcommittees made possible an anniversary observance which the committee feels was in keeping with the occasion.

The authorization for and initial activities of the Committee were described in the 1953 town report. The town appropriated a total of $6,000 for the 200th anniversary celebration - $2,500 at the annual town meeting in March, 1953, and $3,500 at the annual town meeting in March, 1954. A summary of expenditures and receipts is contained in Table 2.

Table 1

Program

April Events

Sunday, April 18	2:00 P.M.	Opening of special exhibit, including items of local historical interest, and tea at deCordova Museum.
Friday, April 23	8:00 P.M.	Official observance of the Town's incorporation, April 23, 1754. School Auditorium. Speakers: George G.

		Tarbell, William M. Rand, His Excellency Governor Christian A. Herter.
	9:00 P.M.	Intermission and informal reception
	9:15 P.M.	"The Winklehawk" - an original one-act play by Harriet Rogers concerning events in Lincoln on April 19, 1775, presented by the Lincoln Players.
Saturday, April 24	11:00 A.M.	Arbor Day observance - Tree planting ceremony in Pierce Park.
	12:30 to 3:30 P.M.	Tour of old houses.
	2:30 to 4:30 P.M.	Tea to welcome former residents at Town House.
	8:00 to 12:00 P.M.	Birthday Ball. School Auditorium. Grand March, 8:30 P. M.
Sunday, April 25	A. M.	Anniversary observance by churches at morning services.

July Events

Saturday, July 3	Morning	Horse show.
	Afternoon	Tennis exhibition, sports, competitions and other events.
	Evening	Square dance.
Monday, July 5	Morning	Parade and field activities.
	Noon	Picnic.
	Afternoon	Baseball and other sports.
	Evening	Band concert and fireworks.

Table 2

Summary of Expenditures and Receipts

Total appropriations for 200th anniversary		$6,000.00
Gross Expenditures -		
Publications:		
The Lincoln Calendar	$1,125.99	
Bicentennial Celebration booklet	750.00	
"The Winklehawk" play	428.65	
Tea for former residents	149.16	
Tour of old houses	143.00	
Birthday Ball	922.02	
July 4th (including fireworks)	2,169.20	
Other	230.69	5,918.71

Total expenditures (brought forward)		$5,918.71
Cash Receipts Returned to Town Treasurer -		
Calendar Sales - 814 @ $1.00	$814.00	
Booklet Sales - 415 @ $0.50	207.50	
Birthday Ball - admissions 559 @ $1.00	559.00	
		$1,580.50
Net cost to Town		$4,338.21
Unexpended Appropriation		$81.29

Lincoln Bicentennial Committee
Edith B. Farrar
Warren F. Flint
E. Donlon Rooney
Alice W. Smith
Frederick H. Greene, Jr.

LINCOLN RECREATION COMMITTEE

The program of the Summer Playground was similar to that of previous years. The activities for both boys and girls consisted of basketball, croquet, horseshoe pitching, baseball, tennis, softball, pingpong and gymnastics under the direction of Albert Reed and Dana Murphy.

An enjoyable and educational handicraft program, under the direction of Mrs. Joan Warren, was presented for the girls and younger boys.

Special events in the Playground's program included several cookouts, a trip to Whalom Park and a field day.

There was widespread participation in the annual fall tennis tournament held under the direction of the Tennis Sub-Committee.

The Committee wishes to express its appreciation to the School Committee for extending the use of the gymnasium, shop and toilet facilities to the playground.

A winter recreation program consisting of badminton and basketball is now in progress under the direction of Mr. Roland Robbins.

Respectfully submitted,

John Carman
David Todd
Roland Robbins
Astrid Donaldson
Sadie Sherman
Edward Rooney
Ethan Murphy, Chairman

DeCORDOVA AND DANA MUSEUM AND PARK

Report of the Executive Director
for the year 1954

The past year was devoted to intensifying the program of the previous years and exploration into new fields to fulfill our promise of becoming an art center which would encompass all the arts.

The 25 exhibitions held during the year attracted many visitors and an increase in attendance was noted. The annual attendance was estimated at 20,000. Visitors from twenty-two states and twenty-two countries signed the guest register.

The size of the attendance is reported because it indicates the widespread notice that the Museum has had in the press and the public response to the exhibition program. As usual, the presentations in the galleries were varied to cover the diverse activities of our creative artists in painting, handcrafts, printmaking and photography.

Each month the galleries take on a new look. One month, a New England watercolor exhibition - another, a look at the canvases of younger New England artists whose work has not had widespread notice. In the closing weeks of the year, the impressive collection of modern American masters from the William H. Lane Foundation brought to our audiences many artists whose work is all too rarely seen in greater Boston. Sheeler, Davis, O'Keefe, Dove and Spencer are a few of the artists in this collection which promises to become one of the most prominent in America. The twelve one-man exhibitions of important New England artists gave further evidence of the leading position this region is assuming in our national art life.

Photography had a share in our exhibition program. In the two photography shows, seven Greater Boston photographers were shown. There was great interest shown in the nature studies by Henry B. Kane and the Vermont landscapes of Donald Robinson, Jr., both of Lincoln.

Craft shows, which are universally popular, included the first Annual deCordova Craftsmen exhibition and a loan exhibition of American Craftsmen, which was assembled by the University of Illinois in Urbana and shown in many museums across the country.

SCHOOL

Student enrollment - adults, children and Concord Academy students - is approximately 700 per week.

Classes for adults are held three afternoons and four days a week with 26 classes in art, music and drama offered during this period.

Adult enrollment has leveled off at about 300 persons a week, averaging just over eleven per class. Enrollment increase in the future will be less spectacular than in the past because there is neither space nor time for many additional classes. We have also reached capacity in work load for the existing office staff so that, in the future, fewer new classes will be offered and our effort will be spent to improve the present program.

Children's classes are as popular as ever. The 18 art classes, which are held to supplement the art courses given in public school rather than to compete with them, provide special opportunities for children whose interests are not satisfied during their school week. Parents are urged to visit the final class at the end of each term to see the program in action and talk with the instructors about the progress of their children.

Ruth Wheeler returned after a year's absence to take up her classes in dance. The response to these classes necessitated the formation of a third section. Over thirty girls from second grade through fifth grade are learning not only dance, but body control and rhythm. After they acquire discipline of movement they are rewarded by the opportunity of improvising dances. Their imagination and creativeness are wonderful to see.

The music classes under Mrs. Anne Gombosi are an extraordinary success. Parents who fail to provide their musical children with the opportunity to participate in these classes deprive them of one of the most enriching experiences available anywhere in Massachusetts. Ensemble playing under the guidance of an experienced and inspiring teacher brings a love and understanding of music to those children who have developed some competence on an instrument, whether it is a recorder, a trumpet, a violin or a flute. In March, an open class will be held in the auditorium. Parents and friends are urged to visit, ask questions, and see the results of this group's activity.

Requests for additional classes, such as pottery, continue to be made, but, unfortunately, space is not available for these desirable classes. More space is needed to take care of the present classes.

Concord Academy classes are in their second year and provide for their students an opportunity unique in secondary school education.

We are proud of our faculty - many of whom you know from personal experience in the adult classes. No program is better than its teaching staff. The results and the steady enrollment indicate that the sixteen teachers on our staff have done a fine job and have won many friends for the Museum classes.

SPECIAL EVENTS

The special events held last year - concerts and lectures - were self-sustaining. The Spring Festival - the theme of which was Robin Hood and Sherwood Forest - was a glorious success. It began at 10 A. M. with a picturesque parade, full of pageantry and color - mounted knights in armor, ladies of the court, Robin Hood's band in forest green, and the merry characters of the time in a line of march, led by the spirited music of bagpipes. Beginning in Lincoln Center, it paraded majestically down Sandy Pond Road to the Museum grounds, which were gaily decorated with flags and banners, shields, and colorfully-bedecked tents and booths. Three thousand people came and stayed. The weather was perfect, the events were memorable and we thank all those literally hundreds of people who manned the booths, participated in the events, and in every way contributed to one of the most successful events staged by this Museum. The whole Festival made $1100, and Mrs. James Jagger, Chairman, and the Festival Committee have our admiration and sincere thanks for presenting a celebration which will be remembered as a high point in Museum history and an event which won many friends for the Museum.

ASSOCIATES

The addition of 120 new Associates is heartwarming. We welcome all of you who have shown a desire to assist in our program.

This increase is due in no small measure to the splendid effort of a Committee of Mrs. Harry Healey, Mrs. Elliott Hedge, Mrs. William Swift, Mrs. Howard Snelling and Mrs. Alexander Vance, who organized afternoon and evening teas in homes in Lincoln and surrounding communities to inform people of the Museum program. In turn, these meetings gave people the opportunity of asking questions which would clarify the aims of the Museum. The information gained in these meetings has been helpful in planning our future course and in guiding our publicity releases to achieve the most effective results.

The totals of the Associate membership are:

27	Sustaining Associates
354	Family Associates
63	Professional Associates
83	deCordova Craftsmen
527	TOTAL

Museum membership is open to all: we need and welcome your support.

The deCordova Craftsmen - an affiliation of craft guilds first formed in 1953 through the Museum - has been growing and very active. Numerous

meetings and demonstrations have been held this year by the various guilds, while the Craftsmen's Corner exhibition in the Museum has been very successful in promoting the sale of the Craftsmen's work.

Respectfully submitted,

Frederick P. Walkey,

Executive Director

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS FOR THE YEAR 1954

The deCordova Museum has again enjoyed an active year with further growth. Both visitor attendance and class enrollment, as the Executive Director notes in his report have increased. We must again emphasize, as we did last year, the increasingly urgent need for additional space, especially for class work.

The continued increase in the number of Associates augurs well for the future even though it does not yet solve all our financial problems.

Many persons have contributed in many ways to the success we have enjoyed this past year. Mr. Walkey expresses appreciation for some of these services in his report. With these expressions we heartily associate ourselves. Particularly, we thank the staff of the Museum for their devoted work carried forward so well under increasing pressure.

Finally, our thanks go to the Trustees of the estate of Julian deCordova for a generous grant for certain special purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

John Quincy Adams, President
Charles H. Blake, Vice-President
Arthur E. Thiessen, Treasurer
Elizabeth J. Snelling, Clerk
Richard S. Meriam
Jane K. Vance
Helen Wiley

School Committee

Report

to the

Town of Lincoln

FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR 1953-1954

SCHOOL CALENDAR 1955-1956

September	5 - Monday	Labor Day
	7-9 - Wednesday - Friday	Staff Organization and Workshop
	12 - Monday	School Opens
October	12 - Wednesday	Columbus Day Recess
November	7-10 - Monday - Thursday	Education Week
	11 - Friday	Veterans Day Recess
	24-25- Thursday - Friday	Thanksgiving Recess
December	21 - Wednesday	Christmas Vacation, Closing
January	3 - Tuesday	School Resumes
February	17 - Friday	Winter Vacation, Closing
	27 - Monday	School Resumes
March	23 - Friday	Teachers' Visiting Day
April	13 - Friday	Spring Vacation, Closing
	23 - Monday	School Resumes
May	30 - Wednesday	Memorial Day
June	15 - Friday	Summer Vacation, Closing
	15 - Friday	Commencement
	18-22 - Monday - Friday	Staff Organization & Workshop

Additional Calendar Data

It is planned to continue the policy of no school on Wednesdays for the first grade until the Christmas Vacation with the exception of November 9, November 23, and December 21.

Kindergarten morning and afternoon sessions will reverse on January 30, 1956.

Staff Meeting Half-Days will be the second Wednesday of each month except September, December and June.

ORGANIZATION

	Term Expires
John W. Carman, Chairman	1956
(Mrs.) Elizabeth Donaldson	1957
Ernest P. Neumann	1955

MEETINGS: Regular: First Tuesday of each month: 7:30 P.M. at the Superintendent's office. LI 6-0333

Called: Third Tuesday of each month usually and other meetings as stated; time and place designated.

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS
Douglass B. Roberts, Concord Road, LI 6-0360-J
Office at Smith School, LI 6-0333

SECRETARY TO SUPERINTENDENT
Solvay G. Valentine

BUILDING PRINCIPALS
Robert B. Patch
Smith School, LI 6-0333

Louis J. Sapienza
Center School, LI 6-0462

CLERKS
(Mrs.) Clara E. Powers, Smith School
(Mrs.) Edith W. Harvey, Center School

CUSTODIANS
Harold V. Sheridan, Smith School
Lewis Bardsley, Smith School
Robert J. Hartel, Center School

OFFICE HOURS
School Days - 8:30 A.M. to 4 P.M.
School Vacation - 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.

No-School Signals

Local signals will be given on our fire alarm system:

7:10 A.M.	3 - 3 - 3 repeated at
7:15 A.M.	3 - 3 - 3

Radio station announcements will be read between the period of 6:30 and 7:30 A.M. On stormy mornings, if convenient, tune in on two or more stations since it is not always possible to get messages through to several stations in the brief time allotted us. Please refrain, too, from tying up local phone lines to school officials and bus operators during the morning hour, 6:30 - 7:30. We try to contact all of the following when it is necessary to announce "No School":

WBZ.....	1030K	WHDH	850K
WEEI	590K	WNAC	680K

If an announcement is read "No School - All Schools" it will mean that no buses will operate and high school pupils will govern themselves accordingly. Announcements referring to Lincoln and merely stating "No School" will apply to elementary pupils only.

During extremely stormy or cold weather, parents are urged to exercise their own judgment in sending the younger children.

EDUCATION AND RECREATION

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

To the Town of Lincoln:

The past year has been a quiet period during which your committee feels substantial progress has been made.

The community at Town Meeting and at the polls voted overwhelmingly in favor of the Lincoln-Sudbury High School Region, thus taking a major step in rounding out Lincoln's public school system. The community also supported the construction of additional classrooms at the Charles Sumner Smith School for the increasing enrollment.

The School Committee is now considering how to, and where to provide best for added school rooms which we know the future will require.

In 1954, staff turnover was substantially lower than that experienced in the past and every effort is being extended to maintain good morale and to attract additional well qualified teachers.

In preparing the 1955 School Budget recommendation a new salary plan for teachers was adopted to be effective September 1955. This plan provides a minimum, for teachers with a degree, of $3,200 and contains other desirable provisions aimed at developing a top quality teaching staff.

The educational plans are fully outlined in the Report of the Superintendent. In the committee's opinion, these plans provide a sound framework for improving our schools.

In conjunction with the School Building Committee provision for a safe foot path between Center School and the Charles Sumner Smith School is being considered. It is hoped that a definite recommendation can be placed before the town at Town Meeting.

Your committee was seriously concerned with providing a good educational solution for the classes involved in the transition between tuition high school and the regional high school. The planned exchange of Lincoln's ninth grade in September 1955 for the Sudbury eighth grade provides a far better solution than had been anticipated.

Respectfully submitted,

John W. Carman, Chairman
Elizabeth Donaldson
Ernest P. Neumann
Lincoln School Committee

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

During 1954 much time was spent on the problem of meeting the individual needs of pupils. Some modifications have been made in the school program as a result of this planning and there are other modifications planned for the future. With only three of last year's staff leaving at the end of the school year, a continuity of planning and program has been possible which has not been so in the past. The addition of four staff members to the system because of the expanding number of pupils and the reinstitution of the remedial reading program has brought fresh ideas and new stimulation to the teaching staff.

One modification which was made during 1953 deserves mention again, and that is the system of reporting. Since, in order to meet the needs of the pupils, it is necessary to know them more fully, the conference type of reporting has been continued during 1954. Written reports were improved and printed after embodying the criticisms and suggestions of teachers and parents. In the kindergarten, written reports have been eliminated entirely and in their stead has been substituted two conferences at school between the teacher and parent and a home visit on the part of the teacher during the year.

The testing program in Lincoln is basic to this problem of meeting the needs of the children since it is designed for the purpose of discovering what those needs are. By making information available to the teacher about each child's abilities it is possible for the teacher to understand each child better and to modify her approach so that he will best be served. We are fast reaching the point where every student will have had at least one individual ability test to supplement the group tests. The Stanford-Binet test is used almost exclusively in our schools. Children who enter the school system for the first time are given a test of mental maturity such as that mentioned above and an achievement test in order to place them properly from the start. Every attempt is made to do this before the child enters the school so that the disturbances resulting from later shifting from one grade or one class to another are minimized. Achievement tests are given annually to check progress.

Growing directly out of teacher planning sessions which were held during the year and the results of the testing program, two major changes were made during the year. In June the staff met for a four day period during which they considered individually each child which they had had during the year and placed the child in a group for the coming year where he would be stimulated, challenged and could experience success. The bases used for grouping the children into class sections were past achievement, present development and future potential. This is by no means an "ability grouping", but obviously ability enters into it. It is rather a grouping based on all factors of the child's personality and development and is done in order to

reduce the range of differences of the individuals in a single class section. Thus the teacher can more often concentrate on meeting individual needs rather than spreading her efforts over a wide area.

A second change which has developed from this planning is in the organization of instruction on the sixth, seventh and eighth grade level. For some time until this past year the instruction has been completely departmentalized, which simply means that for each particular subject the child was taught by a different teacher. This year a single teacher has been assigned the Language Arts and Social Studies in each grade. This combination has not been a mixing of the two so that their identities have been lost, but it is a plan which makes it possible for the teacher to co-ordinate the work and see that the knowledges gained in the Language Arts are applied to the other work. It also makes it possible for the work in Social Studies to be used as material in the Language Arts studies, making that more meaningful. This has had the effect of reducing the total number of different students that each teacher meets during the day and has made it possible for each of these three teachers to become responsible for the guidance and the home-school liason in respect to that particular grade. The pupils are gaining from this in another way. It has given them a feeling of security that they lacked prior to this change, since they now have a single teacher to whom they can look as a counselor. This has also served to create a more solid tie to the school for the parents of the children since there is now one person who is much better acquainted with the child and to whom the parents can turn. In addition, it is now possible to extend the conference type of reporting by scheduling one conference with the parents of each child in the sixth, seventh and eighth grade during the school year.

Nearly fifty children from grades two through eight are receiving special help in reading during the school day. The teacher meets the children in very small groups in order to give individual help. As soon as each child has achieved the level of reading which enables him to maintain his position in his regular class, he no longer attends these remedial classes but is returned to his regular work. This special help may cover a period from five months to two years depending upon the severity of the handicap.

The special subjects, too, have been directed toward meeting individual needs. The art program is primarily directed toward providing many opportunities for self expression in an attempt to develop the imagination and observation which is essential in enlarging the child's educational horizons. Emphasis has been on developing the ability to create and to appreciate line, form, and color, rather than on the production of "finished works of art". As the child progresses through the grades more individual assistance becomes important although group work still occupies the major part of the art program. Different media are used to keep alive the child's imagination and

desire for creation since as he grows older he becomes more consciously aware of his inability to create realistically. The use of the art room has been curtailed by the necessity of using it for homeroom purposes and some other instruction, but its value is indicated by the fact that there are many boys and girls who have taken the opportunity to go to the art room to do extra work during lunch periods.

The music program, too, is aimed at meeting the needs of the individual children. The major effort has been to develop a progressing program in which the children will realize an improvement in musical ability, performance, and enjoyment from one grade level to another. As a result, the child grows with music as the music fits his mental, physical and emotional needs through the years of his growth to maturity and beyond. By keeping the musical program diversified these needs are met and the child has the opportunity of selecting or being selected for specific activity which more closely suits his particular needs and talents. This is done through the singing of music, writing it, reading it, listening to it, performing it, and participating in various vocal and instrumental groups. The study of theory and technical aspects of music are introduced at the upper grade level. The instrumental program has been modified somewhat to better fit the community. Through an arrangement with private instructors there are now in existence groups of youngsters studying various instruments as well as those taking private lessons. There is a string group, a brass group, and a woodwind group in addition to a mixed group that meets once a week. Because the strings are the backbone of instrumental organizations, emphasis has been placed on them.

Although the physical education program is almost entirely one of group activities, it nevertheless is based on the individual needs of the children. It is aimed primarily toward giving the child a chance to discover his own physical ability and develop confidence in the functioning of his body. A varied series of large muscle activities and individual and group games leading to this kind of development is used at all grade levels. Growing directly out of the physical education program in class work is a carefully graded series of competitive activities. The intra-mural program, which involves only the children in our school system, gives all the children in grades four to eight a chance to exhibit and develop their skills during recess or after school programs. There is opportunity at the present time for all children in these grades to participate in this program at least two afternoons a week. Further competition for those who need and desire it is given through a very carefully controlled interscholastic program in which a team of physically advanced youngsters in our own school is matched with a similar team from schools in surrounding towns.

It has long been a valuable practice in the lower grades to carry out instruction with "in the class" groups in order to meet individual needs. To improve and extend our efforts in such practice, the

teachers met with people from Lexington and Newton during the year to pool and share ideas and methods. Our teachers followed these meetings by using their "visiting day" in direct observation of many such activities. The new insights thus gained were incorporated in the modifications of program described above.

One of the knottiest problems to be solved in developing our 1955 educational plan was that presented by the transition of our high school pupils from tuition status to regional status. When the Regional High School district was formed it was agreed that for one year prior to the opening of that school our ninth grade pupils would not be entered in Weston High School. Since approval of the Regional bond issue has been voted by both towns, the opening of that school can reasonably be expected by September, 1956, which means that the ninth grade of the school year 1955-56 will not be sent to Weston on tuition. Recently the possibility was presented of sending this grade to Sudbury High School in exchange for their eighth grade. After full consideration of the problem it has been decided to make this exchange for one year beginning September, 1955, since through its study the committee is convinced that it is educationally more desirable and would cost no more than educating them in Lincoln.

A second major problem area is the program of studies at the upper grade level. The basic areas of communication skills, Social Studies, Mathematics, and Science are well defined and adequately staffed. However, because of the increase in enrollments and the consequent multiplication of classes we find ourselves understaffed in the areas of Art, Physical Education, Music, Manual Arts, and Domestic Science. In fact, at the present time, the last two are virtually non-existent. It is planned to add one teacher to the staff in September to allow for a half time assignment in each of these two areas. In future years it will be necessary to add other teachers in the other three areas, not alone to maintain our present coverage, but to gain back some of the ground which has been lost in recent years.

Respectfully submitted,

Douglass B. Roberts

Superintendent of Schools

SCHOOL NURSE'S REPORT

To the School Committee:

A report of school nursing for the year ending December 31, 1954, is hereby submitted.

Schools have been visited daily. There have been 331 office calls for treatment or advice; 41 pupils taken home, 225 home calls to check on absentees.

All pupils have been weighed and measured at least twice, and scalp examined twice.

All pupils, excepting 7, who were absent, received an Audiometer test, also a Massachusetts Vision Chart test. Four found with defective hearing, all visited their family physician with the result that two had an adenoidectomy; one under observation, and one under treatment. Five pupils discovered with defective sight; two now wearing glasses; one under treatment and two under observation.

Children entering kindergarten and others new to first grade were requested to have a physical examination. 57 children attended our well child conference, were examined by Dr. John A. V. Davies. 31 children received Triple Antigen, 19 were vaccinated, and 15 received a "Booster" shot. 11 parents came for our school physical record car and had their child examined by the family physician.

I assisted Dr. David Farrell at the dental clinic two half days each week and at the oral examination of each pupil. Dr. Farrell visited two classrooms and talked to pupils on oral care. 2 pupils were taken to Middlesex Sanatorium for chest X-Rays, and 2 pupils were taken to Sanatorium by their parents, and five teachers, 2 school bus drivers, one secretary and the school nurse all had X-Rays - all were negative.

I have had five classroom chats with the pupils, all very interesting and the children were very responsive; two talks with about twenty of our young ladies, topic "Growing Up".

There were 159 cases of mumps; 35 cases of chicken pox; 3 cases of measles among our pupils.

Respectfully submitted,

Marian N. Ober, R. N.

School Nurse

EDUCATION AND RECREATION

SCHOOL CENSUS

A. Distribution of Minors by Age and Sex October 1, 1954	5 years or over and under 7	7 years and under 16
1. Boys	77	231
2. Girls	72	225
Totals	149	456

B. Distribution: Location		
1. In public day school	130	390
2. In private schools	17	64
3. Not enrolled in schools	2	1
4. Special - Elementary	--	1
Totals	149	456

VOCATIONAL SCHOOL ENROLLEES

October 1, 1954

1. Newton Trade School	3
Total	3

TUITION PUPILS ATTENDING SECONDARY SCHOOLS

Outside of Lincoln

October 1, 1954

School	Grade 9	10	11	12	P.G.	Totals
Concord	0	16	11	17	1	45
Weston	24	7	6	4	0	41
Totals	24	23	17	21	1	86

AGE - GRADE TABLE

October 1, 1954

Ages by Sex

Grade	B 4	G 4	B 5	G 5	B 6	G 6	B 7	G 7	B 8	G 8	B 9	G 9	B 10	G 10	B 11	G 11	B 12	G 12	B 13	G 13	B 14	G 14	B 15	G 15	Totals
Kdg.	8	9	26	22																					65
I			12	7	22	27	2																		70
II					10	4	26	31	1																72
III							6	8	28	22	2														66
IV									8	6	18	24	2	2											60
V											6	7	24	24	1	1									63
VI													4	9	19	22	3	1	1						59
VII															4	9	12	10	5	2	1	1			44
VIII																	6	2	16	12	1	1			38
	8	9	38	29	32	31	34	39	37	28	26	31	30	35	24	32	21	13	22	14	2	2			537

PER PUPIL COSTS - 1954

1.	Population of Town (1950 Census)	2,427
2.	Average School Membership	594
3.	Equalized Valuation, per Pupil	$ 8,161.00
4.	Operating Expenditures for Schools	192,384.86
5.	Receipts Accredited to Schools	38,306.71 *
6.	Net Expenditures from Local Taxation	154,078.15 *
7.	Expenditures per Pupil	323.88
8.	Per Pupil Net Expenditures from Local Taxation	259.39 *
9.	Receipts per Pupil	64.49 *

10. Transportation:	Elementary	High School	Total
Number of Pupils	500	94	594
Mileage	19,259.58	29,416.72	48,676.30
Expenditures	$9,560.15	$13,687.28	$23,247.43
Expenditures per pupil	$19.12	$145.61	$39.14

* Based on estimated receipts.

SCHOOL EXPENDITURES AND PROPOSED BUDGET FOR 1955

	Expended 1953	Expended 1954	Proposed 1955
I. General Control:			
Salaries	$ 12,113.53	$ 12,861.79	$ 14,250.00
Expenses	1,120.63	1,247.73	1,855.00
II. Instruction:			
Salaries	77,025.00	86,518.04	108,345.00
Textbooks	3,717.24	2,966.32	4,485.00
Supplies	5,088.42	5,684.98	8,011.00
III. Operation:			
Salaries	6,169.19	8,434.64	9,130.00
Fuel	6,253.38	6,357.19	6,800.00
Miscellaneous	4,652.34	5,061.35	5,545.00
IV. Maintenance:			
Repairs & Upkeep	3,965.87	3,927.97	5,955.00
V. Auxiliary Agencies			
Health	939.15	963.44	1,035.00
Transportation	22,050.66	23,247.43	28,108.00
Tuition	29,047.89	31,699.13	30,378.00
Miscellaneous	466.43	198.12	265.00
VI. Vocational	585.53	1,241.62	1,383.00
VII. New Equipment	1,016.77	1,975.11	1,438.00
Totals	$174,212.03	$192,384.86	$226,983.00

GRADUATED IN JUNE, 1954

GRADE VIII

Rachel Billings
Mark Bradford
Charles W. Brooks
Marla Christine Buerger
Joel B. Bulkley, 3rd
Walter Bradford Cannon
Nancy Tarbell Carman
Ann Donaldson
John Walter Dougherty
James Charles Finnerty
Natalie Freshour
Jane Ellen Gray
Richard James Hallett
John J. Houghton
Richard Karl Lahnstein
Edward Allen Larrabee
Diane M. Lynch
Nina Marchetti
Judith Ann Miele
Pheobe Maria Murphy
Melanie C. O'Reilly
Suzannah Brinckerhoff Parish
Sandra Jean Robinson
Joan Ellen Rogers
Judith Ann Sherman
Norman Jackson Snelling
Marilyn K. Swanson
Lucia Todd
Joseph Storer Warner
Richard Weld
David Bartlett Young, III

CONCORD HIGH SCHOOL

Betty I. Bartlett
Caroline H. Brooks
Edward Bulkley
Beverly G. Crowson
Robert Danosky
Daniel DeVeau
Sheila Dougherty
William Jensen
David Kane
Madeline Lester
Charles Mayo
Annie Murphy
Peter Rice
Susan Sherman
John Smith
John Snelling
Henry Willard

WESTON HIGH SCHOOL

Charles Forbes
Judith Gilman
Mary Porter
David Swift

HONORS

Judith Gilman	2nd Prize Essay Contest Am. Legion Aux., Weston
Caroline Brooks	Faculty Medal for Excellence in Art, Concord
Charles Mayo	Lincoln Scholarship, Concord

STAFF ROSTER - JANUARY 1, 1955

Name	Position	Training	Appointed
Douglass B. Roberts	Superintendent of Schools	Tufts College, B.S., M. A.	1953
Robert B. Patch	Principal - Smith School	State Teachers' College, Fitchburg, B. S. Ed.	1952
Louis J. Sapienza	Principal - Center School	Boston University, B. S. Ed.	1950
Phyllis Johnson	Grade One	Lesley College, B.S.Ed.	1946
Augusta F. Sisk	Remedial & Testing	Boston University, B.S. Ed., Ed. M.	1946
Ann G. Paranya	Language Arts	S.T.C. Montclair,N.J. A. B.	1949
Irma Antonangeli	Grade Four	Fitchburg State Teachers' College, B.S. Ed.	1950
Hazel Flagg	Grade Five	Sargent	1951
Miriam Zartarian	Art	Tufts College,B.S.Ed.	1951
Joan B. Warren	Kindergarten	Boston University, B.S.Ed., Ed. M.	1951
Prudence Morey	Grade Five	Duke University,A.B.	1952
Jane Owen	Kindergarten	Wheaton College,A.B.	1952
Jane L. Brown	Grade Two	Boston University, B.S. in Elem. Ed.	1953
Priscilla Cook	Grade Three	Mt. Holyoke, B.A.	1953
Francine D. Fish	Grade Two	Hood College, B.A.	1953
Henry F. Guarino	Music	New England Conservatory of Music, B.M.	1953
Marion T. Howard	Mathematics	Gorman State Teachers' College	1953

Janet J. Kassler	Grade One	Tufts College,B.A.	1953
Priscilla M. Lahar	Grade Two	Boston University, B.S. Ed.	1953
Albert S. Reed	Physical Education	Springfield College, B.S., M. Ed.	1953
Mary G. Swalen	Grade One	Univ. of California, Berkeley, B. A.	1953
George Drake	Social Studies	Univ. of Washington,A.B.	1954
Louise T. Ellis	Grade Four	Sargent, B. S.	1954
Robert A. Leach	Social Studies	University of Alabama, A. B.	1954
Leon Magee	Science	Boston College, B.S.	1954
Margaret F. Reid	Grade Three	Boston State Teachers' College, B. S.	1954
Myrtle Webb	Grade Four	Boston University, B.S.	1954
Martha Wilson	Grade Five	Wheaton, A. B.	1954

Statistical Information

VITAL STATISTICS

70 Births, 24 Marriages and 35 Deaths were recorded during the year 1955.

Births

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Names of Parents
1953		
Aug. 29	Baby Boy Walen	Roger S. and Constance Walen
Nov. 4	Robert Alfred Swanson	Alfred and Alma Swanson
Nov. 4	Nancy Virginia Ingalls	John H.,Jr. and Phyllis Ingalls
Nov. 25	Philip Robert Nunez	Vasce E. and Llewellyn Nunez
Nov. 28	Gary Hall Ralston	Robert and Phyllis Ralston
Dec. 3	Penelope Ann Siler	William C. and Barbara J. Siler
Dec. 18	Devone Schaaf Culver	Perry J. and Kate S. Culver
1954		
Jan. 5	Katherine Victoria Row	Ronald V. and Jane E. Row
Jan. 5	Deborah Ellen Browning	George U.,Jr. and Marjorie E. Browning
Jan. 6	Richard Glazier Dodson	William P.G. and Dorothy L. Dodson
Jan. 13	Sean Whipple Withington	Richard F. and Katherine D. Withington
Jan. 14	Sheila Caroline Caisey	Roland J. and Jean D. Caisey
Jan. 18	Wendy Lee Torode	Herbert L. and E. Lorraine S.Torode
Jan. 21	Bess Alta Thomas	Richard N. and Dina G.S. Thomas
Jan. 26	Paul Marshall Neumann	Ernest P. and Sylvia B. Neumann
Feb. 5	Steven Philip Lenzi	Philip E. and Elsie V.B. Lenzi
Feb. 8	James Francis Burke,III	James F.,Jr. and Catherine C.M.Burke
Feb. 8	Charles Webster Wilson	Melvin S. and Eleanor F. Wilson
Feb. 20	Heather Hilde Delia McCune	William J.,Jr. and Elisabeth McCune
Mar. 1	Susan Mary Culkins	Lee M. and Barbara E. Culkins
Mar. 6	Shirley Anne Mele	John A. and Sarah L. Mele
Mar. 10	Eric Ritchie Haartz	John C.,Jr. and Beatrice Haartz
Mar. 16	Darrell Edward Otis Street	Earle B. and Janet Street
Mar. 17	Marjorie Buxton	David and Lois P. Buxton
Mar. 19	Mark Tlumacki	Michael and Margaret Tlumacki
Mar. 24	John Custis Evans	Lucius W. and Virginia C. Evans
Apr. 8	Gordon DuFour Winchell, Jr.	Gordon D. and Enid M. Winchell
Apr. 9	Lincoln Ray Fullerton	Albert L.,Jr. and Mary G. Fullerton
Apr. 15	Tommaso Brunette Latini	Francesco B. and Catherine Latini
Apr. 30	Jeanmarie Murphy	Edward W. and Marjorie A. Murphy
May 4	Judith Mary Parker	William J.,Jr. and Evangeline C. Parker
May 17	Mary Amory Baker	Theodore C. and Mary Baker
May 17	Cornelia Louise Baker	Theodore C. and Mary Baker

May 20	Daniel DuFour Winchell	Guilbert S. and Amy J. Winchell
June 10	Robert Bruce Vassion	Herbert J. and Janet A.L. Vassion
July 5	William Bernard Whalen, Jr.	William B. and Mary E.M. Whalen
July 6	Neal Joseph Sweeney	Joseph E. and Jeanne M.W. Sweeney
July 9	Hillary Lee Shank	Maurice E. and Virginia L.K. Shank
Aug. 6	Michael Francis Kirkpatrick	David W. and Margaret H. Kirkpatrick
Aug. 7	Joseph Robert Campobasso, Jr.	Joseph R. and Mary A.N. Campobasso
Aug. 8	Henry Atherton Morgan	Henry M. and Gwen G. Morgan
Aug. 24	Baby Girl Bockoven	John S. and Dorothy P. Bockoven
Aug. 31	Stuart Howard MacFarland	Charles C. and Phyllis M. MacFarland
Sept. 2	Stephanie Ruth Bennett	Joseph F. 2nd and Edith B. Bennett
Sept. 6	Wendy Copeland Davis	Jack C.,Jr. and Barbara P. Davis
Sept. 7	Catherine Ehrlich	Paul and Celia L. Ehrlich
Sept.18	Coralee Crockett	Alan D. and Judith D. Crockett
Sept.20	Kevin Barry Loughlin	James J. and Leona K. Laughlin
Oct. 4	Donald Andrew McAnaul	David D. and Joan M. McAnaul
Oct. 5	Charles Lawrence Swan	Edmund and Eleanor G. Swan
Oct. 7	Sherry Ann Flannery	Ralph and Constance H. Flannery
Oct. 9	Richard Norman Stockellburg	Norman W. and Martha E. Stockellburg
Oct. 10	Ann Delfino	Franco A. and Victoria B. Delfino
Oct. 11	Louis Calott Farley,III	Louis C.,Jr. and Isabel K. Farley
Oct. 23	Sheldon Henley Cowen	Rodney P. and Eleinor J. Cowen
Oct. 23	Dorothy Nicol Kingsbury	Roy S. and Ann E. Kingsbury
Oct. 26	Daniel Merle Hutchinson, Jr.	Daniel M. and Jeanne L. Hutchinson
Nov. 15	Mark Chandlee Warner	John B. and Barbara K. Warner
Nov. 23	Robert Gleason Day	Robert C. and Mildred P. Day
Nov. 26	Anne Wadsworth Lummus	John W. and Ann P. Lummus
Dec. 20	Jonathan Davies Ziegler	Elmer H. and Hilda W. Ziegler

Late Registrations

Aug. 10	Barbara Levin	Alvin and Betty L. Levin
Aug. 27	Sally Anne Henderson	Robert S. and Caroline G. Henderson
Sept. 29	Bette Ann Arnold	S. Leonard and Anna M. J. Arnold
Oct. 1	Henderson Cole, Jr.	Henderson and Racheal M. B. Cole
Nov. 19	Calvin Crane Smith	Charles Waldo and Rose Ann Smith
Nov. 22	Beth Ann Coughlin	David J. and Dolores P. Coughlin
Dec. 23	Stephen Coburn Teabo	Prince C. and Elizabeth F. Teabo
Dec. 27	Cynthia Jayne Doherty	William R. and Phyllis M. Doherty
Dec. 28	David Glenn Carley	John Alexander and Joan K. Carley

VITAL STATISTICS

Marriages

Date of Marriage	Names	Residence
1953		
Dec. 5	William Noble Page, Jr. Irene La Rue	Lincoln Newark, N. J.
1954		
Jan. 1	James Lee Harris Claudine Maroni	Cambridge Lincoln
Jan. 23	Paul Anthony O'Neill Joan Audrey Corrigan	Waltham Lincoln
Feb. 6	William McNear Rand, Jr. Priscilla Brooks Whitehouse	Lincoln Portland, Maine
Feb. 14	Michael C. Shea Theresa Mary Albanese	Lincoln Waltham
Feb. 20	Howard D. Peterson Hazel B. Freshour	Waltham Lincoln
Feb. 28	Joseph Philip Salvato Mary Agnes Smith	Cambridge Lincoln
Mar. 6	Terzo George Sablone Alice M. Silva	Concord Lincoln
May 5	Waldron Smith Waveney Mansbridge	Concord Lincoln
May 29	Donald J. Downing Dana Ella Dyer	Lincoln Brighton
June 6	Robert Charles Koenig Frances Laura Henley	Lexington Lincoln
June 19	Charles M. Spencer Joyce Whitham	Lincoln Ridgefield, Conn.
June 19	Donald Douglas Gardner Susan Giles Howard	Pleasant, N. J. Lincoln
July 1	Edward Story Taylor Julia Brodt De Gogorza	Lincoln Rochester, N. Y.
Sept. 1	John Wakefield Harris Elizabeth Sweetser Brooks	New York Lincoln

Sept. 11	Lawrence D. Haworth	Lincoln
	Marjorie Ann Stevens	Braintree
Sept. 23	John Domenic Chiesa	Lexington
	Elizabeth Iona Bartlett	Lincoln
Oct. 2	Gerald Francis Russes	Lincoln
	Vivian Bernice Yerrick	Watertown
Oct. 16	John F. Cook	Lincoln
	Ethel Campobasso	Lincoln
Nov. 6	John R. Witherton	Lincoln
	Emily A. Key	Lincoln
Nov. 8	Glenn Edwin Evans	Tucumcari, New Mexico
	Jean Wallace Tiffany	Weston
Nov. 15	Louis Sautter	Wayland
	Mildred Elmira Bowles	Lincoln
Dec. 11	Philip James Coane	Lincoln
	Anne Marie Axtman	Billerica
Dec. 11	Willis N. Cousins	Lincoln
	Aurora L. Ball	Wollaston

Deaths

Date of Death 1954	Name	Age Y	M	D
Jan. 19	Agnes A. Duncan	61	0	0
Feb. 16	Charlotte M. Kidder	89	0	0
Feb. 21	Margaret C. Baker	83	9	12
Feb. 22	Theodore E. Pranskunas	43	0	0
March 15	James E. Diamond	85	6	3
April 23	Adeline Swift Campbell	82	9	4
April 27	George S. Taylor	64	5	0
May 15	Jean Patricia Davis	38	10	1
May 28	Alice May Davis	70	8	28
June 1	Magna Uhlin	62	9	7
June 7	Ernest Howard MacFarland	64	6	2
June 12	Patrick Joseph Neary	83	2	16
June 22	Henry Eldridge Warner	93	6	26
June 28	Alvin Ernest Fernald	79	0	7
July 7	Ira Forbes DeVeau	59	11	11
July 7	Neal Joseph Sweeney	-	-	-

July 9	Charles Henry Sherman	85	10	5
July 9	Merrill Hunt, Sr.	71	7	16
July 16	Marjorie Sewell	62	0	0
July 27	John Francis Tobin	86	5	18
July 28	Henry Edward Higgins	52	0	0
Aug. 7	Joseph Irving DeCoste	45	8	13
Aug. 24	Baby Girl Bockoven	0	0	0
Aug. 28	Agnes Lincoln	84	5	24
Sept. 12	Herbert J. Vassian	27	1	9
Sept. 13	Gerome Brush	66	6	2
Oct. 2	Anna Hagmann	65	0	0
Oct. 8	Sarah Ellen Knox	80	1	1
Oct. 16	John Axel East	66	9	15
Nov. 6	Alessandro J. Miele	43	11	14
Nov. 14	Anna King Bean	85	8	8
Nov. 29	Anastatia Murphy	67	0	0
Dec. 9	William Clark Burns	79	10	13
Dec. 24	Herbert Lee Shumway	53	3	16
Dec. 24	Violet A. Shumway	60	4	21

Name of Taxpayer	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real and Personal Estate
Abbott, John A. and Diana B.		$ 7,050	$ 338.40
Adams, John Quincy	$ 700		33.60
Adams, John Q. and Lucy D.		39,550	1,898.40
Adams, Ramelle C.		12,850	616.80
Adams, Thomas B.	200		9.60
Adkins, Archibald W. and Dorothea C.		10,000	480.00
A'Hearn, Marian E.		3,150	151.20
Albano Bros.		300	14.40
Algeo, John T. and Catherine R.		5,000	240.00
Algeo, Leo J. and Elaine T.		4,400	211.20
Algeo, Margaret M. and Neville, Agnes M.		4,600	220.80
Allied Commonwealth Corp.		7,200	345.60
Allen, Lloyd R.		250	12.00
American Legion		600	28.80
Ammen, David L. and Judith B.		5,050	242.40
Anderson, Lawrence B. and Rosina DuP.		12,100	580.80
Andrews, Paul R. and Catherine L.		2,300	110.40
Angelo, Gaspar and Eda Polcari		1,100	52.80
Antinarelli, Joseph J. and Helen J.		500	24.00
Appleby, Richard B.		4,500	216.00
Aptt, Harry S. and Etta E.		3,250	156.00
Armstrong, Virginia		8,800	422.40
Arnold, S. Leonard and Anna M.		4,500	216.00
Ashworth, Harold T. and Irma D.		7,000	336.00
Avery, Abigail D.		7,500	360.00
Ayer, Richard B., Jr. and Constance		9,000	432.00
Baggs, Arthur E., Jr. and Marion S.		6,700	321.60
Baker, John C. and Elizabeth E.		2,000	96.00
Baker, Margaret C., Est. of		5,000	240.00
Baker, Theodore C. and Mary Amory		11,250	540.00
Baltrush, William C. and Sarah M.		3,300	158.40
Barbarow, Ruth		1,650	79.20
Barber, John W., Jr. and Mary E.		4,200	201.60
Bardsley, Doris A.		2,600	124.80
Barnaby, John M. and Charlotte B.		4,600	220.80
Barr, Edgar E. and Olive H.		5,200	249.60
Barthel, Walter and Emma C.		4,950	237.60
Barthel, Walter		100	4.80
Baylis, Lloyd T. and Jeanne		1,200	57.60
Bean, Anna K.		6,000	288.00
Beebe, Alice W.		49,000	2,352.00
Beers, Roland F. and Helen C.		10,650	511.20
Belanger, Walter E. and Mary F.		7,400	355.20
Bellizia, Francis E. and Mary H.		1,000	48.00
Benton, Carl R. and Barbara A.		100	4.80
Bernson, Bob	250	1,000	60.00
Bernson, Bob and Edith J.		3,350	160.80
Bernson, Edith J.		18,000	864.00

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Bergquist, Walter J. and Brita M.		5,600	268.80
Bertolami, Leo F. and Rose M.		4,700	225.60
Bertolami, Paolina		400	19.20
Billings, Bruce H. and Sarah W.		7,280	349.44
Billings, Bruce H. and Sarah		750	36.00
Billings, James B. and Marion		5,150	247.20
Bingham, Elizabeth A.		9,250	444.00
Bingham, Elizabeth P. B.		250	12.00
Bingham, George C.		500	24.00
Bishop, Fern W.		4,500	216.00
Black, Everett A. and Anne E.		28,700	1,377.60
Blake, Charles H. and Helen L.		10,500	504.00
Blake, Donald D. and Alicia B.		4,550	218.40
Boccadoro, Joseph and Ida		100	4.80
Bockoven, J. Sanbourne and Dorothy	100	3,600	177.60
Bogner, Walter F. and Edith		9,200	441.60
Bonia, Walter J.		5,400	259.20
Booth, Alice Burrage		500	24.00
Booth, Robert H.		14,300	686.40
Boston and Maine R. R.		900	43.20
Boston Consolidated Gas Company	85,000		4,080.00
Boston Edison Company	202,966	300	9,756.76
Bowles, Clifford		7,000	336.00
Bowles, Mildred E.	100	12,150	588.00
Bowles, William	1,525	4,000	265.20
Boyce Bros.	1,000	12,000	624.00
Boyce, Manley B.		3,000	144.00
Boyce, Manley B. and Alice M.		2,500	120.00
Boyce, Michael J.		4,500	216.00
Bradford, Robert L. and Martha A.		5,300	254.40
Bradshaw, Fred and Julia S.		5,000	240.00
Briggs, Susan L.		13,500	648.00
Brisson, Norman	300		14.40
Brisson, Norman F. and Evelyn W.		1,550	74.40
Bronson, Franklin C. and Catherine M.		600	28.80
Brooks, Albert S. and Maude M.		5,400	259.20
Brooks, Paul	100	9,750	472.80
Brown, Deborah Trull, David Trull, Alan Trull		200	9.60
Brown, Elizabeth G.		14,000	672.00
Brown, Marion K. and Bernice I. Stevens		3,000	144.00
Brown, Robert P. and Polly F.		7,150	343.20
Browne, Secor D. and Mary D.		7,000	336.00
Browning, Edgar C. and Katherine A.		4,950	237.60
Browning, George U.	1,810	6,000	374.88
Buerger, Martin J.	100		4.80
Buerger, Martin J. and Lila		12,000	576.00
Bulkley, Joel B. and Doris L.		10,700	513.60
Burckett, Douglas M. and Phillippa C.		1,400	67.20
Burgess, Catherine M.		1,500	72.00
Burgess, Rebecca M. and Mary M. Jeddrie		3,250	156.00
Burke, Edward J. and Helen V.		4,500	216.00
Burke, Ruth Bemis		8,900	427.20

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Burns, Melvin P.		3,600	172.80
Burns, William C. and Daisy May Day		3,000	144.00
Busfield, Gibson L. and Marilyn A.		5,500	264.00
Butcher, Charles R.		1,950	93.60
Butcher, Henry A., Jr. and Margaret V.		2,100	100.80
Butcher, Ralph E.	125	4,300	212.40
Butler, Hector and Audrey Edith		2,250	108.00
Butler, William H. and Mary G.		4,750	228.00
Buttrick, David Company	500	10,100	508.80
Buxton, David and Lois Pardee		6,000	288.00
Bygrave, Robert and Lucy E.		6,500	312.00
Caisey, Roland J.		4,200	201.60
Calkins, Ramona T. and Whittier		4,500	216.00
Callahan, Thomas R.		8,700	417.60
Campbell, Fannie S. and Adeline S.		7,500	360.00
Campobasso, Anthony B. and Dorothy M.		3,100	148.80
Campobasso, Ethel		1,500	72.00
Campobasso, Joseph R.		1,820	87.36
Cannella, James J. and John C.	2,000	3,800	278.40
Cannon, Ellen DeN. and Bradford		22,800	1,094.40
Carley, John A. and Joan Kerr		4,500	216.00
Carman, Eleanor T.		10,100	484.80
Carney, Florence T.		3,575	171.60
Carney, James J. and Agnes M.		4,750	228.00
Carrig, James A.		5,500	264.00
Carstensen, Warren	50		2.40
Carstensen, Warren and Evelyn G.		19,400	931.20
Cassidy, Patrick		700	33.60
Cassidy, Henry J. and Verna E.		3,500	168.00
Cassis, Anthony		10,000	480.00
Catoia, Angelo and Mary J.		3,100	148.80
Catoia, Anthony J. and Lucy M. A.		2,850	136.80
Causer, William O. and Mary E.		3,300	158.40
Chadwick, William and Jessie T.		5,000	240.00
Chapin, Louise B. and Bertha L.		11,500	552.00
Chapin, Robert C. and Margaret E.		3,500	168.00
Chapman, James S. and Emily M.		4,775	229.20
Chellis, Herbert N. and Eleanor M.		4,500	216.00
Chipman, Robert Hennessy		5,000	240.00
Chisholm, Edward C. and Margaret F.		5,000	240.00
Church, Robert T. and Priscilla Schirmer		11,100	532.80
Churchill, Robert R. and June D.		5,400	259.20
Cibel, Stanley A. and Thelma W.		6,300	302.40
Ciraso, Michael and Amelia		3,650	175.20
Clark, George A.	35	3,100	150.48
Clark, Mary H.		20,700	993.60
Coan, James P., Est. of		2,950	141.60
Coan, Thomas F.		3,350	160.80
Coane, John H., Jr.		2,250	108.00
Coburn, Edward S.	730	6,200	332.64
Codman, Thomas N. et al	400	67,300	3,249.60
Codman, Dorothy S. F. M.		5,000	240.00

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Coffey, John B. and Wilma L.		4,500	216.00
Cole, Edwin M. and Lucy F.		11,200	537.60
Cole, Nancy W.		8,800	422.40
Comey, Arthur C. and Elizabeth P.		8,000	384.00
Community Store	1,500		72.00
Comstock, Joan B.		7,350	352.80
Conant, Lily R.		9,000	432.00
Conary, Frances P.		4,500	216.00
Condit, Robert P. and Phyllis C.		5,000	240.00
Conlin, James J. and Winifred Irene		1,600	76.80
Connair, John J. and Margaret J.		3,100	148.80
Connally, J. Irving and Evelyn		1,900	91.20
Conti, Bartolomeo B.		6,750	324.00
Cook, Celia M.		8,700	417.60
Cook, Harry and John F.	500	4,850	256.80
Coolidge, Henry P. and Alice C.		6,900	331.20
Corcoran, Francis J.		3,000	144.00
Cormey, Henry J. and Illione W.		2,400	115.20
Corrigan, Edward D.		3,500	168.00
Corrigan, Dorothy E.		7,000	336.00
Corrigan, Leo W.		2,300	110.40
Corrigan, Martin		2,400	115.20
Corrigan, Mary K.		1,500	72.00
Costello, John D.		100	4.80
Costello, William H.		1,800	86.40
Cotoni, Carolana M.		4,600	220.80
Cotoni, Joseph	3,000		144.00
Cousins, Ashley B.		2,400	115.20
Cousins, Harold S.		12,750	612.00
Cousins, Laurence B. and Jeanne B.		6,100	292.80
Cousins, Willis N.		3,450	165.60
Cowen, Rodney P. and Elinor		4,600	220.80
Cowles, Addison and Alexandra C.		5,150	247.20
Crandall, Stephen H. and Patricia E.		5,750	276.00
Crane, Charles E. and Hazel G.		15,000	720.00
Crawford, Dorothy B.		6,000	288.00
Crawford, John D. and Joanna W.		6,500	312.00
Creelman, Gilmore B. and Alice M.		3,550	170.40
Croft, Robert		200	9.60
Crook, Russell G.		3,000	144.00
Crowley, Timothy J.		2,000	96.00
Crowson, Leslie W. and Madeline W.		6,800	326.40
Crozier, Christina B.		5,000	240.00
Culver, Perry J. and Kate S.		19,200	921.60
Cunnert, Fritz, Heirs of		6,500	312.00
Cunningham, George E.		4,915	235.92
Cunningham, Harold L. and Corrine		3,600	172.80
Cunningham, Robert M.		2,900	139.20
Cushing, Gustave		4,500	216.00
Dahl, Thyra		5,800	278.40
Damico, Louise		4,600	220.80
Daniels, Bruce G.		11,500	552.00

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Danosky, Edward A.		250	12.00
Danosky, Edward A. and Mary C.		4,850	232.80
Danosky, Stephania	1,000	9,650	511.20
D'Arrigo Brothers Co.		2,400	115.20
Davis, Alfred M.	1,250	4,750	288.00
Davis, Bradford D. and Barbara G.		10,200	489.60
Davis, Prescott L.	2,535	9,100	558.48
Davis, Saville R. and Anita V.		7,500	360.00
Davis, Sherman P.		3,000	144.00
Davison, Archibald T.		13,000	624.00
Dean, Emma W.		3,200	153.60
Dean, Lewis W.	2,850	9,800	631.20
Dean, Robert C., Jr. and E. Nancy		1,700	81.60
Dean, William M.		1,000	48.00
Dean, William M. and Lorraine C.		3,900	187.20
Dee, Helena A.		2,000	96.00
Dee, Helena A. et als		2,200	105.60
DeFord, William and Elinor S.		7,100	340.80
Demone, Harold W. and Elsie R.		700	33.60
Denehy, Edward J.	500		24.00
Denehy, Edward J. and Bernadette J.		11,900	571.20
Denio, F. Winchester		3,500	168.00
DeNormandie, Alice W.		34,400	1,651.20
DeNormandie, James	8,200	2,500	513.60
DeNormandie, James and Martha		6,400	307.20
DeNormandie, James and Robert L.		22,950	1,101.60
DeNormandie, Robert L., Est. of		21,925	1,052.40
Denton, Edward W.	3,150		151.20
DePavla, Dominick		500	24.00
Dewey, Davis R. II		15,600	748.80
Dexter, Charles and Charlotte		1,500	72.00
Diamond, James H.		1,100	52.80
Dixon, Russell J.	200		9.60
Dodge, Orien B.		2,850	136.80
Doherty, Mary E., Margaret A., Marjorie		2,000	96.00
Doherty, Matthew H.	1,600		76.80
Doherty, Matthew H. and Elizabeth H.		13,800	662.40
Dole, Gertrude E.		2,880	138.24
Dominichello,Dominic		500	24.00
Dominichello, Frank and Mattie M.		5,300	254.40
Donaldson, Estate of Charlotte H.		8,000	384.00
Donaldson, Gordon A. and Elizabeth A.		7,000	336.00
Donaldson, Malcolm D.		8,250	396.00
Donaldson, Robert D.		67,600	3,244.80
Donaldson , Robert D., Jr.		6,500	312.00
Donnelly, Bernard F. and Josephine B.		1,500	72.00
Dorian, Newart		3,750	180.00
Dougherty, Andrew J.	2,370	6,350	418.56
Dougherty, Dennis M.		2,900	139.20
Downing, Grace L.		2,500	120.00
Drake, Anna B.		5,000	240.00
Dresser, Charles N. and Ruth C.		5,600	268.80
DuBois, Anson M. and Olive S.		5,100	244.80

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DuBois, Eliot and Barbara		4,800	230.40
Duncan, Albert A. and Agnes A.		3,850	184.80
East, John A. and Edla A.		5,500	264.00
Eaton, Gertrude S.		7,500	360.00
Ehlert, Heirs of Ellen		6,275	301.20
Ehlert, Caroline E.		4,500	216.00
Emerson, Heirs of Edward W.		500	24.00
Emerson, Heirs of Ralph Waldo		500	24.00
Emmons, A. W.	300		14.40
Ennis, Walter M., Jr. and Barbara R.		5,200	249.60
Erickson, Leonard V. and Martha F.		5,000	240.00
Evans, Lucius W. and Virginia C.		16,500	792.00
Fairbanks, Rollin		12,500	600.00
Faran, James J. and Ellen G.		5,050	242.40
Farley, Louis C., Jr. and Isabel		8,600	412.80
Farnsworth, Kenneth C. and Marguerite		15,500	744.00
Farrar, Edith B.		100	4.80
Faunce, Mary Gill and Anthony		9,500	456.00
Fedock, Metro and Hazel A.		2,650	127.20
Fell, Florence C.		5,400	259.20
Fernald, Alvin E.	200	5,900	292.80
Fillmore, Bruce R. and Eleanor L.		4,650	223.20
Finnerty, James L. and Anna C.		4,650	223.20
Fiorelli, Ernest R. and Rose M.		400	19.20
Fitts, Charles K. and Gertrude W.		16,500	792.00
Flanagan, James and Wilhelmina		700	33.60
Flannery, Donald J. and Harriet E.		4,625	222.00
Flannery, Ralph and Constance H.		500	24.00
Flannigan, John L. and Marion E.		5,500	264.00
Fleck, Richard C. and Frances R.		10,600	508.80
Fleming, Clifford D. and E. Frances		6,500	312.00
Fletcher, Walter B. and Helen F.		6,750	324.00
Flewelling, Roy S. and Thelma G.		6,600	316.80
Flint, Edith F.		1,800	86.40
Flint, George B. and Lucie S.		700	33.60
Flint, Henry R.	300		14.40
Flint, Josephine R.		11,000	528.00
Flint, Warren F.	3,850	13,000	808.80
Floyd, Olive B.		4,500	216.00
Flynn, Frank J.		400	19.20
Flynn, Helen C.		8,700	417.60
Foley, Harold F. and Rita E.		1,950	93.60
Foley, Harold W.		8,750	420.00
Foote, Howard W. and Jeanne M.		6,000	288.00
Forbes, Sherman H. and Annabell O.		5,500	264.00
Forest Realty Trust		600	28.80
Foulke, Howard V.		5,500	264.00
Fradd, Norman W.		7,500	360.00
Frazier, Joseph G. and Harriet E.		300	14.40
Foell, Earl W. and Nancy Van Ness		3,000	144.00
Fryatt, Thomas F.		5,000	240.00

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Fuller, Ernest L. and Doris O.		9,300	446.40
Fullerton, Albert L., Jr. and Mary S.		5,000	240.00
Gajewski, Ceslaus		1,500	72.00
Garland, Joseph and Mira C.		2,500	120.00
Garrison, David L. and Alice E.		6,200	297.60
Garrison, John B. and Barbara F.		7,800	374.40
Gary, John D. and Maida F.		8,000	384.00
Geary, Edward T. and Katherine E.		8,300	398.40
Gertz, George L. and Edith A.		4,200	201.60
Gibbs, Norman E. and Leigh H.		7,600	364.80
Giblin, Mary E. and Ruth E.		6,630	318.24
Gilbert, George H. and Rebecca A.		1,500	72.00
Gilbert, Mary J.		2,500	120.00
Gilbert, John W. and Josephine L.		2,500	120.00
Giles, E. W. Inc.	800		38.40
Giles, Edmund W. and Muriel H.		17,600	844.80
Giles, Thomas T. and Stella A.		7,300	350.40
Gilfoy, Donald A. and Helen B.		12,000	576.00
Giurleo, James M. and Mary C.		10,000	480.00
Glazier, L. Gordon and Gertrude		19,000	912.00
Goodno, Ralph	1,000		48.00
Gordon, Marie C.		4,200	201.60
Gounaris, Thomas X. and Jean G.		500	24.00
Grabill, Elliott V. and Martha L.		11,000	528.00
Graf, Malcolm		2,000	96.00
Grason, Rufus L. and Edna B.		3,200	153.60
Gray, Robert W.		6,600	316.80
Greene, Frederick H., Jr. and Helen H.		11,100	532.80
Greer, Frederick W. and Eleanor F.		13,300	638.40
Gregg, Earl F. and Doris H.		6,500	312.00
Griffin, Harriet S.		6,500	312.00
Grinnell, William L. and Virginia B.		9,000	432.00
Gropius, Walter and Ilse		14,500	696.00
Gross, T. A. O. and Judith C. F.		5,300	254.40
Gustafson, Edwin Anton and Doris Margaret		4,000	192.00
Haartz, John C., Jr. and Beatrice R.		10,600	508.80
Haden, Russell L., Jr. and Constance J.		10,700	513.60
Hagenian, Joseph C. and Irene R.		4,300	206.40
Hagman, Anna, Extrx.		3,850	184.80
Hagman, Otto and Katherine		5,000	240.00
Hagerty, Julia C.		3,000	144.00
Hale, Hazen G., Jr. and Gail Robinson		1,400	67.20
Hall, Cecil E. and Nancy E.		7,000	336.00
Haley, Arthur E.		1,500	72.00
Hamilton, Harry A. and Bessie E.		4,800	230.40
Hankey, Francis W. and Edna J.		7,450	357.60
Hanlon, Albert W.		5,000	240.00
Hapgood, Norman, Jr. and Ruth K.		2,950	141.60
Harding, Catherine		2,500	120.00
Harling, Ernest J.		4,500	216.00

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Harrington, F. Frank, Estate of		1,750	84.00
Harrington, Katherine A.		2,000	96.00
Harrington, Winthrop W.		4,100	196.80
Harrison, George R. and Florence K.		900	43.20
Hart, Frederick R.		200	9.60
Hart, Joseph S.		4,000	192.00
Hart, William E. and Isabella C.		9,000	432.00
Hartman, Henry F.		3,700	177.60
Hartwell Farm	1,000		48.00
Hatheway, Louise A.	4,225	133,950	6,632.40
Haworth, George G. and Thelma E.		6,000	288.00
Hayden, Nellie B.		300	14.40
Healey, Harry R., Jr. and Jeanne C.		5,700	273.60
Heck, Mary Higbee		30,800	1,478.40
Hedge, Mary A.		10,500	504.00
Helburn, Peter and Margaret		1,850	88.80
Held, Arnold E. and Mary A.		4,200	201.60
Henderson , Ernest	100		4.80
Henderson, Gerard C. and Edith M.		6,600	316.80
Henderson, Mary S.		39,800	1,910.40
Henderson, Robert S. and Carolyn H.		5,000	240.00
Henley, Archibald and Lottie		4,640	222.72
Henry, Hall M. and Addie McAllister		10,000	480.00
Herlihy, Maurice K. and Jean E.		3,300	158.40
Herman, Edwards W.		12,200	585.60
Herthel, Stephen W. and Evelyn S.		13,650	655.20
Hess, Kenneth W. and Alice B.		9,500	456.00
Hester, Leon B. and Mary B.		5,000	240.00
Hill, Walter L. and Patricia C.		1,000	48.00
Hinds, Edward H. and Edith M.		100	4.80
Hinds, Evelyn W.		8,000	384.00
Hoar, George W. and Norman W.		9,500	456.00
Hollingsworth, Lowell M. and Florence S.		7,000	336.00
Hoover, Henry B. and Lucretia J.		7,300	350.40
Hornor, Townsend and Barbara G.		18,200	873.60
Houghton, John J. and Lillian		3,800	182.40
Howard, Elizabeth F.		12,800	614.40
Howard, Esther T.		9,300	446.40
Hoyt, Harrison and Shirley J.		5,500	264.00
Hubbard, Eliot, Jr.		9,100	436.80
Hunt, Hope		13,420	644.16
Hunt, Lewis E.		3,900	187.20
Hunt, Pearson and Merrill T.		6,500	312.00
Hunt, Pearson		400	19.20
Huntley, George F. and Lottie D.		4,350	208.80
Huntley, Medford E. and Blanche L.		3,700	177.60
Huntley, Oland F. and Alberta T.		2,900	139.20
Hurd, Joseph and Nellie M.		7,800	374.40
Hurd, Nancy Dabney		9,100	436.80
Hyde, Benjamin D. and Mildred B.		8,500	408.00

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Irwin, Mary M.		13,500	648.00
Jackson, Dorothy W.		12,000	576.00
Jackson, Gardner, Jr. and Sallie		6,600	316.80
Jacobs, May L.		15,000	720.00
Jagger, James M. and Miriam H.		4,800	230.40
James, Hamilton R. and Waleska E.		6,500	312.00
Jenney, Charles J. and Katrina C.		5,500	264.00
Jensen, Holgar J. and Grace A.		3,100	148.80
Jensen, Olin A. and Agnes E.		5,100	244.80
Johansen, Rose May		1,500	72.00
John, DeWitt		7,050	338.40
Johnson, Ernest L. and Grace M.		11,500	522.00
Johnson, Fern A.		3,000	144.00
Johnson, John W. and Josephine		150	7.20
Jones, Chester L. and Anne B.		8,000	384.00
Kane, Henry B. and Elizabeth C.		3,750	180.00
Keene, Clifton R.		5,000	240.00
Keily, Delbar P. and Gertrude E.		4,200	201.60
Keizer, Harold		1,500	72.00
Kelliher, John J.		3,800	182.40
Kennedy, Albert E.		5,800	278.40
Kennedy Brothers	500		24.00
Kennedy, John T. and Albert E.		150	7.20
Kern, Walter P.		1,600	76.80
Kindleberger, Charles P. and Sarah M.		5,450	261.60
King, Abigail A.		12,000	576.00
King, William T.	100	15,700	758.40
Kingsbury, Roy S. and Ann B.		8,500	408.00
Kinney, Robert C.		2,000	96.00
Kinsler, Herman F. and Louise M.		5,500	264.00
Kirkpatrick, David W. and Margaret M.		5,000	240.00
Kistiakowsky, George B. and Irma E.		11,500	552.00
Kling, John W. and Louise		4,500	216.00
Knowles, Harry B.	1,950	9,100	530.40
Knowles, Harry B., Jr.	200		9.60
Knowles, Wilma E.		5,000	240.00
Kolyshkin, George		3,030	145.44
Kubik, Charles S. and Emily K.		6,000	288.00
Ladd, Edward H., Jr. and Agnes E.		6,500	312.00
Lahey, Heirs of James		1,500	72.00
Lahnstein, Karl F.		3,200	153.60
Lang, Richard E. and Betty Lee		5,000	240.00
Langton, William G.		7,000	336.00
Larrabee, Leonard C. and Peggy S.		5,900	283.20
Larzelere, Alice Josephine		5,000	240.00
Lavery, Francis W. and Veronica J.		6,200	297.60
Lavrakas, Fofo		2,150	103.20
Lawson, Harold E.	1,000	8,150	439.20
Lawton, John J. and Beatrice G.		5,100	244.80
Leavitt, Donald P. and Christine P.		9,000	432.00
LeBlanc, Alphonse J. and Alice M.		2,500	120.00

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LeBlanc, Philias and Lena		6,100	292.80
Lee, Edwin John		1,800	86.40
Leger, Mary E.		350	16.80
Lemander, William C. and Emily K.		8,500	408.00
LeMann, John		2,850	136.80
Lennon, James V. and Elin E.		3,800	182.40
Leslie, Maurice A. and Annie M.		4,340	208.32
Levin, Alvin and Betty		600	28.80
Liddick, Harold S. and Virginia D.		6,700	321.60
Ligda, Myron G. H. and Evelyn D.		2,900	139.20
Lillie, Douglas G. and Hilda F.		1,200	57.60
Lincoln Beauty Salon	250		12.00
Lincoln Heights Estates, Inc.		6,000	288.00
Lincoln, John W. and Clarinda Y.		5,400	259.20
Litte, Rudolph		7,600	364.80
Livengood, Eleanor C. H.		3,800	182.40
Lorrey, Mildred J.		5,575	267.60
Lothrop, John W. and Ellen D.		10,500	504.00
Loud, John F. and Mary L.		10,000	480.00
Loveys, Donald C. and Harriet E.		3,000	144.00
Luce, Peter Paul and Margaret		8,250	396.00
Lummus, John W. and Ann A.		4,750	228.00
Lunt, Heirs of Charles		2,600	124.80
Lustwerk, Ferdinand		5,000	240.00
Lynch, Edward H., Jr.		3,600	172.80
Lyon, Ruth		3,700	177.60
Lyons, John J. and Ann V.		3,950	189.60
Lyons, Martin and Winifred A.		3,330	159.84
MacFarland, Charles C. and Phyllis M.		2,750	132.00
MacFarland, Ernest H.		6,000	288.00
MacInnis, Daniel A.,Jr. and Francis Clarke		3,050	146.40
MacKay, Herman B. and Margaret R.		1,000	48.00
Mackenzie, Roland C.		12,000	576.00
Maclaurin, Richard Colin and Ellen		11,000	528.00
MacLean, Heirs of Hector J.		4,350	208.80
MacLeod, Edward and Hester M.		2,850	136.80
MacLeod, Edward, Jr. and Mary M.		1,100	52.80
MacRae, Manning W.		5,500	264.00
Mahan, Russell P. and Anastasia		8,000	384.00
Mahar, Raymond and Gertrude M.		3,200	153.60
Mahoney, Gerald J. and Jeanne M.		5,500	264.00
Mallett, Herbert A. and Eva M.		2,600	124.80
Malloy, Robert M. and Irene C.		23,000	1,104.00
Mann, David W., Inc.		11,700	561.60
Mann, David W.		11,200	537.60
Mannarino, Heirs of Anna		1,500	72.00
Manning, Joseph J. and Catherine L.		4,700	225.60
Manzelli, John		5,200	249.60
Mar, James W. and Edith		5,300	254.40
Marchetti, John W. and Sarah G.		8,800	422.40
Maroni, Robert F. and Valentine R.		14,300	691.20
Martin, Fred and Marie		5,000	240.00
Martin, John O. and Candida W.		4,500	216.00

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Martin, Wilhelmina W.		1,000	48.00
Mascari, Leonard E. and Grace B.		13,000	624.00
Massachusetts Land Corp.		2,000	96.00
McClennen, Alan and Louise H.		12,500	600.00
McCune, William J.,Jr. and Elizabeth		9,500	456.00
McCune, William J., Jr.	200		9.60
McDonald, Claire		500	24.00
McHugh, Katherine		500	24.00
McHugh, Mary F.		6,000	288.00
McLellan, John W. and Julia C.		3,250	156.00
McMillin, James B.		3,600	172.80
Mead, Varnum R. and Janice H.		4,500	216.00
Meade, Edmund J. and Eleanor H.		3,500	168.00
Melanson, Leonard J. and Mary		4,000	192.00
Mele, John A. and Sarah L.		4,300	206.40
Mellish, Eugene D. and Nancy		4,500	216.00
Meriam, Richard S. and Alice G.		12,350	592.80
Merrill, Vincent N. and Anne S.		1,000	48.00
Meyer, John R. Jr. and Marjorie R.		6,500	312.00
Meyer, Robert V.		5,800	278.40
Michel, Jules J.		10,040	481.92
Militzer, Raymond E. and Martha B.		18,000	864.00
Miller, Henry D. and Mary E.		8,300	398.40
Miller, Mary G.		5,500	264.00
Mills, Cecil R. and Lillian M.		3,650	175.20
Mix, Thomas R. and Helen B.		2,350	112.80
Monks, Caroline T., Est. of		6,750	324.00
Monks, John P.	600		28.80
Monks, John P. and Ann S.		47,000	2,256.00
Moody, Charles P. and Josephine G.		6,100	292.80
Moor, Edgar, Jr. and Joan		4,500	216.00
Moore, Herbert L. Jr. and Sylvia W.		10,000	480.00
Moore, Laurence and Eleanor		10,200	489.60
Moore, Paul		100	4.80
Morette, Walter J. and Gertrude C.		2,500	120.00
Morgan , Henry M. and Gwen G.		7,000	336.00
Morris, Milliage E.	215		10.32
Morris, Milliage E. and Beatrice M.		2,400	115.20
Morris, Robert E. F. and Clara D.		3,700	177.60
Morris, Robert H. and Irene S.		4,500	216.00
Morrissey, Elizabeth Ann		500	24.00
Morrissey, John Joseph		5,500	264.00
Morse, Thomas R.		12,300	590.40
Moses, John P. and Alice W.		6,500	312.00
Moszka, Stanley E. and Anna		2,800	134.40
Mukhitarian, Samuel and Stephanie		4,050	194.40
Mulledy, John A.		3,100	148.80
Mullins, Edward S. and Florence M.		250	12.00
Murphy, Bridget		4,500	216.00
Murphy, Cyrus W. and Persis S.		3,450	165.60
Murphy, Daniel J. and Louise C.		4,550	218.40
Murphy, Edward W.		4,750	228.00
Murphy, Heirs of Jeremiah		3,500	168.00

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Murphy, Mina Dorothea		3,500	168.00
Murphy, Otis W. and Patricia		50	2.40
Murphy, William F.		10,750	516.00
Neary, Patrick J. and Alice B.		4,200	201.60
Nelson, Albert E. and Marjorie E.		5,900	283.20
Nelson, Erik J. and Dorothy G.		3,000	144.00
Nelson, W. Newton and Eleanor R.		9,450	453.60
Nesto, Bruno Richard and Eugenia Rita		6,850	328.80
Neumann, Ernest P. and Sylvia		9,250	444.00
Neville, Ellen M., Heirs of		500	24.00
Neville, Mary A. and Delia M.		4,000	192.00
New England Tel. and Tel. Co.	73,000	4,000	3,696.00
Newell, Joseph S. and Lena M.		8,500	408.00
Newton, Harland B. and Ethel A.		6,800	326.40
Newton, Hazel H.		5,500	264.00
Nichols, Walter and Ethel D.		5,100	244.80
Nielsen, Svend H. and Virginia R.		5,900	283.20
Niles, Robert I. and Virginia M.		7,000	336.00
Northeastern Gas Transmission Co.		49,350	2,368.80
Norton , Paul L.		1,500	72.00
Norton, Paul L. and Margaret		6,500	312.00
Nystrom, Foster H. and Edna C.		6,000	288.00
Ogden, Warren G., Jr.		6,000	288.00
O'Hara, Gerald T.		7,450	357.60
Olsen, Ralph and Marcia E.		9,500	456.00
O'Reilly, Joseph J. and Camilla M.		3,800	182.40
Osborne, Gordon and Freda W.		19,940	957.12
O'Sullivan, William J. and Mary E.		18,500	888.00
Owen, Carleton W.		6,500	312.00
Owen, Charles J. and Mary Lee		6,000	288.00
Paddock, Louis E. and Anne E.		7,000	336.00
Page, Elliott F. and Emily R.		4,400	211.20
Page, William N. and Elizabeth J.		8,000	384.00
Paine, Charles H.		200	9.60
Pallotta, Henry and Eleanor A.		4,500	216.00
Palmer, Attelio A. and Kathryne		4,600	220.80
Palmer, Eleanor M.		7,500	360.00
Panetta, Franklin and Theresa		100	4.80
Panetta, James J. and Rosemary D.		3,950	189.60
Panetta, Pasquale	335		16.08
Panetta, Pasquale and Mary		4,900	235.20
Panetta, Salvatore and Rita		4,300	206.40
Parish, Edward C., Jr. and Joan DeF.		6,900	331.20
Paquette, Margaret		250	12.00
Parker, Jackson B. and Jacqueline		5,000	240.00
Parker, William J.,Jr. and Evangeline C.		1,750	84.00
Parks, Henry A. and Harriett A.		2,300	110.40
Pattinson, Mary I.		6,600	316.80
Pavlo, Samuel G.		400	19.20
Paulsen, Jack W. and Suzanne P.		6,500	312.00

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Pazzano, Charles H., Jr. and Mary R.		250	12.00
Pearmain, William Robert		200	9.60
Peavy, Leopold, Jr.		1,350	64.80
Peck, Mildred E.		3,850	184.80
Pederson, Sarah A.		1,100	52.80
Peirce, Harriet T.		4,200	201.60
Pellandini, Robert T. and Virginia A.		4,700	225.60
Peloquin, Roy J. and Alice M.		4,300	206.40
Pertzoff, Constantin A.	400		19.20
Pertzoff, Constantin A. and Olga		51,240	2,459.52
Pertzoff, Olga		7,800	374.40
Peterson, Frank W. and Mary E.		4,100	196.80
Peterson, Roy C.		3,300	158.40
Phillips, Henry B. and Charlotte T.		16,450	789.60
Pierce, Charles Eliot and Dora Redway		12,500	600.00
Poinier, Donald and Roberta		4,900	235.20
Poole, Ruth E. and Frederick		5,500	264.00
Poor, Jane H. and Fitch, Marion A.		12,500	600.00
Porter, Stanley D. and Josephine		8,500	408.00
Potter, Howard L. and Barbara V.		6,000	288.00
Powers, Richard E.		4,500	216.00
Powers, William C. and Clara E.		6,100	292.80
Pratt, Nancy A.		1,100	52.80
Preston, Jean W.		24,000	1,152.00
Preston, William M.	100		4.80
Primak, John	750		36.00
Primak, John and Lena		11,200	537.60
Prouty, C. Newton		1,000	48.00
Quarton, Gardner and Frances		16,830	807.84
Ragan, Ralph R. and Ruth M.		5,000	240.00
Ralston, Robert		4,300	206.40
Rand, Lucy K.		21,500	1,032.00
Rando, Giovanina		6,350	304.80
Rando, Philip	800		38.40
Read, Kenneth C. and Margaret M.		8,100	388.80
Ricci, Joseph, Louis, Fred and Charles		5,050	242.40
Rice, Arthur W., Jr. and Pauline K.		12,200	585.60
Rice, Earl S. and Naoma F.		6,000	288.00
Rice, James F., Jr. and Barbara		3,400	163.20
Rice, Richard B. and Grace W.		4,200	201.60
Richardson, Howard C.		200	9.60
Richardson, John A. W. and Anna H.		9,550	458.40
Richardson, Lyle		13,000	624.00
Riley, Allston and Marion		10,600	508.80
Riley, William B. and Mary M.		1,900	91.20
Robbins, Roland W. and Geraldine		3,000	144.00
Robey, A. Alexander and Hariet Stevens		10,600	508.80
Robichaud, George V. and Emma		5,000	240.00
Robichaud, George V.		11,500	552.00
Robinson, Dora J.		3,500	168.00
Robus, Tamzin K.		2,500	120.00
Rodiman, Mildred M.		1,000	48.00

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Rogers, Edward H.	585	19,000	940.08
Rogers, John H., Est. of		7,000	336.00
Rollins, Elmer A.		800	38.40
Rouner, Thomas J.	900		43.20
Rood, Allan and Jane		6,400	307.20
Rooney, Edward D. and Elizabeth M.		5,300	254.40
Rooney, John J. and Margaret C.		1,500	72.00
Root, Harriet E.		600	28.80
Root, Lily Frederica		3,350	160.80
Ross, James and Annie L.		5,500	264.00
Ross, William C. and Marion L.		10,200	489.60
Rouner, Thomas J. and Doris J.		8,250	396.00
Row, Ronald V. and Jane E.		4,500	216.00
Rowe, Lawrence L. and Mildred M.		1,700	81.60
Rowe, Standish S.		6,500	312.00
Rudski, Mary and Slominski, Janina		4,150	199.20
Rufo, John and Helen L.		3,500	168.00
Russes, Frances		2,900	139.20
Ryan, James J. and Helen		4,000	192.00
Ryan, Frank A.		100	4.80
Ryan, Mary A.		2,400	115.20
Ryan, Lawrence		3,500	168.00
Ryan, Mary J.		4,000	192.00
Sagendorph, George A. and Jane H.		15,200	729.60
Santangelo, Laura B. and John		350	16.80
Sawtell, Clement C. and Adelaide I.		6,000	288.00
Schaal, Albert A. and Zelpha M.		200	9.60
Schlaifer, Robert O.		5,700	273.60
Schumacher, August		1,810	86.88
Schumacher, August and Mary L.		1,100	52.80
Scott, Herman H.		7,500	360.00
Scott, Robert W.		21,750	1,044.00
Sears, Ann		1,000	48.00
Secora, Julia		2,500	120.00
Seeckts, E. William		6,500	312.00
Seeckts, Marion E. and Ehlert W.		4,000	192.00
Segadelli, Doris C. and John J.		5,500	264.00
Sexton, Maurice S.		600	28.80
Shank, Maurice E. and Virginia		5,500	264.00
Shaw, Alice DeS.		20,000	960.00
Shea, Catherine E., Estate of		4,500	216.00
Shepard, Paul F.		4,650	223.20
Sherman, Daniel E.		9,800	470.40
Sherman, D. Everett, Jr.	725	5,250	286.80
Sherwin, Edward V.		1,500	72.00
Shompke, Patrick W. and Annie B.		6,000	288.00
Shrock, Robert R.		300	14.40
Shumway, Herbert L. and Violet A.		7,000	336.00
Siler, William C. and Barbara		4,200	201.60
Silva, Manuel, Heirs of		21,150	1,015.20
Silva, Mary	5,400		259.20
Simonds, Anthony J. and Lena J.		5,300	254.40

Name of taxpayer	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real and Personal Estate
Simonds, Raymond H. and Hazel		8,200	393.60
Sims, Mildred A.		1,700	81.60
Sisson, John H. and Barbara		10,800	518.40
Small, William A. and Dolina N.		6,200	297.60
Smith, Carl D. and Florence C.		5,500	264.00
Smith, John E. and Helen M.		5,000	240.00
Smith, John E. and Patricia Ann		4,500	216.00
Smith, Sumner	2,375	55,700	2,787.60
Smith, William B. and Mary W.		3,900	187.20
Smith, William J. and Barbara J.		2,700	129.60
Smith-Petersen, Hilda D.		2,150	103.20
Snelling, Charles A.		4,100	196.80
Snelling, Dorothy R.		4,300	206.40
Snelling, Howard and Elizabeth J.		4,500	216.00
Snider, Joseph L. and Greta W.		850	40.80
Sorenson, Hans, Heirs of		4,050	194.40
Sorenson, J. Oscar		4,250	204.00
Spence, Robert A. and Helen M.		6,000	288.00
Spencer, Henry W. and Marguerite G.		11,500	552.00
Spooner, David B. and Shirley P.		200	9.60
Spooner, Frederick C. and Sarah W.		3,800	182.40
Spooner, Lily T.		4,100	196.80
Stahleker, Carl and Edith H.		5,250	252.00
Sterner, John and Janine M.		7,400	355.20
Stevens, Kimball C. and Eleanor G.		6,000	288.00
Stockellburg, Arthur A.		1,750	84.00
Stone, Edith Caroline		4,800	230.40
Stratford Realty Co., Inc.		11,100	532.80
Street, Earle B. and Janet H.		5,250	252.00
Striker, William W. and Marjorie B.		500	24.00
Stuart, Elizabeth D.		1,500	72.00
Sturgis, Alanson H., Jr. and Anne H.		4,750	228.00
Sturm, Henry A., Jr. and Harriet W.		5,200	249.60
Sullivan, Winifred P.		1,200	57.60
Swan, Edmund and Eleanor C.		4,400	211.20
Swanson, Alfred and Alma		7,450	357.60
Swanson, Arthur W. and Helen K.		7,600	364.80
Swanson, John, Realty Corp.		12,500	600.00
Swanson Pontiac, Inc.	1,000		48.00
Sweeney, Joseph E. and Jeanne M.		5,000	240.00
Swift, Orlando B.	100		4.80
Swift, Orlando B. and Janice B.		8,650	415.20
Swift, William N. and Phyllis C.		8,600	412.80
Swinconeck, John J.		1,600	76.80
Taillacq, Elsie		4,000	192.00
Tarbell, George G., et al, Trustee		21,200	1,017.60
Tarbell, George G., Jr.		8,000	384.00
Tarky, William J., Jr.		1,000	48.00
Tasker, Eliza J.		3,500	168.00
Taylor, Edward S.		6,850	328.80
Teabo, Eugene R. and Alice M.		900	43.20
Tew, John B.		13,400	643.20

Name of taxpayer	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real and Personal Estate
Thiessen, Arthur E. and Laura		13,600	652.80
Thoma, Henry F. and Mary Alice		5,000	240.00
Thomas, Melvin H. and Phyllis I.		2,600	124.80
Thompson, Donald O. and Barbara Ann		5,000	240.00
Thompson, G. Brooks, Jr. and Arlene		8,300	398.40
Thorpe, Margaret M.		7,000	336.00
Thorson, Robert H. and Kathryn F.		7,100	340.80
Todd, Mabel H.		16,700	801.60
Todd, Pauline E., Admx.		27,900	1,339.20
Toler, Louice C.		5,000	240.00
Tonseth, Didrick and Phebe		1,850	88.80
Torode, Herbert L. and Lorraine S.		3,000	144.00
Tracey, Joseph	500		24.00
Tracey, Elizabeth C.		8,300	398.40
Tracey, Joseph R. and Elizabeth M.		4,200	201.60
Tracey, John W. and Gertrude G.		3,000	144.00
Troisi, Ferdinand L. and Mary G.		1,900	91.20
Tunnell, Raymond W. and Suzanne D.		3,500	168.00
Turner, Charles F. and Winifred A.		4,400	211.20
Tyler, Ethel A., Admx.		2,700	129.60
Tyler, Watson, Heirs of		2,700	129.60
Umbrello, Francis	4,425		212.40
Umbrello, Francis and Virginia		8,950	429.60
Vance, Jane K.		18,700	897.60
Van Leer, Hans L.	5,450	900	304.80
Van Leer, Hans L. and Mary K.		11,000	528.00
Van Wart, Walter L. and Mary A.		1,600	76.80
Victor's Market	1,500		72.00
Waible, Wendell J. and Florence E.		5,200	249.60
Walen, Roger S. and Constance M.		4,000	192.00
Wales, Andrew M. and Betty R.		11,500	552.00
Wales, Isabel G.		14,800	710.40
Waller, Ervin S.		500	24.00
Ward, Henry DeC. and Janet Clark		11,700	561.60
Ward, Walter B. and Sophie E.		5,000	240.00
Warner, Caleb and Alice S.		1,300	62.40
Warner, Henry E.		19,650	943.20
Warner, Henrietta S.		9,500	456.00
Warner, John Burton and Barbara K.		10,500	504.00
Washburn, Mabel L. and Rachel W.		4,400	211.20
Washburn, Rachel W.		100	4.80
Watt, Norman B. and Martha E.		3,000	144.00
Webb, John F.		9,000	432.00
Webb, Rosella		5,500	264.00
Welch, Vernon F. and Leatrice June		1,500	72.00
Weld, Anne S. and Frederick C.		10,500	504.00
Weiner, Julius		4,600	220.80
Wellman, Bertram and Cora B.		4,500	216.00
Wells, George and K. W.		8,300	398.40
Westcott, Charles W. C. and Mary		3,500	168.00

Name of taxpayer	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real and Personal Estate
Westcott, Vernon C. and Mary Alice		6,500	312.00
Weston, Georgianna H.		4,500	216.00
Western Union Tel. & Tel.	2,100		100.80
Wheeler, Elizabeth F., Ann H., Mary L. and Ruth A. Gale		17,150	823.20
Whalen, William B. and Mary E.		3,500	168.00
White, Katharine S. and John W.		13,200	633.60
White, Robert E. and Marion S.		4,800	230.40
Whitney, Harold A. and Consuelo V.		4,600	220.80
Whittier, Charles F. and Ramona Calkins		2,200	105.60
Wilber, Harold T. and Inez E.		4,450	213.60
Wilbor, John S. and Anne F.		5,500	264.00
Wilbur, Richard P. and Charlotte W.		4,600	220.80
Wildes, Leland A. and Irene E.		5,500	264.00
Wilfert, Walter A. and Eleanor A.		200	9.60
Wilfert, Fred J. and Eleanor M.		5,400	259.20
Wilfert, Walter A. and Fred J., Eleanor A. and Eleanor M.		600	28.80
Wiley, G. Arnold and Helen		10,250	492.00
Wilkie, Earl L. and Virginia A.		4,600	220.80
Wilkins, John H. and Aida S.		16,000	768.00
Wilkshire, Alice E.		100	4.80
Willard, Henry L. and Helen S.		8,000	384.00
Willard, Leslie M. and Bernice L.		4,750	228.00
Williams, Edwin L., Jr.		4,200	201.60
Williamson, Elizabeth R.		1,300	62.40
Wilson, John Otis		9,100	436.80
Wilson, Melvin S. and Eleanor F.		4,500	216.00
Wilson, Montgomery S. and Mary Ann		4,750	228.00
Wilson, William A. and Eleanor L.		9,200	441.60
Winchell, Guilbert	275		13.20
Winchell, Guilbert and Evelyn		26,650	1,279.20
Winchell, Guilbert S. and Amy Jane		3,200	153.60
Witham, Arthur R. and Margaret F.		3,100	148.80
Witherton, John R.		5,800	278.40
Wood, Frank H. and Jeanne R.		8,200	393.60
Wood, George A., Jr. and Nancy L.		4,500	216.00
Wood, James D. and Ruth E.		4,500	216.00
Wood, James and Lizzie		4,500	216.00
Woodland Trust		420	20.16
Woods, Henry A. and Barbara R.		6,500	312.00
Worcester, Alice E., and others		2,000	96.00
Worthington, Thomas K. and Elizabeth C.		5,250	252.00
Yagjian, Jacob and Inez		600	28.80
Young, Edward L.		3,850	184.80
Young, David B. and Cora S.		3,150	151.20
Zdanowski, John J. and Mary A.		4,580	219.84
Zdanowski, John J.	400		19.20
Ziegler, Elmer H. and Hilda M.		5,100	244.80

REPORT OF COMMISSIONERS OF TRUST FUNDS

JOHN H. PIERCE LEGACY

Cash Account

Cash balance at January 1, 1954		$ 2,606.50
Income received in 1954:		
Bond interest	$ 528.60	
Savings bank interest	113.16	
Annuity u/w John H. Pierce	3,000.00	
Rent for property for 1954	600.00	
Well-Child Clinic fees	22.25	
Dental Clinic fees	939.35	
Donation from Salvation Army for Dental Clinic	285.05	5,488.41
Refunds of benefits paid		428.80
Bond interest used to amortize purchase premiums		1.40
2,000 Southern Pacific RR Equip. Trust "Q" bonds matured		2,000.00
Withdrawn from Middlesex Institution for Savings		2,000.00
		$12,525.11
Payments per order of Selectmen		
Hospital aid	$1,679.02	
Medicines	112.67	
Doctors' bills	84.00	
Well-Child Clinic	420.00	
Dental Clinic	3,130.43	
Repairs to Pierce House	2,986.50	
Care of grounds	150.00	
	$8,562.62	
Savings bank interest allowed to accumulate	113.16	
Deposited in Middlesex Institution for Savings	2,000.00	10,675.78
Cash balance at December 31, 1954		$ 1,849.33

Cash and Securities at December 31, 1954

Cash on hand	$ 1,849.33
Middlesex Institution for Savings	3,323.83
Provident Institution for Savings	1,266.09
U S A bonds, at cost	
11,000 Series "G" 2½% due Sept. 1, 1956	11,000.00
2,500 Series "G" 2½% due Nov. 1, 1959	2,500.00
8,500 Series "F" due April 1, 1958	6,290.00
2,000 Series "F" due March 1, 1960	1,480.00
2,700 Series "F" due Dec. 1, 1960	1,998.00
3,500 Series "F" due July 1, 1962	2,590.00
2,000 St. Louis San Francisco R.R. Equip. Trust "I" 2 7/8% due Aug. 1, 1955	2,001.37
2,000 Baltimore & Ohio RR Equip. Trust "CC" 3% due Sept. 1,1961.	1,995.72
1,000 Southern California Edison Co. 3% due 1965	1,000.00
	$37,294.34

ABBIE J. STEARNS FUND FOR THE SILENT POOR

Cash Account

Cash balance at January 1, 1954		$105.00
U S A bond interest and savings bank interest received in 1954		83.55
		$188.55
Payment per order of Selectmen	$40.00	
Savings bank interest allowed to accumulate	53.55	93.55
Cash Balance at December 31, 1954		$ 95.00

Cash and Securities at December 31, 1954

Cash on deposit	$ 95.00
Middlesex Institution for Savings	1,825.62
1,200 U S A Series "G" 2½% due Jan. 1, 1955	1,200.00
	$3,120.62
Accumulated income	$1,895.57
Principal	1,225.05
	$3,120.62

DeCORDOVA SCHOOL EQUIPMENT FUND

Cash Account

Cash balance at January 1, 1954		$ 49.73
Income received in 1954:		
Bond interest	$535.66	
Savings bank interest	110.08	
Dividends	49.40	
	$694.14	
Less accrued interest paid on bonds purchased	2.83	692.31
Interest credited to book value of bonds to amortize purchase premiums		4.34
Proceeds of sale of 26 shares First National Bank of Boston		1,423.26
1,000 Southern Pacific RR Equip. Trust "Q" 2¼% bond matured		1,000.00
		$3,169.64
Net income for 1954 paid to Town	$ 692.31	
Deposited in Middlesex Institution for Savings	1,485.21	
Purchase of $1,000 Northern Pacific RR Equip. Trust 2 3/4% bond due Aug. 10, 1966	989.95	3,167.47
Cash on hand at December 31, 1954		$ 2.17

Cash and Securities at December 31, 1954

Cash on deposit	$ 2.17
Cambridge Savings Bank	2,791.52
Middlesex Institution for Savings	2,247.48
U S A bonds	
10,000 Series "G" 2½% due April 1, 1958	10,000.00
1,000 Series "G" 2½% due Nov. 1, 1959	1,000.00
1,000 Treasury 2½% due March 15, 1970-65	1,013.39
2,000 Treasury Reg. 2 3/4% due April 1, 1980-75	2,028.25
1,000 Alabama Power 3½% due 1972	989.80
1,000 American Telephone & Telegraph 2 3/4% due 1975	948.30
1,000 Baltimore & Ohio RR Equip. Trust "C" 3% due 1961	997.86
1,000 Northern Pacific RR Equip. Trust 2 3/4% due 1966	989.95
1,000 Southern California Edison 3% due 1965	1,000.00
1,000 Western Maryland RR 4% due 1969	1,024.75
	$25,033.47

GRAMMAR SCHOOL FUND

Cash Account

1954 savings bank interest paid to General Funds of Town	$ 37.28

Savings Bank Deposits at December 31, 1954

Middlesex Institution for Savings	$ 722.00
Cambridge Savings Bank	495.52
	$1,217.52

CHARLES SUMNER SMITH SCHOOL AND PLAYGROUND FUND

Cash Account

Cash balance at January 1, 1954		$ None
Interest income received in 1954		1,574.63
Interest credited to book value of bonds to amortize premiums		3.24
U S A Series "G" bonds matured		26,500.00
Bonds sold:		
2,000 Southern Pacific 2¼% due 1961		1,927.96
2,000 Southern California Edison 3% due 1965		2,046.49
4,000 American Telephone & Telegraph 2 3/4% due 1975		3,864.52
2,000 Detroit Edison 3% due 1970		2,052.75
2,000 Alabama Power 3½% due 1972		2,067.75
		$40,037.34
Safe deposit box rent	$ 4.00	
Savings bank interest allowed to accumulate	65.74	
Deposited in savings banks	27,867.26	
Grabill, Ley & Mason, for legal services, per court order	500.00	28,437.00
Cash balance at December 31, 1954		$11,600.34

Cash and Securities at December 31, 1954

Cash on deposit	$11,600.34
Boston Five Cents Savings Bank	8,638.26
Middlesex Institution for Savings	8,674.70
Provident Institution for Savings	7,500.00
Warren Institution for Savings	7,500.00
U S A bonds, at cost	
25,000 Series "F" due Sept. 1, 1955	18,500.00
1,000 Series "F" due Nov. 1, 1956	740.00
6,000 Series "F" due May 1, 1957	4,440.00
700 Series "F" due Oct. 1, 1957	518.00
1,200 Series "F" due Dec. 1, 1958	888.00
9,000 Series "F" due June 1, 1959	6,660.00
1,000 Series "F" due Oct. 1, 1959	740.00
1,375 Series "F" due Dec. 1, 1962	1,017.50
11,000 Series "G" 2½% due Sept. 1, 1956	11,000.00
1,000 Baltimore & Ohio RR Equip. Trust "CC" 3% due 1961	997.86
2,000 Baltimore & Ohio RR Equip. Trust "FF" 3 1/8% due 1967	1,883.26
2,000 Great Northern Rwy. Equip. Trust "M" 2 7/8% due 1960	2,002.55
	$93,300.47

Note: Redemption value of U S A bonds at Dec. 31, 1954, was in excess of book value (cost) by $8,071.30.

BEMIS LECTURE FUND

Cash Account

Cash balance at January 1, 1954		$ 509.86
Interest income received in 1954		908.34
2,000 Southern Pacific RR Equip. Trust 2¼% bond matured		2,000.00
		$ 3,418.20
Payments per order Bemis Lecture Fund Trustees		
March 19 Richard Borden	$ 75.00	
April 9 Norman C. Stines, Jr.	150.00	
Printing and postage	82.72	
Janitor service at lectures	7.35	
	$ 315.07	
Deposited in Middlesex Institution for Savings	2,000.00	2,315.07
Cash balance at December 31, 1954		$1,103.13

Cash and Securities at December 31, 1954

Cash on deposit	$1,103.13
Middlesex Institution for Savings	2,028.04
U S A bonds at cost	
11,000 Series "G" 2½% due Sept. 1, 1956	11,000.00
3,000 Series "G" 2½% due April 1, 1957	3,000.00
4,800 Series "G" 2½% due May 1, 1957	4,800.00
1,000 Series "G" 2½% due Nov. 1, 1959	1,000.00

3,000 Atchison Topeka & Santa Fe RR Gen'l 4's 1995	$ 3,000.00
3,000 Louisville & Nashville, A K & C Div. 4's due 1955	3,000.00
3,000 New England Power 3¼% due 1961	3,000.00
1,000 Southern California Edison 3% due 1965	1,000.00
	$32,931.17
Accumulated income	$ 1,091.13
Principal	31,840.04
	$32,931.17

DONALD GORDON RECREATION FUND

Cash Account

Cash balance at January 1, 1954	$ 36.79
Interest income received in 1954	141.95
	$ 178.74
Savings bank interest allowed to accumulate	6.95
Cash balance at December 31, 1954	$ 171.79

Cash and Securities at December 31, 1954

Cash on deposit	$ 171.79
Middlesex Institution for Savings	237.28
3,000 U S A Series "G" 2½% due Jan. 1, 1955	3,000.00
1,000 Baltimore & Ohio RR Equip. Trust "CC" 3% due 1961	997.86
1,000 Southern California Edison 3% due 1965	1,000.00
	$ 5,406.93
Accumulated income	$ 212.18
Principal	5,194.75
	$ 5,406.93

LINCOLN LIBRARY TRUST FUNDS

Cash Account

Cash balance at January 1, 1954		$ 338.03
Income received in 1954:		
Julia A. Bemis Fund	$20.67	
Elizabeth & Leland Burr Fund	2.24	
Codman Fund	12.24	
Robert L. DeNormandie Fund	10.62	
Hugh Anthony Gaskill Fund	4.74	
John H. Pierce Fund	28.45	
George Russell Fund	13.55	
Abbie J. Stearns Fund	55.35	
Abbie J. Stearns Special Fund	39.04	

George G. Tarbell Fund	$79.51	
Constance Taylor Fund	2.15	
C. Edgar and Elizabeth S. Wheeler Fund	40.32	$308.88
Additional donations to Robert L. DeNormandie Fund		45.00
Withdrawn from Middlesex Institution for Savings accounts:		
George Russell Fund		20.00
Abbie J. Stearns Fund		30.00
C. Edgar and Elizabeth S. Wheeler Fund		100.00
		$841.91

Paid per order of Library Trustees:		
To Town of Lincoln, for purchase of books	$500.00	
Cleaning and repairing basement of Library (from accumulated income of Codman and Bemis Funds)	51.15	
Edith B. Farrar, Librarian, income of the Pierce Fund	28.45	
Safe deposit box rent	4.00	
Savings bank interest allowed to accumulate	126.65	
Deposited in savings bank accounts	45.00	755.25
Cash balance at December 31, 1954		$ 86.66

Cash and securities at December 31, 1954

	Accumulated Income on Deposit	Principal	Total
Julia A. Bemis Fund			
Middlesex Institution for Savings	$ 20.67	$ 684.05	$ 704.72
Elizabeth and Leland Burr Fund			
Middlesex Institution for Savings	6.58	70.00	76.58
Codman Fund			
U S A Series "G" 2½% due June 1, 1955		400.00	400.00
Middlesex Institution for Savings	2.24	74.59	76.83
			476.83
Robert L. DeNormandie Fund			
Warren Institution for Savings	13.84	397.00	410.84
Hugh Anthony Gaskill Fund			
Middlesex Institution for Savings		158.89	158.89
John H. Pierce Fund			
U S A Series "G" 2½% due Jan. 1, 1955		1,000.00	1,000.00
Middlesex Institution for Savings		114.57	114.57
			1,114.57
George Russell Fund			
Middlesex Institution for Savings	26.79	415.74	442.53
Abbie J. Stearns Fund			
U S A Series "G" 2½% due Jan. 1, 1955		1,000.00	1,000.00
Middlesex Institution for Savings	74.76	930.00	1,004.76
			2,004.76

Abbie J. Stearns Special Fund			
Middlesex Institution for Savings		$ 1,301.03	$1,301.03
George G. Tarbell Fund			
U S A Series "G" 2½% due Jan. 1, 1955		3,000.00	3,000.00
Middlesex Institution for Savings	15.55	138.38	153.93
			3,153.93
Constance Taylor Fund			
Warren Institution for Savings	3.15	73.00	76.15
C. Edgar and Elizabeth S. Wheeler Fund			
Middlesex Institution for Savings	39.18	1,235.46	1,274.64
	$202.76	$10,992.71	$11,195.47
Accumulated income on deposit	86.66		86.66
	$289.42	$10,992.71	$11,282.13

deCORDOVA AND DANA MUSEUM AND PARK

Financial Report
for the year 1954

Assets Dec. 31, 1954

Cash in Savings Banks	$16,000.00	
Accrued Interest	2,095.07	
Cash in Checking Account	11,969.94	
Total		$30,065.01

Liabilities Dec. 31, 1954

Corporate Reserve	$10,000.00	
Reserve for Depreciation	3,000.00	
Imprest Funds	1,285.00	
Accessions Funds	4,622.24	
Accounts Payable	3,997.27	
Reserve for Operations and Repairs	6,750.00	
Total		29,654.51
Balance		$ 410.50

Operations Statement

	Income	Expenditures
Income from deCordova trusts	$ 40,764.23	
Special Grant from deCordova trust *	3,750.00	
Dues of Associates	3,823.17	
Contributions of Visitors	521.24	
Sale of Property (Coins)	402.00	
Museum Services	75.00	
School, 1954:		
Adults, tuition and costs	9,282.14	$ 9,127.21
Children, materials fee and costs	7,423.00	8,295.40
Concert, lecture admissions, Spring Festival	3,377.13	2,219.32
Salaries and Wages		26,884.31
Office Expenses, supplies and maintenance		3,352.72
Utilities and Fuel		4,026.53
Insurance, taxes, other financial		6,316.53
Caretaker's cottage		503.22
	$69,417.91	$60,725.24

STATISTICAL

	Income	Expenditures
	$69,417.91	$60,725.24
Publicity		2,649.45
Museum exhibits, other special events		2,311.70
Outdoor Maintenance		761.82
Cost of items held for sale		850.00
Equipment and improvements		812.81
Subscriptions and memberships		189.89
Total of income and expenditures	$69,417.91	$68,300.91
Receipts over expenditures	$ 1,117.00	

* A special grant of $7,500.00 was received from the Trustees in June, 1954, half of which is carried forward to 1955.

LINCOLN FIRE ALARM CODE, 1955

Telephone connecting both South and North Stations - 9-8882 after May first.

12	North Great Road at Virginia Road
13	Virginia Road at Old Bedford Road
14	Virginia Road near McHugh's
15	North Great Road near Cunnert's Mill
16	North Great Road at Brooks Road
17	North Great Road - Concord Line
112	North Great Road at Mill Street
113	Mill Street
121	Old Bedford Road - Bedford Line
123	Virginia Road - Concord Line
21	North Lincoln Fire Station
23	Cambridge Turnpike at Brooks Road
24	Cambridge Turnpike - Concord Line
212	Cambridge Turnpike at Lexington Road
213	Cambridge Turnpike - Lexington Line
214	Mill Street at Lexington Road
215	Lexington Road at Farm Road
216	Blueberry and Grasshopper Lane
31	Bedford Road at Hilliard Road
32	Lincoln Center
132	Town House
34	Trapelo Road at Lexington Road
35	Trapelo Road at Page Road
36	Trapelo Road at Old County Road
37	Page Road
312	Sandy Pond Road at Baker Bridge Road
312	Baker Bridge Road at Storrow House
314	Woods End Road
315	Baker Bridge Road at Concord Road
316	Lake Walden Reservation - Concord Line
321	Sandy Pond Road - Concord Line
41	Lincoln Road at MacIntosh Lane
441	New Elementary School
42	Lincoln Road at Tower Road
421	Beaver Pond Road
422	Center School
43	Tower Road at Beaver Pond Road
431	Tower Road at Calkins
45	Silver Hill Road
46	Weston Road at Conant Road
47	Conant Road - Weston Line
411	Old Winter Street
412	Winter Street near J. Coan
413	Winter Street - Waltham Line
511	South Lincoln Fire Station
51	Lincoln Road at South Great Road
52	South Great Road at B.&M.R.R. Crossing
53	South Great Road at Tower Road
54	South Great Road - Weston Line
56	Weston Road - Weston Line
58	Tower Road - Weston Line
512	Codman Road at Lincoln Road
521	Sudbury Road near Boyce's
61	Lincoln Road - Wayland Line
62	Concord Road - Wayland Line
63	OxBow Road - Wayland Line
64	Concord Road at South Great Road
65	Concord Road at Codman Road
66	Hillside Road
67	Baker Bridge
68	Old Concord Road near C. F. Adams
612	South Great Road - Concord Line
618	L. Branch Adams Estate
628	R. Branch Adams Estate

1-1-1-1	Police Department
1-1-1	Water Dept. Emergency
1-1	Test Blow, Noon
1-1	After an alarm, all out
5-5-5-5	Mutual Aid
7-7-7	Boy Scout Call

3 rounds of box number, Building Fire

2 rounds of box number, Forest Fire

No School signal at 7:30, 3-3-3
7:35, 3-3-3

AIR RAID SIGNALS

Yellow Alert - Series of Short Blasts for 30 seconds

All Clear - Series of 3 second blasts

AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE DRIVING OF VEHICLES OVER MUNICIPAL FIRE HOSE

1926, Chapter 278

Section 7A. Upon the approach of any fire apparatus which is going to a fire or responding to an alarm, every person driving a vehicle on a way shall immediately drive said vehicle as far as possible toward the right-hand curb or side of said way and shall keep the same at a standstill until such fire apparatus has passed. No person shall drive a vehicle over a hose of a fire department without the consent of a member of such department. No person shall drive a vehicle within three hundred feet of any fire apparatus going to a fire or responding to an alarm, nor drive said vehicle or park or leave the same unattended within six hundred feet of fire or within the fire lines established thereat by the fire department. Violation of any provision of this section shall be punished by a fine of not more than twenty-five dollars. (Approved April 28, 1926.)

CHAPTER 148 AS AMENDED TO 1949

Section 54

Whoever drops or throws from any vehicle while the same is upon a public or private way running along or near forest land, or, except as permitted by law, drops, throws, deposits, or otherwise places in or upon forest land, any lighted cigarette, cigar, match, live ashes or other flaming or glowing substance or thing which in and of itself is likely to cause a fire, shall be punished by a fine or not more than one hundred dollars or by imprisonment for not more than thirty days.

A PERMIT IS REQUIRED FOR ALL OPEN FIRES.

Inspect and clean oil burners annually.

Keep chimneys clean.

IN CASE OF FIRE: Speak clearly to telephone operator. Give your name, address, type of fire. Always call the Fire Department before attempting to extinguish a fire yourself.

False alarms are punishable by fine, imprisonment, or both.

AT SOUND OF TRAFFIC SIREN - PULL OVER TO RIGHT SIDE OF ROAD AND COME TO A FULL STOP.

FINANCE COMMITTEE

RECOMMENDED BUDGET FOR GENERAL PURPOSES - 1955

The Finance Committee recommends that the Town of Lincoln make the several separate appropriations for the general purposes of the town as listed by number in the attached schedule aggregating $479,038.88. The actual expenditure in 1954 for the comparable purposes was $397,665.43, excluding overdrafts of $13,135.36 for hurricane work authorized and guaranteed by the State. Unexpended balances of last year's appropriations which were returned to surplus amounted to $21,097.07.

The total recommended appropriations exceed 1954 expenditures by $81,365.45, or about 20.4 per cent.

The Committee recommends for the Water Department, the four separate appropriations numbered 90 to 93, inclusive, aggregating $28,437.97, which is $15.60 more than the Department spent in 1954.

The following table of dollar and percentage change in the major categories between what was spent in 1954 and our present recommendation may be of interest:

	1955	%
General Government	$24,720	5.25
Protection of Persons and Property	46,195	9.81
Health and Sanitation	7,140	1.51
Highways	54,293	11.52
Aid to Citizens	25,000	5.31
Education	244,485	51.90
Recreation	2,470	0.53
Cemetery	2,750	0.59
Unclassified	14,401	3.06
Debt Service	49,576	10.52
Reserve Fund	8,000	---
	$479,030	100.00

The several departments turned back to surplus at the year end sums aggregating $21,097.07 from the appropriations made available to them.

UNEXPENDED APPROPRIATIONS

General Government	$ 694.83
Protection of Persons and Property	2,520.11
Health and Sanitation	289.59
Highways	3,265.31
Aid to Citizens	748.12

Education	$11,388.91
Recreation	171.79
Cemetery	178.42
Unclassified	775.67
Debt Service Interest	149.72
Reserve Fund	914.60
Total	$21,097.07

Transfers from the Reserve Fund by the Finance Committee totalled $7,085.40 out of the $8,000.00 appropriated for unforeseen developments. The following is the list:

TRANSFERS FROM RESERVE FUND

School Addition #2 (Charles Sumner Smith School)	$ 4,450.00
Police	742.10
Special Police (extra)	184.60
Fire Department	393.95
Water Department (to be returned)	378.72
Town Dump	298.13
Legal	220.50
Election and Registration	122.90
Board of Appeals	100.00
Board of Assessors	50.00
Treasurer	50.00
Division of Inspectors	44.95
Cemetery	35.50
Memorial Day Committee	8.55
Civilian Defense	5.50
Total	$ 7,085.40

The various town meetings in 1954 appropriated approximately $77,500 out of free cash. A substantial part of this has been restored to free cash by unexpended appropriations of $21,000 and by about $40,000 of tax receipts in excess of estimates. Free cash was approximately $103,000 on January 1, 1955.

. In the tabulated recommendations annexed hereto we have recommended the use of $40,950 of free cash. In addition we also recommend the use of $30,000 from free cash toward the construction of the (New School Addition No. 2) Charles Sumner Smith School and the cancellation of the previous authority to borrow $30,000 for that purpose. This would make total appropriations from free cash $70,950, of which $45,950 would eventually be returned thereto.

Estimating the assessed values of real estate and personal property for 1955 at $6,100,000 (compared with the 1954 valuation of $5,862,000),

each $6,100 appropriated will have an effect of $1.00 on the tax rate.

In order to meet the present emergency brought about by the closing of the Lincoln telephone office, we have approved a new category for expenditures labelled "Communications" and have recommended sums to purchase and operate the necessary equipment. These expenditures should provide the Town with an immediate and necessary communications service on a twenty-four hour basis for its public safety protection.

Respectfully submitted,

F. Winchester Denio, Chairman
Thomas L. Rouner, Secretary
Paul L. Norton
William N. Page
Charles K. Fitts

SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF 1954 AND RECOMMENDATIONS FOR 1955

GENERAL GOVERNMENT	Expenditures 1954		Recommendations 1955	
Selectmen				
1. Selectmen	$ 600.00		$ 600.00	
2. Administrative Ass't	5,800.00		5,800.00	
3. Clerks	1,949.99		2,000.00	
4. Supplies & Misc.	1,028.81	9,378.80	2,000.00	10,400.00
Treasurer				
5. Salaries	400.00		400.00	
6. Clerical	498.43		500.00	
7. Supplies & Misc.	331.27	1,229.70	400.00	1,300.00
Collector of Taxes				
8. Salary	1,800.00		1,800.00	
9. Supplies & Misc.	390.16	2,190.16	575.00	2,375.00
Town Clerk				
10. Salary	350.00		300.00	
11. Supplies & Misc.	14.48	364.48	50.00	350.00
Assessors				
12. Salaries	550.00		550.00	
13. Clerical	975.00		1,000.00	
14. Supplies & Misc.	423.21	1,948.21	425.00	1,975.00
Auditor				
15. Salary	50.00	50.00	50.00	50.00
Legal				
16. Counsel	720.50	720.50	500.00	500.00
Election and Registration				
17. Salaries	376.00		250.00	
18. Supplies & Misc.	547.90	923.90	500.00	750.00
Town House				
19. Janitor	2,550.00		2,600.00	
20. Fuel	765.11		700.00	
21. Repairs & Maint.	951.81		1,235.00	
22. Supplies & Misc.	900.31	5,167.23	2,020.00	6,555.00
Planning Board				
23. Clerical & Technical	86.66		300.00	
24. Supplies & Misc.	248.93	335.59	150.00	450.00
Finance Committee				
25. Dues	10.00	10.00	15.00	15.00
TOTAL FOR GENERAL GOVERNMENT		22,318.57		24,720.00

	Expenditures 1954		Recommendations 1955	
PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY				
Police				
26. Salaries	$11,726.70		$13,900.00	
27. Supplies & Misc.	2,447.93	14,174.63	2,845.00	16,745.00
Fire Department				
28. Salaries	300.00		500.00	
29. Labor at Fires	3,039.25		4,000.00	
30. Operation, Supplies & Equipment	3,663.95	7,003.20	3,100.00	7,600.00
Tree and Moth Department				
31. Salary	200.00		200.00	
32. Insect Control	1,371.50		2,000.00	
33. Poison Ivy Control	557.18		500.00	
34. Dutch Elm Disease Control	1,099.35		1,500.00	
35. Brush Control	500.00		500.00	
36. Elm Tree Removal	1,218.00		1,500.00	
37. Pruning Public Trees	-	4,946.03	2,000.00	8,200.00
Board of Appeals				
38. Clerical	184.17		350.00	
39. Supplies & Misc.	339.71	523.88	300.00	650.00
Inspectors of Building, Plumbing & Wiring				
40. Salaries & Transp.	844.95	844.95	1,000.00	1,000.00
Civil Defense				
41. Telephone Rental	355.50		350.00	
42. Supplies & Misc.	405.81	761.31	400.00	750.00
Communications				
43. Equipment purchase			4,887.84	
44. Equipment operation			6,361.75	11,249.59
TOTAL FOR PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY		28,254.00		46,194.59
HEALTH AND SANITATION				
Board of Health				
45. Salaries of Nurses	2,340.00		2,340.00*	
46. Supplies & Misc.	827.61		950.00	
47. Garbage Collection	2,272.80	5,440.41	3,750.00**	7,040.00
Inspector of Animals				
48. Salary	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
TOTAL FOR HEALTH AND SANITATION		5,540.41		7,140.00

*$650 Add'l to be paid by School Dept.

** To be taken from free cash & returned thereto from garbage collection receipts

	Expenditures 1954		Recommendations 1955	
HIGHWAYS				
49. Chapter 90 Maint.	3,037.95		4,500.00*	
50. Chapter 90 Construct.	---	3,037.95	12,000.00*	16,500.00
* State & County share of $3000 for item 49 and $9000 for item 50 to be taken from Free Cash and returned to free cash when received.				
General Highways				
51. Wages	12,660.60		14,500.00	
52. General Expense	10,195.84		700.00	
53. Highway Maintenance	-		8,000.00	
54. Snow Removal	-		3,500.00	
55. Equipment Maint. & Supplies	4,990.19		5,000.00	
56. Street Lights	5,666.12	36,550.70	6,093.44	54,293.44
TOTAL FOR HIGHWAYS		36,550.70		54,293.44
AID TO CITIZENS				
57. Public Welfare	22,225.02		23,500.00	
58. Public Welfare Adm.	748.86		1,000.00	
59. Veterans' Aid	28.00	23,001.88	500.00	25,000.00
TOTAL FOR AID TO CITIZENS		23,001.88		25,000.00
EDUCATION				
Schools (Lincoln School Committee)				
60. General Control	14,179.52		15,900.00	
61. Out of State Travel	-		205.00	
62. Instruction	95,099.34		120,841.00	
63. Operation	19,853.18		21,475.00	
64. Maintenance	3,927.97		5,955.00	
65. Auxiliary Agencies	56,108.12		59,786.00	
66. Vocational	1,241.62		1,383.00	
67. New Equipment	1,975.11	192,384.86	1,438.00	226,983.00*
* $37.28 to be taken from Grammar School Fund account				
Regional High School				
68. Lincoln-Sudbury Regional High School District	15,000.00	15,000.00	10,692.00	10,692.00
Total for Schools		207,384.86		237,675.00
Library				
69. Salaries	4,270.00		4,300.00	
70. Books	1,363.62		1,375.00	
71. Supplies & Misc.	839.21		907.00	

	Expenditures 1954		Recommendations 1955	
72. Repairs	46.40	6,519.23	228.00	6,810.00*
* $200 to be taken from free cash and returned thereto when received from Library Trustees and $751.32 to be taken from County Dog tax receipts.				
TOTAL FOR EDUCATION		213,904.09		244,485.00
RECREATION				
73. Salaries and Wages	1,297.80		1,450.00	
74. Supplies and Misc.	713.41	2,011.21	1,020.00	2,470.00
TOTAL FOR RECREATION		2,011.21		2,470.00
CEMETERY				
75. Salaries	150.00		150.00	
76. Labor, Maint. and Interments	2,385.50		2,500.00	
77. Supplies & Misc.	71.58	2,607.08	100.00	2,750.00
TOTAL FOR CEMETERY		2,607.08		2,750.00
UNCLASSIFIED				
78. Middlesex County Pension Fund	2,165.45		2,891.60	
79. Town Reports	1,245.65		1,040.00	
80. Rent and Maint. of Dump	1,673.13		1,575.00	
81. Insurance	5,241.73		5,700.00	
82. Rent of Hydrants	3,195.00	13,520.96	3,195.00	14,401.60
TOTAL FOR UNCLASSIFIED		13,520.96		14,401.60
TOWN DEBT SERVICE				
83. School Building Bonds	33,000.00		33,000.00*	
84. Int. on School Bonds	8,995.00		8,417.50	
85. Highway Equip. Bldg. Bonds	4,000.00		4,000.00	
86. Int. on Highway Bldg. Bonds	350.00		280.00	
87. Water Works Bonds	3,000.00		3,000.00**	
88. Int. on Water Works Bonds	261.25		178.75**	
89. Interest on Tax Notes	350.28	49,956.53	700.00	49,576.25
* $25,000 to be taken from free cash				
** To be taken from Water Works Treasury				
TOTAL FOR TOWN DEBT SERVICE		49,956.53		49,576.25

	Expenditures 1954		Recommendations 1955	
RESERVE FUND				
90. Reserve Fund *			8,000.00	8,000.00**
* Transfers from 1954 Reserve Fund of $7,085.40 (of which $378.72 is to be returned by Water Department) are included in expenditures listed above.				
** To be taken from Overlay Surplus, any unexpended balance to be returned thereto.				
TOTAL 1954 EXPENDITURES		397,665.43		
TOTAL RECOMMENDED FOR 1955				479,030.88
WATER WORKS (from Water Works Treasury				
91. Salary and Wages	9,903.72		9,225.00	
92. Supplies, Maint. & Rentals	8,026.97		9,200.00	
93. Meters, Operating Expense & Misc.	5,890.43		6,753.72	
94. Bond Service	3,261.25	28,424.37	3,261.25	28,439.97
TOTAL FOR WATER WORKS		28,424.37		28,439.97

Warrant
1955

NOTICE

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Lincoln in said County:

GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Town of Lincoln qualified to vote in Town Meeting for the transaction of Town affairs, to meet in the Charles S. Smith School in said Lincoln, on Monday the twenty-first day of March next at 7:30 o'clock P.M. then and there to act on the following articles except Article 1 and also to meet in the Town House on Saturday, the 26th day of March next, at 12 o'clock Noon, then and there to act on the following Article 1, by posting a copy of this Warrant, by you attested in each of the Post Offices, and in some other public place in said Town seven days at least before the twenty-first day of March next.

The polls for voting the Australian ballot on Saturday, March twenty-sixth will be open at 12 o'clock Noon, and may be closed at 7 o'clock P. M.

ARTICLE 1. To bring in their votes for the following Town Officers and any other officers required by law, to be elected by Australian Ballot, viz:

One Town Clerk for one year.
One member of the Board of Selectmen for three years.
One member of the Board of Assessors for three years.
One Treasurer for one year.
One Auditor for one year.
One member of the School Committee for three years.
One member of the Regional District School Committee for three years.
One member of the Regional District School Committee for two years.
One member of the Regional District School Committee for one year.

One member of the Board of Water Commissioners for three years.
One member of the Board of Health for three years.
One Tree Warden for one year.
One member of the Trust Fund Commissioners for three years.
One member of the Trustees of the Bemis Fund for Free Public Lectures for three years.
One member of the Board of Cemetery Commissioners for three years.
One member of the Planning Board for five years.
One director of the deCordova and Dana Museum and Park for four years.

ARTICLE 2. To bring in their votes for any committees, commissioners, trustees, and other officers, required by law to be elected by ballot or otherwise.

Selectmen

ARTICLE 3. To hear and act upon the reports of Town Officers, Committees, Commissioners and Trustees.

Selectmen

ARTICLE 4. To fix the salaries and compensation of the several elective officers of the Town and to determine whether any Department, Board or Committee shall be authorized to employ for additional compensation any of its members and to fix additional compensation of such members.

Selectmen

ARTICLE 5. To raise and appropriate money for the necessary and expedient purposes of the Town and enact anything in relation to the same.

Selectmen

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1955, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Selectmen

ARTICLE 7. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1956, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Selectmen

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will vote to conduct services on Memorial Day, the thirtieth of May, appoint a committee, raise and appropriate money, or take any other action relative thereto.

Selectmen

ARTICLE 9. To see if the Town will vote to celebrate Independence Day, the 4th of July, appoint a committee, raise and appropriate money, or take any other action relative thereto.

Selectmen

ARTICLE 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $710.51 to pay the following unpaid 1954 bills:

Water Department	$386.43
School Department	10.90
Library	75.04
Fire Department	4.54
Cemetery Department	233.60

Treasurer

ARTICLE 11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to purchase the following town vehicles to replace existing equipment: Police Dept., Police car; Board of Health, Nurse's car.

Selectmen

ARTICLE 12. To see if the Town will vote to acquire by purchase, gift, eminent domain or any other way, a parcel of land located on Bedford Road, south west of the intersection of route 2 and Bedford Road, containing 22,000 square feet more or less, raise and appropriate a sum of money therefor or take any action relative thereto.

Selectmen

ARTICLE 13. To see if the Town will vote to continue a committee of five appointed by the Moderator, for the purpose of keeping the Town informed of developments of Bedford Airport as they may affect the Town, and to represent the Town in matters relative to Bedford Airport, with the approval of the Selectmen, as occasion may arise; to raise and appropriate the sum of five hundred dollars ($500.) for the use of said committee, or take any other action relative thereto.

Air Port Committee

ARTICLE 14. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the School Committee and the Board of Selectmen to make the facilities of the South School available to the Town of Sudbury for school purposes from September 1, 1955 to June 30, 1956, or take any other action relative thereto.

School Committee

ARTICLE 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $6,150.00, of which the sum of $284.77 shall be taken from the funds of the Town in the hands of the State Reclamation Board; the appropriation to be used for mosquito control by joining the East Middlesex Mosquito Control District, or take any other action relative thereto.

Mosquito Control Committee

ARTICLE 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,300.00 for mosquito control; the appropriation to be expended for spraying or dusting by means of aircraft, or take any other action relative thereto.

Mosquito Control Committee

ARTICLE 17. To see if the Town will instruct the Board of Water Commissioners to extend the water pipes on Concord Road approximately 225 feet to the Lincoln Stand, appropriate money for the same, or take any other action relative thereto.

By Petition

ARTICLE 18. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of extending the water pipe from the junction of Weston and Conant Road, along Conant Road to the Weston line, or take any action relative thereto.

By Petition.

ARTICLE 19. To see if the Town will vote to discontinue as a public highway that portion of the Old Bedford Road, beginning at the Bedford-Lincoln town line and extending in a southwesterly direction for a distance of about 850 feet to a point where said Old Bedford Road intersects with the substitute way constructed by the Federal Government, or take any other action relative thereto.

Selectmen.

ARTICLE 20. To see if the Town will instruct the Moderator to appoint a committee to report to the Town on the advisability of creating a Department of Public Works and raise and appropriate a sum of money for the use of such committee or take any other action relative thereto.

Selectmen.

ARTICLE 21. To see if the Town will instruct the Moderator to appoint a committee to report to the Town on its long term capital requirements and raise and appropriate a sum of money for the use of such committee or take any other action relative thereto.

Selectmen.

ARTICLE 22. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money to reconstruct a partition in the pumping station, move and enclose the heater and install fire doors, as recommended by the office of the Massachusetts Fire Marshall and the Chief of the Lincoln Fire Department, or take any other action relative thereto.

Water Commissioners.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk, at or before the time for the meeting aforesaid. Given under our hands this 24th day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-five.

Edmund W. Giles
Henry DeC. Ward
John O. Wilson
Selectmen of Lincoln.

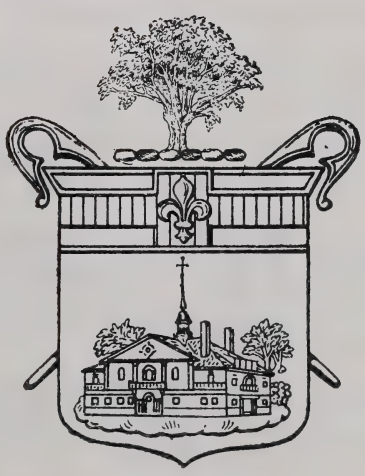
Report

of the Officers and Committees

of the

Town of Lincoln

FOR THE YEAR 1955



LINCOLN, MASSACHUSETTS.

CALENDAR

SELECTMEN -- Second and fourth Mondays of each month 8 P.M. at the Town House, Clearwater 9-8111.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE -- First Tuesday of each month 8 P. M. at the Charles Sumner Smith School, Cl. 9-8333.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS -- First Wednesday of each month 8 P.M. at the Town House, Clearwater 9-8111.

WATER COMMISSIONERS -- Meetings by appointment, call Sumner Smith, Clearwater 9-8213.

BOARD OF HEALTH -- Meetings by appointment, call Dr. Gordon Donaldson, Clearwater 9-8192.

BOARD OF APPEALS -- Meetings by appointment, call Town House, Clearwater 9-8111.

PLANNING BOARD -- Second Wednesday of each month 8 P. M. at the Town House, Clearwater 9-8111.

Population -- 2,949 by 1955 census.

Town Area -- 8,572 acres.

1955 Tax Rate -- $54.00 per $1,000 valuation.

Annual Town Meeting -- First Monday in March after the fifteenth - March 19, 1956.

Annual Election of Town Officers -- Saturday following Town meeting - March 24, 1956.

Qualifications for Registration - Twelve months continuous residence in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts prior to March 19, 1956, and six months continuous residence in the Town of Lincoln prior to March 19, 1956.

Town Office -- Open daily 9:00 A.M. to 4:30 P.M., Saturday 9:00 A.M. to 12 noon. Closed Saturdays during June, July and August.

Town Dump -- Wednesdays 1:00 P.M. to 7:00 P.M., Saturdays 9:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M., Sundays 10:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.

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ELECTED TOWN OFFICERS

	Term Expires
MODERATOR	
Donald P. Donaldson	1958
TOWN CLERK	
William H. Davis	1956
SELECTMEN AND BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE	
Edmund W. Giles, Chairman	1956
Henry DeC. Ward	1957
William T. King	1958
ASSESSORS	
George G. Tarbell, Jr., Chairman	1956
Arthur W. Rice, Jr.	1957
Frederick H. Greene, Jr.	1958
TREASURER	
Frederick B. Taylor	1956
COLLECTOR OF TAXES	
William H. Davis	1956
AUDITOR	
Louis C. Farley, Jr.	1956
SCHOOL COMMITTEE	
John W. Carman, Chairman	1956
Elizabeth C. Donaldson	1957
Ernest P. Neumann	1958
WATER COMMISSIONERS	
Sumner Smith, Chairman	1956
Edward S. Taylor	1957
Henry Warner	1958
TREE WARDEN	
Daniel A. MacInnis, Jr. (Resigned)	1956
Robert Ralston (Appointed by Selectmen)	1956
BOARD OF HEALTH	
Gordon A. Donaldson, Chairman	1958
Warren F. Flint	1956
Ellen DeN. Cannon	1957

REGIONAL DISTRICT SCHOOL COMMITTEE

	Term Expires
Malcolm L. Donaldson	1956
William A. Wilson	1957
Victor A. Lutnicki	1958

CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

George E. Cunningham, Chairman	1956
Robert D. Donaldson	1957
H. Arnold MacLean	1958

PLANNING BOARD

Arthur T. Howard, Chairman	1957
Everett A. Black, Clerk	1958
Richard J. Eaton	1956
Alan McClennen	1959
Katharine S. White	1960

MEASURERS OF WOOD AND BARK

Albert Brooks	1956
C. Lee Todd	1956

COMMISSIONERS OF TRUST FUNDS

Clement C. Sawtell, Chairman	1958
William DeFord	1956
William T. King	1957

TRUSTEES OF BEMIS FUND FOR FREE PUBLIC LECTURES

Christopher W. Hurd, Chairman	1958
Mabel H. Todd	1956
Leonard C. Larrabee	1957

TRUSTEES OF LINCOLN LIBRARY

Roland C. MacKenzie, Chairman
George G. Tarbell
Alice G. Meriam
Edmund W. Giles, Chairman, Selectmen, ex-officio
John W. Carman, Chairman, School Committee, ex officio

deCORDOVA AND DANA MUSEUM AND PARK

A. Directors

John Q. Adams	1956
Charles H. Blake	1957
Elizabeth J. Snelling	1958
Polly F. Brown	1959

B. Directors

Helen Wiley - appointed by School Committee	1956
Arthur E. Thiessen - appointed by Selectmen	1957
Stanley Heck - appointed by Library Trustees	1958

OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES
APPOINTED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

	Term Expires
Leslie M. Willard	1956

CLERK OF SELECTMEN AND PUBLIC WELFARE AGENT

M. Elizabeth Causer	1956

SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

Clifford H. Bradley (Resigned)	1956
Raymond P. Maher (Appointed)	1956

CHIEF OF POLICE

Leo J. Algeo	1956

POLICE OFFICERS

Lawrence P. Hallett	1956
James J. Diamond	1956
Daniel A. MacInnis, Jr.	1956

CONSTABLES

Leo J. Algeo	1956
Lawrence P. Hallett	1956
John J. Kelliher (Deceased)	1956
George E. Cunningham	1956
James J. Diamond	1956

DOG OFFICERS

Leo J. Algeo	1956
Lawrence P. Hallett	1956
James J. Diamond	1956

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Orrin C. Wood	1956

SPECIAL POLICE

John T. Algeo
Robert H. Booth
Floriy Campobasso
Joseph Campobasso
John Cook
Joseph Cotoni
Henry J. Davis
James DeNormandie
William Doherty
Francis T. Gilbert
John Gilbert
Harry B. Knowles, Jr.
Harry B. Knowles, 3rd.
Karl F. Lahnstein
Edward D. Rooney
Carl Smith
Francis J. Smith
Sumner Smith
David Spooner
Henry Warner
Leslie M. Willard
Orrin C. Wood

FIRE ENGINEERS

	Term Expires
Andrew J. Dougherty	1956
Frank W. Gordon	1956
William M. Dean	1956

FOREST WARDEN

Andrew J. Dougherty	1956

DEPUTY FOREST WARDEN

Frank W. Gordon	1956

MOTH SUPERINTENDENT

Daniel A. MacInnis, Jr. (Resigned)	1956
Robert Ralston (Appointed)	1956

PETROLEUM INSPECTOR

Andrew J. Dougherty	1956

DIRECTOR OF CIVIL DEFENSE

Eveleth R. Todd	1956

BUILDING INSPECTOR

Walter Bergquist	1956

PLUMBING INSPECTOR

Daniel J. Murphy	1956

WIRING INSPECTOR

William M. Dean	1956

BOARD OF APPEALS

Elliott V. Grabill, Chairman	1956
Elmer H. Ziegler	1960
Henry B. Hoover	1958
John White	1957
Thomas B. Adams	1959
William Dean, Associate Member	1957
Hans Van Leer, Associate Member	1956

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS

Manley B. Boyce	1958
Andrew J. Dougherty	1956
Henry J. Davis	1957
William H. Davis, Town Clerk, ex-officio	1956

MEMBER OF DISTRICT NURSING COMMITTEE

	Term Expires
Louise H. McClennen	1956

FENCE VIEWERS

George G. Tarbell	1956
John J. Kelliher (Deceased)	1956

FIELD DRIVERS

Prince C. Teabo	1956
John R. Witherton	1956

RECREATION COMMITTEE

Ethan Murphy, Chairman	1956
Albert Avery, III	1956
John W. Carman	1956
Astrid L. Donaldson	1956
Roland Robbins	1956
Edward D. Rooney	1956
Sadie J. Sherman	1956
David Todd	1956

SURVEYOR OF CORD WOOD

Clifford Bradley	1956

VETERANS' AGENT

Edmund W. Giles	1956

CARETAKER OF TOWN HALL

Orrin C. Wood	1956

JURY LIST, 1955

Name	Residence	Occupation
Lawrence B. Anderson	Beaver Pond Road	Architect
Richard B. Ayer	South Great Road	Engineer
Theodore C. Baker	Baker Bridge Road	Asst. Manager
John M. Barnaby	Concord Road	Coach
Walter B. Belanger	Cambridge Turnpike	Engineer
Gertrude C. Bliss	Sandy Pond Road	Housewife
Robert P. Brown	Page Road	Architect
John J. Connair	Lincoln Road	Retired
Gilmore B. Creelman, Jr.	South Great Road	Bank Teller
D. Bradford Davis	Beaver Pond Road	Printer
Murray P. Farnsworth	Lincoln Road	Salesman
Richard C. Fleck	Sandy Pond Road	Invest. Officer
William L. Grinnell	Beaver Pond Road	Dist. Manager

TOWN GOVERNMENT

Name	Residence	Occupation
Stanley Heck	Bedford Road	Purchasing Agt.
Gerard C. Henderson	Beaver Pond Road	Advertising
Kenneth C. Hess	Tower Road	Executive
Lucretia J. Hoover	Trapelo Road	Housewife
Emily K. Kubik	Lincoln Road	Research Asst.
Leonard C. Larrabee	Bedford Road	Treas. Office
Robert L. Niles	Blueberry Lane	Salesman
Elliott F. Page	Beaver Pond Road	Engineer
Frederick P. Walkey	South Great Road	Museum Dir.
John G. Webb	Weston Road	Banker
G. Arnold Wiley	Lexington Road	Engineer
Guilbert Winchell	Concord Road	Retired

Appointed June 27th, 1955

William H. Davis, Town Clerk

APPOINTED BY THE TREASURER

ASSISTANT TREASURER

	Term Expires
M. Elizabeth Causer	1956

APPOINTED BY THE BOARD OF HEALTH

COMMUNITY NURSE

Marian N. Ober	1956

BURIAL AGENT

William H. Davis	1956

INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

Andrew J. Dougherty	1956

APPOINTED BY THE MODERATOR

FINANCE COMMITTEE

F. Winchester Denio, Chairman	1957
Paul L. Norton	1956
Thomas J. Rouner	1956
Charles K. Fitts	1957
William N. Page	1958

OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES

MEMORIAL DAY COMMITTEE

	Term Expires
Secor D. Browne	1956
Christine Denio	1956
Katherine O'Sullivan	1956
David B. Spooner	1956
Rev. Charles M. Styron	1956

FOURTH OF JULY COMMITTEE

Everett A. Black	1956
Evelyn Carstensen	1956
Thelma Cibel	1956
William M. Dean	1956
Edward D. Rooney	1956

BUILDING CODE COMMITTEE

Norman F. Brisson
Robert Bygrave
William M. Dean
Manning W. MacRae
Henry B. Hoover

BEDFORD AIRPORT COMMITTEE

Thomas B. Adams
Kenneth W. Bergen
Walter E. Belanger
Richard J. Eaton
Katharine S. White

LIAISON COMMITTEE

(Appointed by Airport Committee and Board of Selectmen)

Victor A. Lutnicki
William Rand
Sumner Smith

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL BUILDING NEEDS COMMITTEE

Andrew J. Dougherty
Elliott V. Grabill
Stanley Heck
Ernest P. Neumann
Elizabeth J. Snelling

SCHOOL LAND COMMITTEE

Andrew J. Dougherty
Elliott V. Grabill
Stanley Heck
Elizabeth J. Snelling

MOSQUITO CONTROL COMMITTEE

Charles H. Blake
John B. Tew
Barbara K. Warner

LONG-TERM CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS COMMITTEE

Charles P. Kindleberger
William M. Rand
Maurice E. Shank

PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS COMMITTEE

Albert M. Avery
Lucy E. Bygrave
Walter F. Bogner
Arthur T. Howard
Russell P. Mahan

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE

David L. Ammen
Sumner Smith
George G. Tarbell

APPOINTED BY THE CIVIL DEFENSE DIRECTOR

MEMBERS OF AUXILIARY POLICE FORCE

Walter Belanger
Walter Bonia
Sheldon A. Briggs
Secor Browne
Stanley Cibel
Robert C. Day
Allen Dougherty
Richard J. Eaton
Warren F. Flint
Donald A. Gilfoy
Lowell Hollingsworth
Eliot Hubbard, 3rd*
Medford E. Huntley
Ernest L. Johnson
David W. Kirkpatrick
Harry B. Knowles, Jr.
Harold Lawson
Charles MacFarland
H. Arnold MacLean
James W. Mar
John W. McLellan
Thomas R. Morse
W. Newton Nelson
Foster Nystrom
Warren Parker
William Powers
Roland W. Robbins
Allston Riley
E. Donlan Rooney
Charles A. Snelling
Howard Snelling
Henry Sturm
Didrick Tonseth
Robert Thorson
John B. Warner
G. Arnold Wiley
Edwin L. Williams
Arthur Witham
Henry Woods
Thomas K. Worthington

Town Government

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Police Department

The Police Department has had a number of trying problems and has given a good account of itself. More speed regulation signs are in the budget for the coming year. However, the traffic control problem is very difficult because of the ever increasing speed and volume. The new ranch wagon has proven itself most valuable on a number of occasions.

Fire Department

As a result of the vote in the 1955 town meeting, the purchase of land selected as the new Fire Station site on Bedford Road has now been completed and the Selectmen feel that the time has now arrived to consider the erection of a station on this lot in the very near future. We again wish to take this opportunity to thank the Fire Department for their efficiency and effectiveness.

Highways

During the year the regular work of the Highway Department was carried on. In September Clifford Bradley resigned as Superintendent of Streets and Raymond Maher was appointed to succeed him. Chapter 90 construction projects for 1956 include the drainage on Trapelo Road, postponed from 1955, and the reconstruction of this same section of Trapelo Road from approximately the triangular cemetery to the center.

Administrative Assistant

Mr. Willard, our Administrative Assistant, tendered his resignation effective February 1, 1956, in favor of a more remunerative position with the State. This position was initiated two and a half years ago and our assistant has done innumerable jobs which could hardly have been done without the concentration of time which he alone could give. He has served not only the Selectmen but also the Planning Board, the Board of Health and the Water Board. We are now faced with the necessity of acquiring a new man, but are better equipped to define our exact requirements.

Communications

Our communications arrangement with switchboard in the Town Office has worked out quite well. Two additional trunk lines were installed and other minor changes were made. The personnel have performed their duties most efficiently. Our Town offices have been rearranged considerably in the last few years and some of the disadvantages of having the radio and switchboard there are readily apparent. However, some change in the physical set up of the communications system will soon have to be made. Car to car radio facilities and amplifiers for the police and fire vehicles are being provided.

Route 2

The Massachusetts Department of Public Works is definitely planning a limited access divided highway to replace the present Route 2. Three possible locations are being studied, each of which has some advantages and some disadvantages for the Town. At a meeting at Commissioner Volpe's office, the Selectmen were assured that before any plans became final the Town would have an opportunity to see and consider them.

Airport Housing

The Air Force at Hanscom Field is planning to take 185 acres of land in North Lincoln, adjacent to the Access Road, for an "on base" housing development of 670 units. The Selectmen, in conjunction with the Bedford Airport Committee, has appointed a Liaison Committee to investigate the effect on the Town of Lincoln of such a project, as well as the validity of this action by the Air Force.

Nike

The Nike Base on Hatheway Hill is completed and many citizens of Lincoln accepted the invitation to visit this installation at an open house last fall.

Tower Road Crossing

A hearing was held in the State House before the Department of Public Utilities regarding the Tower Road Railroad crossing. This crossing is dangerous as well as being the only crossing from Boston to Concord where the engine warning whistle is blown. The hearing was in October, 1955, but no decision has been reported as yet.

Old Bedford Road

Traffic counts have been made and accident records gathered and sent in to the State Department of Public Works, along with a petition that a portion of Old Bedford Road between Virginia Road and 2A be closed to heavy trucking. This road is very narrow and is structurally unsuited for the heavy trucking it has been handling during construction at the Airport.

During the past year the Town lost two faithful servants. Joseph L. Snider, who served on a number of town committees and proved himself a loyal and able citizen, passed away in January. John J. Kelliher, who had been active in Town affairs and who was our Police Chief for over thirty years, passed away in August. We wish to honor the memory of these men.

Respectfully submitted,

Edmund W. Giles, Chairman
Henry DeC. Ward
William T. King

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

The Town Clerk is the official recorder of Town events and activities and issues licenses and certificates. His duties include recording the proceedings at Town Meetings and elections, and notifying the Selectmen and other officers concerned of appropriations which have been voted.

The record of Registered Voters of Lincoln is kept at the Clerk's office. Persons wishing to become voters in the Town should communicate with the Clerk.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
MONDAY, MARCH 21, 1955

Pursuant to a Warrant duly served the Meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Mr. Donald P. Donaldson, at 7:30 o'clock P. M. As Mr. William H. Davis, Town Clerk, was absent from the meeting because of illness, election of a temporary clerk was held. The result of the balloting for clerk was announced by the Moderator and Mrs. M. Elizabeth Causer was duly sworn. The return of the Warrant was read and the Moderator called attention to Article #1 (Election of Officers).

Article 2. To bring in their votes for any committees, commissioners, trustees, and other officers, required by law to be elected by ballot or otherwise.

Voted: That Albert Brooks and C. Lee Todd, Jr. be elected Measurers of Wood and Bark for the ensuing year.

Article 3. To hear and act upon the reports of Town Officers, Committees, Commissioners and Trustees.

Voted: That the reports of the Town Officers, Committees and Trustees as printed in the Town Report be accepted and the reports of the following Committees be accepted as interim reports, and that the Committees and their unexpended appropriations be continued; Bedford Airport Committee, School Land Committee, School Building Committee, Building Code Committee; and that the following reports be accepted as final: Mosquito Control Committee, Fire Department Housing Committee, 200th Anniversary Committee, Regional School Committee, Elementary School Building Needs Committee.

Article 4. To fix the salaries and compensation of the several elective officers of the Town and to determine whether any Department, Board or Committee shall be authorized to employ for additional compensation any of its members and to fix additional compensation of such members.

Voted: That the salaries of the elected officers of the Town for the current year be fixed at the following amounts respectively:

Selectmen, each	$200.00	Assessors, other members, each	$175.00
Treasurer	200.00	Auditor	50.00
Collector of Taxes	1,800.00	Water Commissioners, each	75.00
Town Clerk	300.00	Tree Warden	200.00
Assessors, Chairman	200.00		

And that one or more Cemetery Commissioners be authorized to work on the Cemetery grounds at the rate of $1.20 per hour.

Article 5. To raise and appropriate money for the necessary and expedient purposes of the Town and enact anything in relation to the same.

Voted: That under Article 5 of the warrant for this meeting the Town raise and appropriate for the 1955 fiscal year the ninety-four (94) separate appropriations recommended by the Finance Committee of the Town for General Purposes and for Water Works, as printed in the 1954 Town Report on Pages 150 to 156 inclusive, except that the following items shall be increased as follows:

Item No.	Finance Com. Recomm.	Increase	Final Total
92	Water Department	750.00	$9,950.00

making a total of such appropriations for general purposes of $479,030.88 and for Water Works $29,189.97; and further

Voted: That the following sums shall be applied on the several appropriation items which follow, out of the sources respectively designated.

Item No.	
47	Garbage Collection; $3,750 to be taken from free cash and returned thereto from garbage collection receipts;
49	Chapter 90 Maintenance; $3,000 to be taken from free cash and returned thereto when received from State and County;
50	Chapter 90 Construction; $9,000 to be taken from free cash and returned thereto when received from State and County;
63	Schools (Operation); $37.28 to be taken from Grammar School Fund Account;

Item No.	
67	Schools (New Equipment); $692.31 to be taken from deCordova School Equipment Fund;
72	Library (Repairs); $200.00 to be taken from free cash and returned thereto when received from Library Trustees, and $751.32 to be taken from County Dog Tax receipts;
83	School Building Bonds; $25,000 to be taken from free cash;
87	Water Works Bonds; $3,000 to be taken from Water Works Treasury;
88	Interest on Water Works Bonds; $178.75 to be taken from Water Works Treasury;
90	Reserve Fund; $8,000 to be taken from Overlay Surplus and any unexpended balance to be returned thereto.

and further

Voted: That in connection with the appropriation of $30,000 at the Special Town Meeting, October 18, 1954, for construction of the Charles Sumner Smith School, this sum which might have been borrowed under said vote, now be taken from free cash.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1955, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Voted: That the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1955, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1956, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Voted: That the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be authorized to borrow money from time to time in

anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1956, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to conduct services on Memorial Day, the thirtieth of May, appoint a committee, raise and appropriate money, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Moderator be authorized to appoint a committee of five to plan and carry out exercises on Memorial Day, the thirtieth of May next, and that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $150.00 for the use of such Committee in connection with these exercises.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to celebrate Independence Day, the fourth of July, appoint a committee, raise and appropriate money, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Moderator be authorized to appoint a committee of five to plan a celebration for Independence Day, the 4th of July, and that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $1,500.00 for the use of said Committee.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $710.51 to pay the following unpaid 1954 bills:

Water Department	$386.43
School Department	10.90
Library	75.04
Fire Department	4.54
Cemetery Department	233.60

Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of $233.60 to pay an unpaid bill of the Cemetery Department, said sum to be taken from Free Cash; and further

Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of $476.91 to pay the following unpaid 1954 bills: School Department, $10.90, Library, $75.04, Fire Department, $4.54, Water Department, $386.43, - $90.48 to be taken from Free Cash and $386.43 to be taken from the Water Works Treasury.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to purchase the following town vehicles to replace existing equipment:

Police Department	Police car
Board of Health	Nurse's car

Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $1,584. for the purchase of a Police car, 1953 Chevrolet to be turned in, and $877. for the purchase of a Nurse's car, 1951 Chevrolet to be turned in.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to acquire by purchase, gift, eminent domain or any other way, a parcel of land located on Bedford Road, southwest of the intersection of route 2 and Bedford Road, containing 22,000 square feet more or less, raise and appropriate a sum of money therefor or take any action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Selectmen be authorized to purchase on behalf of the inhabitants of the Town of Lincoln from Elizabeth C. and Joseph R. Tracey a parcel of land on the west side of Bedford Road, southwest of the intersection of Bedford Road and route 2 described as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of the described parcel at a point in the westerly line of Bedford Road at other land of Grantor; thence southerly by a curve to the right, radius 580 feet, a distance of seventy-six and two hundredths (76.02) feet to point of curve, thence S.15°-11'-25" W. by said westerly line of Bedford Road ninety-five (95.00) feet, more or less, to a stake at other land of Grantor, distance 80 feet northerly from land now or formerly of Farnsworth, thence N. 72°-04'-50" W. by other land of Grantor one hundred and forty-five (145.00)feet, more or less, to a corner; thence N. 4°- 58'-30" E., still by other land of Grantor one hundred and ten (110.00) feet, more or less, to a corner; thence N. 85°- 56'-20" E. by other land of Grantor one hundred sixty-eight and seventy-five hundredths (168.75) feet, more or less, to the point of beginning. Containing twenty-one thousand eight hundred and twenty-eight (21,828) square feet, more or less. And to appropriate therefor the sum of Two Thousand Two Hundred Dollars (2,200.00), said sum to be taken from free cash.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to continue a committee of five appointed by the Moderator, for the purpose of keeping the Town informed of developments of Bedford Airport, as they may affect the Town, and to represent the Town in matters relative to Bedford Airport, with the approval of the Selectmen, as occasion may arise; to raise and appropriate the sum of five hundred dollars ($500.00) for the use of said committee, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: To pass over the Article.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the School Committee and the Board of Selectmen to make the facilities

of the South School available to the Town of Sudbury for school purposes from September 1, 1955 to June 30, 1956, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Town authorize the School Committee and the Board of Selectmen to make the facilities of the South School available to the Town of Sudbury for School purposes from September 1, 1955 to June 30, 1956.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $6,150.00, of which the sum of $284.77 shall be taken from the funds of the Town in the hands of the State Reclamation Board; the appropriation to be used for mosquito control by joining the East Middlesex Mosquito Control District, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Board of Selectmen and/or the Board of Health is authorized and directed forthwith to petition the State Reclamation Board to admit the Town of Lincoln to the East Middlesex Mosquito Control District, under the provisions of the General Laws, Chapter 252, and further, that the Town shall raise and appropriate the sum of $6,150, of which sum $284.77 shall be taken from a balance belonging to the Town and now in the hands of the State Reclamation Board, which appropriation shall be paid to the said Board to be used for Mosquito Control in Lincoln by the said Mosquito Control District.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,300.00 for mosquito control, the appropriation to be expended for spraying or dusting by means of aircraft, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: To pass over the Article.

Article 17. To see if the Town will instruct the Board of Water Commissioners to extend the water pipes on Concord Road approximately 225 feet to the Lincoln Stand, appropriate money for the same, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: To pass over the Article.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of extending the water pipes from the junction of Weston and Conant Road, along Conant Road to the Weston line, or take any action relative thereto.

Voted: To pass over the Article.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to discontinue as a public highway that portion of the Old Bedford Road, beginning at the Bedford-Lincoln town line and extending in a southwesterly

direction for a distance of about 850 feet to a point where said Old Bedford Road intersects with the substitute way constructed by the Federal Government, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Town vote to discontinue as a public highway that portion of the Old Bedford Road, beginning at the Bedford-Lincoln town line and extending in a southwesterly direction for a distance of about 850 feet to a point where said Old Bedford Road intersects with the substitute way constructed by the Federal Government.

Article 20. To see if the Town will instruct the Moderator to appoint a committee to report to the Town on the advisability of creating a Department of Public Works and raise and appropriate a sum of money for the use of such committee or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Moderator appoint a committee of three registered voters to consider the advisability of creating a Department of Public Works and report its recommendations to the Town not later than the 1956 Annual Meeting, and that the sum of $100.00 be raised and appropriated for the use of the committee.

Article 21. To see if the Town will instruct the Moderator to appoint a committee to report to the Town on its long term capital requirements and raise and appropriate a sum of money for the use of such committee or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Moderator appoint a committee of three registered voters to study the long-term capital requirements of the Town and report to the Town not later than the 1956 Annual Meeting; and that there be appointed, to meet and consult with the committee, three advisory members, of whom one shall be a member of the Board of Selectmen, one a member of the Finance Committee, and one a member of the Planning Board, each of the advisory members to be appointed by the Chairman of his Board or Committee; and that the sum of $100.00 be raised and appropriated for the use of the Committee.

At this point Mr. Henry Ward spoke of the excellent work done by Mr. Wilson during his term of office, as follows: "The office of Selectman is often a thankless task, certainly a time-consuming job, but is nevertheless a challenging one. For the past six years I have had the pleasure of serving with John Wilson as chairman, who, previous to holding this office, was a member of the Planning Board for five years. In spite of the fact that he is an extremely busy man in his own business, he has given both

his time and his energy, combined with excellent leadership, to the administration of town affairs. Both my associate, Ed Giles, and I will miss him on the Board, particularly myself, since I have learned much from him. I therefore suggest the citizens give him a hand and a rising vote of thanks." Loud and prolonged applause.

Article 22. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money to reconstruct a partition in the pumping station, move and enclose the heater, and install fire doors, as recommended by the office of the Massachusetts Fire Marshal and the Chief of the Lincoln Fire Department, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the sum of $1,250. be appropriated to reconstruct a partition in the pumping station, move and enclose the heater, and install fire doors, as recommended by the Lincoln Fire Chief and the office of the Massachusetts Fire Marshal, said sum to be taken from the Water Works Treasury.

M. Elizabeth Causer, Temporary Town Clerk

ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION
MARCH 26, 1955

In accordance with Article 1 of the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting, the meeting was called to order by the Moderator at 12 o'clock Noon, previously the ballot box had been inspected and the following Ballot Clerks duly sworn: Helena A. Dee, Helen M. Dougherty, Elizabeth J. Snelling, Manley B. Boyce, William O. Causer and D. Everett Sherman, Jr. The meeting was declared closed at 7 o'clock P. M. with the following results. Total number of votes cast 921.

Town Clerk (1 year)	William H. Davis	882
	Blanks	39
Selectman (3 years)	Elliott V. Grabill	424
	William T. King	491
	Blanks	6
Assessor (3 years)	G. Arnold Wiley	432
	Frederick H. Greene, Jr.	458
	Blanks	31

Treasurer (1 year)	Frederick B. Taylor	849
	Scattering	1
	Blanks	71
Auditor (1 year)	Louis C. Farley, Jr.	849
	Scattering	1
	Blanks	71
School Committee (3 years)	Ernest P. Neumann	839
	Scattering	1
	Blanks	81
Regional District School Committee (3 years)	Victor A. Lutnicki	844
	Blanks	77
Regional District School Committee (2 years)	William A. Wilson	838
	Scattering	1
	Blanks	82
Regional District School Committee (1 year)	Malcolm L. Donaldson	862
	Blanks	59
Water Commissioner (3 years)	Henry Warner	851
	Blanks	70
Board of Health (3 years)	Gordon A. Donaldson	866
	Blanks	55
Tree Warden (1 year)	Daniel A. MacInnis, Jr.	714
	Robert Ralston	167
	Blanks	40
Commissioner of Trust Funds (3 years)	Clement C. Sawtell	845
	Scattering	1
	Blanks	75
Trustee of Bemis Fund for Free Public Lectures (3 years)	Christopher W. Hurd	849
	Scattering	1
	Blanks	71
Cemetery Commissioner (3 years)	H. Arnold MacLean	856
	Scattering	1
	Blanks	64

Planning Board (5 years)	Katharine S. White	838
	Scattering	1
	Blanks	82
Director of deCordova-Dana Museum & Park (4 years)	Polly F. Brown	834
	Scattering	1
	Blanks	86

M. Elizabeth Causer, Temporary Town Clerk

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
JUNE 6, 1955

Warrant

Middlesex, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Lincoln in said County Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Town of Lincoln, qualified to vote in Town Meeting for the transaction of Town Affairs, to meet in the Charles Sumner Smith School in said Lincoln on Monday the sixth day of June next at 7:30 o'clock P.M., then and there to act on the following articles, by posting a copy of this Warrant, by you attested, in each of the Post Offices, and in some other public place in said Town seven days at least before the sixth day of June next.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk, at or before the time for the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this twenty-sixth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-five.

Edmund W. Giles
Henry DeC. Ward
William T. King
Selectmen of Lincoln

On the reverse of the Warrant is the following: Lincoln, Mass. May 26, 1955

I have served this Warrant by posting attested copies at both Post Offices and the Town Hall, seven days before the date of said meeting.

Leo J. Algeo, Constable

In accordance with the above Warrant the meeting was called to order by the Moderator at 7:35 P. M. The return of the Warrant was read, and the following business transacted:

Mr. Henry Warner asked for, and was granted, the unanimous consent of the meeting to offer the following Resolution, which was unanimously adopted, midst loud and prolonged applause:

"That the people of Lincoln, in Town Meeting assembled, desire to take this occasion to express their gratitude and sincere appreciation to each and all of the employees of the New England Telephone Company, who, for so many years, have loyally, helpfully, and at all times with the utmost friendliness, served the people of Lincoln at the Telephone Exchange."

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Elementary School Building Needs Committee and the Selectmen to construct a sidewalk and path from the Center School to the Charles Sumner Smith School, said sidewalk and path to be located on the northerly side of Lincoln Road and through the land owned by Sumner Smith, to raise and appropriate money for the construction of same, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: To pass over the Article.

Article 2. To see if the Town will accept as a public way the private road known as Tabor Hill Road, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Town accept Tabor Hill Road as a public way subject to the receipt of a deed under easement in form satisfactory to the Selectmen.

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to buy back adjoining lots # 554 and #555 in Lincoln Cemetery from Mrs. Aida S. Wilkins, for the sum of $250.00, said sum to be taken from the Cemetery Investment Fund; also to refund the principal, namely $675.00, of the Perpetual Care Fund placed on said lots, said amount to be taken from Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: (unanimously) That the Town of Lincoln buy back adjoining lots #554 and #555 in the Lincoln Cemetery from Mrs. Aida S. Wilkins for the sum of $250.00, said amount to be taken from Cemetery Investment Fund; also to refund the principal, namely, $675.00, of the Perpetual Care Fund, in the name of John H. Wilkins, which was placed on said lots by Mrs. Aida S. Wilkins, said amount to be taken from Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds. The accumulated interest to be used for the restoration of said lots and any balance of interest to be transferred to the Cemetery Invest-

ment Fund.

Article 4. To see if the Town will instruct the Moderator to appoint a committee to investigate the matter of acquiring additional land for parks, playgrounds or public domain, or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: (unanimously) That the Moderator is hereby instructed to appoint a committee of five to investigate the matter of acquisition of additional land for parks, playgrounds, or public domain, said Committee to present a preliminary report and recommendations at the next Annual Town Meeting, said report to include information as to sites, areas, estimated costs, and where possible the attitude of any owners of land proposed for acquisition, and appropriate the amount of $500.00 for the use of said Committee, said amount to be taken from Free Cash.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law of the Town by substituting the figure 80,000 for the figure 40,000 in Section 9a, so that said Section shall read as follows:

	Area
In single residence districts	80,000 sq. ft.
In general residence districts	12,000 sq. ft.
For dwellings in commercial districts	12,000 sq. ft.

Under no circumstances shall there be less than 6,000 sq. ft. of lot area for each family to be housed on said lot; or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Zoning By-Law of the Town be amended by substituting the figure 80,000 for the figure 40,000 in Section 9a, so that said section shall read as follows: a) Except as hereinafter specified, there shall be provided for each dwelling or other main structure or use a lot with a minimum area as follows:

	Area
In single residence districts	80,000 sq. ft.
In general residence districts	12,000 sq. ft.
For dwellings in commercial districts	12,000 sq. ft.

Under no conditions shall there be less than 6,000 square feet of lot area for each family to be housed on said lot. Yes, 303; No, 91.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law of the Town by striking out Section 9b and substituting therefor the following: Except as hereinafter specified, there shall be provided for each dwelling in a single residence district and for each main non-residential structure in a single residence district a lot having a frontage of at least 120 feet on the street line, at least 120 feet in any direction from side lot line to side

lot line between said street and such structure, except that in a subdivision hereafter approved by the Planning Board, acting under the Sub-division Control Law, a lot on the turning circle of a dead end street may have a frontage of not less than 80 feet, provided that the shortest distance between lot lines shall be at least 120 feet at any point more than 35 feet from the street line, and the shortest distance taken through such structure from side lot line to side lot line shall be at least 250 feet, and for each dwelling or main non-residential structure in a general residence district or dwelling in a commercial district, there shall be a lot having a frontage of at least 120 feet on the street line, and the shortest distance taken through such structure from side lot line to side lot line shall be at least 120 feet; or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Zoning By-Law of the Town be amended by striking out Section 9b and substituting therefor the following: b) Except as hereinafter specified, there shall be provided for each dwelling in a single residence district and for each main non-residential structure in a single residence district a lot having a frontage of at least 120 feet on the street line, at least 120 feet in any direction from side lot line to side lot line between said street and such structure, except that in a sub-division hereafter approved by the Planning Board, acting under the Sub-division Control Law, a lot on the turning circle of a dead end street may have a frontage of not less than 80 feet provided that the shortest distance between side lot lines shall be at least 120 feet at any point more than 35 feet from the street line, and the shortest distance taken through such structure from side lot line to side lot line shall be at least 250 feet and for each dwelling or main non-residential structure in a general residence district, or dwelling in a commercial district, there shall be a lot having a frontage of at least 120 feet on the street line and the shortest distance taken through such structure from side lot line to side lot line shall be at least 120 feet.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law of the Town by striking out Section 9c and substituting therefor the following: The provisions of paragraphs "a" and "b" shall not prevent the building of buildings which comply with Sections 5, 6, and 7 of this By-Law or the use of land for activities which comply with said Sections upon lots legally established at the time these provisions were first adopted, which are non-conforming as to width or area, but no such lot shall be changed as to size or shape so as to decrease its width or area; or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Zoning By-Law of the Town be amended by

striking out Section 9c and substituting therefor the following: c) The provisions of paragraph "a" and "b" of Section 9 shall not prevent the building of buildings which comply with Sections 5, 6, and 7 of the By-Law or the use of land for activities which comply with said Sections upon lots legally established at the time these provisions were first adopted, which are non-conforming as to width or area, but no such lot shall be changed as to size or shape so as to decrease its width or area.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law of the Town, by substituting the figure 50 for the figure 40 in Section 9e, so that said Section shall read as follows: No structure or part thereof in any district shall be so located as to extend within 50 feet of a street line, except that this shall not apply to uncovered steps; or take any other action relative thereto.

Voted: That the By-Law of the Town be amended by striking out Section 9e and substituting therefor the following: e) No structure or part thereof in any district shall be so located as to extend within 50 feet of a street line, except that this shall not apply to uncovered steps, and that on lots legally established prior to June 7, 1955, which are non-conforming as to width or area, a structure may extend to a point not less than 40 feet from the street line.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law of the Town by substituting the figure 50 for the figure 30 in Section 9f, so that said Section shall read as follows: No structure or part thereof in a residential district, and no dwelling or part thereof in a commercial district, shall extend within 50 feet of a side or rear lot line. This restriction shall not apply to accessory buildings in residence districts, provided that the distance from any part of such structures to the lot line shall exceed its height above the ground level; or take any action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Zoning By-Law of the Town be amended by striking out Section 9f and substituting the following: f) No structure or part thereof in a residential district, and no dwelling or part thereof in a commercial district, shall extend within 50 feet of a side or rear lot line, with the exception that on lots legally established prior to June 7, 1955, which are non-conforming as to width or area such structures may extend to a point not less than 30 feet from a side or rear lot line. These restrictions shall not apply to accessory buildings in residence districts provided that the distance from any part of such structures to the lot line shall exceed its height above the ground level.

Voted to adjourn at 10 o'clock P. M.

The foregoing amendments were approved by the Attorney General on August 1st, 1955.

William H. Davis, Town Clerk

LICENSES

Total number of Dog Licenses issued during the year 1955, 464: namely, 250 Male, 61 Female, 146 Spayed Female and 7 Kennel, for which the sum of $1,089.20 has been paid to the Town Treasurer.

Sporting, etc., issued during the year 1955: Fishing, 134; Hunting, 37; Sporting, 43; Minor Fishing, 3; Female Fishing, 22; Resident Trapping, 1; Non-resident Fishing, 5; and Duplicate, 1; for which the sum of $795.50 has been paid to the Division of Fisheries & Game.

William H. Davis, Town Clerk

Finance

REPORT OF THE STATE AND TOWN AUDITORS

The work of the State Auditor in 1955 consisted, as usual, of a thorough check of the Town's financial records for the preceding year, 1954, and the preparation of a statement of the Town's financial condition at the beginning of the year 1955.

The statutes provide that the "substance" of the State Auditor's report be published. In the Town Auditor's opinion, this substance is contained in the balance sheet of the Town prepared by the State Auditor, showing the condition of the Town as of December 31, 1954. A summarization of this Balance Sheet is published below.

The full Auditor's report is on file with the Town Clerk, and is available for the examination of any interested citizens of the Town.

Louis C. Farley, Jr., Town Auditor

TOWN OF LINCOLN

BALANCE SHEET DECEMBER 31, 1954

General Accounts
ASSETS

Cash:		
General		$ 137,217.79
Water Department		6,693.04
Petty Cash		64.68
		$ 143,975.51
Accounts Receivable:		
Taxes: Levy of 1953		$ 2,361.72
Levy of 1954		6,850.34
Motor Vehicle: Levy of 1952		95.73
Levy of 1953		620.01
Levy of 1954		8,425.61
Old Age Assistance		1,892.27
Water Department		1,072.29
Aid to Highways		3,000.00
		$ 24,317.97
Loan Authorized:		
Elementary School Addition	$ 30,000.00	
Underestimate 1954		
County Hospital Assessment	2.32	
Chapter 44 Hurricane Expenditures	13,135.36	
	$ 43,137.68	
		$211,431.16

General Accounts
LIABILITIES, RESERVES and SURPLUS LIABILITIES

Due County - Dog Licenses		$ 35.00
Trust Fund Income		866.58
Old Age Assistance Recoveries		147.74
Federal Grants for Welfare		917.70
School Milk Fund		493.89
Unexpended Appropriations		15,075.90
Loans Authorized and Unissued		30,000.00
Overestimates 1954		443.70
		$ 47,980.51
RESERVES		
Road Machinery Fund		$ 3,295.06
Overlay Surplus		17,655.07
Reserved for Abatements		9,212.06
Uncollected Revenues		15,105.91
Petty Cash		64.68
		$45,332.78
SURPLUS		
General		$112,184.98
Water		5,932.89
		$118,117.87
		$211,431.16

TREASURER'S REPORT, CALENDAR YEAR 1955

January 1, Balance		$137,207.62

RECEIPTS

Board of Appeals		150.00
Board of Health:		
Licenses		44.50
Nurse		193.75
Garbage collections		3,671.75
Anti-Rabies Dog Clinic		82.50
Boston Edison Co. @ tree work		80.00
Borrowed in anticipation of taxes		175,000.00
Cemetery, digging graves		350.00
Collector of Taxes		391,501.71
Interest & Costs		415.91
Concord Court fines		112.16
deCordova School Equipment Fund income		699.08
Dogs, sale of		9.00
Highway Department, return of merchandise		384.43
Inspectors, Building, Plumbing and Wiring		687.50
Insurance, claims and refunds		2,120.00
Interest on deposits		3,021.12
Library fines		440.40
Library Trust Fund transfer		200.00
Mass., Commonwealth of		
Income Tax	5,961.06	
Corporation Tax	14,700.00	
Highways, @ snow removal	207.50	
Chapter 90	1.500.00	
Old Age Assistance	16,955.50	
Aid to Dependent Children	153.72	
a/c Loss of Taxes	603.08	
Meals Tax	807.73	
School Aid, Chapter 70	31,459.60	
School Transportation	19,047.00	
School Construction, original bldg. 1955	5,044.69	
1st. Addition, 1952-1955	21,888.88	
2nd. Addition, 1955	7,201.37	
Vocational Education	704.67	
Division of Child Guardianship	2,750.09	
Hurricane damage	1,767.80	
Contagious disease	315.00	131,067.69
Miscellaneous Licenses, etc.		108.24
Mosquito Control, refund of old credit		284.77
Middlesex County:		
Care & killing of dogs		123.50
Dog licenses		751.32
Highways		1,500.00
Old Age Assistance:		
Refunds from other Towns		882.40
Collections		662.30
Planning Board		166.00

Sealer of Weights & Measures	27.50
Schools:	
Grammar School Fund	38.81
Charles Sumner Smith Fund	104,371.85
Sale of desks	94.03
Rentals	312.00
Town Clerk & Dog Licenses	1,089.20
Town Hall rental	42.00
U. S. Gov't. @ O. A. A.	13,100.25
A. D. C.	556.50
O. A. A. Adm.	785.99
A. D. C. Adm.	27.39
	$972,363.17

PAYMENTS

Selectmen's orders (See detail)	$767,591.80
Mass., Commonwealth of:	
State Parks and Reservations	536.09
Auditing Municipal Accounts	877.49
Gypsy & Brown Tail Moth Control	858.60
Middlesex County:	
1955 Tax	13,305.96
Dog Licenses	1,115.80
Tuberculosis Hospital	3,913.41
Total Payments	788,199.15
Balance in Banks, December 31, 1955	184,164.02
	$972,363.17

DETAIL OF 1955 DISBURSEMENTS

GEN'L. GOV'T.	Carried Forward from 1955	1955 Income Reserv. for Special Purposes	Appropr'd. in 1955	Transfer from Reserve	Total Available for Expend.	Amount Expend. in 1955	Balance Accruing to Surpl.	Balance Carried Forward to 1956
Selectmen								
1. Select. Salaries			600.00		600.00	600.00		
2. Admin. Ass't.			5,800.00		5,800.00	5,800.00		
3. Clerks			2,000.00		2,000.00	2,000.00		
4. Suppl. & Misc.			2,000.00		2,000.00	1,965.12	34.88	
Treasurer								
5. Salaries			400.00		400.00	400.00		
6. Clerical			500.00		500.00	500.00		
7. Suppl. & Misc.			400.00		400.00	355.84	44.16	
Collector of Taxes								
8. Salary			1,800.00		1,800.00	1,800.00		
9. Suppl. & Misc.			575.00		575.00	418.68	156.32	
Town Clerk								
10. Salary			300.00		300.00	300.00		
11. Suppl. & Misc.			50.00		50.00	25.72	24.28	
Assessors								
12. Salaries			550.00		550.00	550.00		
13. Clerical			1,000.00		1,000.00	966.35	33.65	
14. Suppl. & Misc.			425.00		425.00	394.31	30.69	
Maps	300.00				300.00	152.25		147.75
Auditor								
15. Salary			50.00		50.00	50.00		
Legal								
16. Counsel			500.00		500.00	448.20	51.80	

	Carried Forward from 1955	1955 Income Reserv. for Special Purposes	Appropr'd. in 1955	Transfer from Reserve	Total Available for Expend.	Amount Expend. in 1955	Balance Accruing to Surpl.	Balance Carried For'd. to 1956
Election & Regis.								
17. Salaries			250.00		250.00	248.00	2.00	
18. Suppl. & Misc.			500.00	135.00	635.00	635.00		
Town House								
19. Janitor			2,600.00	50.00	2,650.00	2,650.00		
20. Fuel			700.00	123.23	823.23	823.23		
21. Rep. & Maint.			1,235.00	785.00	2,020.00	1,542.73	477.27	
22. Suppl. & Misc.			2,020.00		2,020.00	911.57	1,108.43	
Planning Board								
23. Clerical & Tech.			300.00		300.00	104.00	196.00	
24. Suppl. & Misc.			150.00		150.00	122.68	27.32	
Zoning Survey	772.50				772.50	762.74		9.76
Finance Committee								
25. Dues			15.00		15.00	15.00		
Total for General Government	1,072.50	--	24.720.00	1,093.23	26,885.73	24,541.42	2,186.80	157.51
PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY								
Police								
26. Salaries			13,900.00	668.72	14,568.72	14,568.72		
27. Suppl. & Misc.			2,845.00		2,845.00	2,802.62	42.38	
Car			1,584.00		1,584.00	1,584.00		
Fire Department								
28. Salaries			500.00		500.00	500.00		
29. Labor at fires			4,000.00		4,000.00	3,193.00	807.00	

	Carried Forward from 1955	1955 Income Reserv. for Special Purposes	Appropr'd. in 1955	Transfer from Reserve	Total Available for Expend.	Amount Expend. in 1955	Balance Accruing to Surpl.	Balance Carried For'd. to 1956
30. Operation, Suppl. & Equip.			3,100.00		3,100.00	2,900.23	199.77	
Tree & Moth Dept.								
31. Salaries			200.00		200.00	200.00		
32. Insect Control			2,000.00		2,000.00	1,971.31	28.69	
33. Poison Ivy Control			500.00		500.00	497.47	2.53	
34. Dutch Elm Disease Control			1,500.00		1,500.00	1,497.31	2.69	
35. Brush Control			500.00		500.00	495.63	4.37	
36. Elm Tree Removal			1,500.00		1,500.00	1,497.08	2.92	
37. Pruning public trees			2,000.00		2,000.00	1,983.75	16.25	
Board of Appeals								
38. Clerical			350.00		350.00	306.00	44.00	
39. Suppl. & Misc.			300.00	39.38	339.38	339.38		
Inspectors of Building, Wiring & Plumbing								
40. Salaries & Transp.			1,000.00		1,000.00	947.55	52.45	
Civil Defense								
41. Telephone Rental			350.00		350.00	115.72		234.28
42. Suppl. & Misc.	124.63		400.00	300.00	824.63	550.00		274.63
Communications								
43. Equip. Purchase			4,887.84		4,887.84	3,989.74	898.10	
44. Equip. Operation			6,361.75	390.00	6,751.75	6,457.80	293.95	
Total for Protection of Persons & Property	124.63	--	47,778.59	1,398.10	49,301.32	46,397.31	2,395.10	508.91

	Carried Forward from 1955	1955 Income Reserv. for Special Purposes	Appropr'd. in 1955	Transfer from Reserve	Total Available for Expend.	Amount Expend. in 1955	Balance Accruing to Surpl.	Balance Carried For'd. to 1956
HEALTH & SANITATION								
Board of Health								
45. Salaries of Nurses			2,340.00	97.50	2,437.50	2,436.00	1.50	
46. Suppl. & Misc.			950.00	336.00	1,286.00	1,172.46	113.54	
47. Garbage Coll.			3,750.00		3,750.00	2,925.75	824.25	
Nurse's car			877.00		877.00	877.00		
Inspector of Animals								
48. Salary			100.00		100.00	100.00		
Total for Health & Sanitation	--	--	8,017.00	433.50	8,450.50	7,511.21	939.29	--
HIGHWAY DEPT.								
49. Ch. 90 Maint.			4,500.00		4,500.00	4,436.91	63.09	
50. Ch. 90 Const.			12,000.00		12,000.00	6.90		11,993.10
Ch. 90 Maint. 1954	1,462.05				1,462.05	1,462.05		
51. Wages			14,500.00		14,500.00	14,393.52	106.48	
52. Gen'l. Exp.			700.00	216.11	916.11	916.11		
53. Highway Maint.			8,000.00		8,000.00	7,713.56	286.44	
54. Snow Removal			3,500.00		3,500.00	2,602.23	897.77	
55. Equip., Maint. & Supplies			5,000.00		5,000.00	4,854.94	145.06	
56. Street Lights			6,093.44	36.53	6,129.97	6,129.97		
New truck	2,500.00				2,500.00			2,500.00
Machinery Fund	3,295.06				3,295.06			3,295.06
Total for Highways	7,257.11	--	54,293.44	252.64	61,803.19	42,516.19	1,498.84	17,788.16

	Carried Forward from 1955	1955 Income Reserv. for Special Purposes	Appropr'd. in 1955	Transfer from Reserve	Total Available for Expend.	Amount Expend. in 1955	Balance Accruing to Surpl.	Balance Carried For'd. to 1956
AID TO CITIZENS								
57. Public Welfare	866.13	13,656.75	23,500.00		38,022.88	37,322.70	165.80	534.38
58. Public Welfare Adm.	51.57	813.38	1,000.00		1,864.95	1,687.05	85.22	92.68
59. Veterans' Aid			500.00		500.00	22.00	478.00	
Total for Aid to Citizens	917.70	14,470.13	25,000.00	--	40,387.83	39,031.75	729.02	627.06
EDUCATION								
60. General Control			15,900.00	500.00	16,400.00	16,160.45	239.55	
61. Out of State Travel			205.00		205.00	187.40	17.60	
62. Instruction			120,841.00		120,841.00	118,061.12	2,779.88	
63. Operation			21,475.00	500.00	21,975.00	21 803.33	171.67	
64. Maintenance			5,955.00		5,955.00	5,953.83	1.17	
65. Auxiliary Agencies			59,786.00		59,786.00	59,135.83	650.17	
66. Vocational			1,383.00		1,383.00	1,270.68	112.32	
67. New Equipment			1,438.00		1,438.00	1,285.12	152.88	
School Add'n #2	136,887.42				136,887.42	106,046.89		30,840.53
School Add'n #1	411.24				411.24			411.24
Add'l. Land	750.00				750.00			750.00
68. Lincoln-Sudbury Reg. H. S. Dist.			10,692.00		10,692.00	9,885.00		807.00
Reg. School Planning Com.	25.80				25.80		25.80	
Library								
69. Salaries			4,300.00		4,300.00	4,300.00		
70. Books			1,375.00		1,375.00	1,214.97	160.03	
71. Suppl. & Misc.			907.00		907.00	893.65	13.35	

	Carried Forward from 1955	1955 Income Reserv. for Special Purposes	Appropr'd. in 1955	Transfer from Reserve	Total Available for Expend.	Amount Expend. in 1955	Balance Accruing to Surpl.	Balance Carried For'd. to 1956
72. Repairs			228.00		228.00	44.65	183.35	
Total for Education	138,074.46	--	244,485.00	1,000.00	383,559.46	346,242.92	4,507.77	32,808.77
RECREATION								
73. Salaries & Wages			1,450.00		1,450.00	1,250.00	200.00	
74. Suppl. & Misc.			1,020.00	134.39	1,154.39	1,150.49	3.90	
Total for Recreation	--	--	2,470.00	134.39	2,604.39	2,400.49	203.90	--
CEMETERY								
75. Salaries			150.00		150.00	150.00		
76. Labor, Maint. & Interments			2,500.00		2,500.00	2,463.90	36.10	
77. Suppl. & Misc.			100.00		100.00	90.48	9.52	
Permanent Impr.	155.57				155.57			155.57
Total for Cemeteries	155.57		2,750.00		2,905.57	2,704.38	45.62	155.57
UNCLASSIFIED								
78. Midd. Co. Pension Fund			2,891.60		2,891.60	2,891.60		
79. Town Reports			1,040.00		1,040.00	988.50	51.50	
80. Rent & Maint. of Dump			1,575.00	149.12	1,724.12	1,724.12		
81. Insurance			5,700.00	484.43	6,184.43	6,184.43		

	Carried Forward from 1955	1955 Income Reserv. for Special Purposes	Appropr'd. in 1955	Transfer from Reserve	Total Available for Expend.	Amount Expend. in 1955	Balance Accruing to Surpl.	Balance Carried For'd to 1956
82. Rent of Hydrants			3,195.00		3,195.00	3,195.00		
Bedford Airport Comm.	500.00				500.00	199.91		300.09
Hurricane Emerg.		965.00			965.00	965.00		
Memorial Day Comm.			150.00		150.00	137.10	12.90	
Unpaid 1954 bills			324.08		324.08	324.08		
Preservation of Town Records	150.00				150.00			150.00
Bldg. Code Comm.	195.25				195.25			195.25
Independence Day			1,500.00		1,500.00	1,415.52	84.48	
Fire Station Site			2,200.00		2,200.00	2,200.00		
Mosquito Control			6,150.00		6,150.00	6,150.00		
Dept. of Public Works Comm.			100.00		100.00			100.00
Capital Require. Comm.			100.00	400.00	500.00			500.00
Hurricane Stump Removal		2,031.99			2,031.99	2,031.99		
Acquisition of Public Land Com.			500.00		500.00	93.50		406.50
Flood Relief		3,747.42			3,747.42	3,747.42		
Bi-Centennial Comm.	81.29				81.29			81.29
Total for Unclassified	926.54	6,744.41	25,425.68	1,033.55	34,130.18	32,248.17	148.88	1,733.13
TOWN DEBT SERVICE								
83. School Bldg. Bonds			33,000.00		33,000.00	33,000.00		
84. Int. on School Bonds			8,417.50		8,417.50	8,417.50		

	Carried Forward from 1955	1955 Income Reserv. for Special Purposes	Appropr'd. in 1955	Transfer from Reserve	Total Available for Expend.	Amount Expend. in 1955	Balance Accruing to Surpl.	Balance Carried For'd-1956
85. Hwy. Equip. Bldg. Bonds			4,000.00		4,000.00	4,000.00		
86. Int. on Hwy. Bldg. Bonds			280.00		280.00	280.00		
87. Int. on Tax Notes			700.00	4.53	704.53	704.53		
Tax Anticipation Note		175,000.00			175,000.00	175,000.00		
Total for Debt Service	--	175,000.00	46,397.50	4.53	221,402.03	221,402.03	--	--
REFUNDS								
Motor Vehicle Excise Refund		1,763.53			1,763.53	1,763.53		
Property Taxes		830.40			830.40	830.40		
Poll Taxes		2.00			2.00	2.00		
Total for Refunds	--	2,595.93	--	--	2,595.93	2,595.93	--	--
GRAND TOTALS	148,528.51	198,810.47	481,337.21	5,349.94	834,026.13	767,591.80	12,655.22	53,779.11

Frederick B. Taylor, Town Treasurer

GENERAL FUND, DECEMBER 31, 1955

Assets

Harvard Trust Co.	$ 49,299.17
Day Trust Co.	28,846.07
1st National Bank of Boston	708.82
Arlington Five Cents Savings Bank	5,056.62
Belmont Savings Bank	4,583.73
Beverly Savings Bank	4,832.18
Boston Five Cents Savings Bank	4,506.25
Brockton Savings Bank	4,990.30
Brookline Savings Bank	2,513.93
Cambridge Savings Bank	5,321.87
Charleston Savings Bank	5,586.30
East Bridgewater Savings Bank	5,014.28
Franklin Savings Bank, Boston	5,115.73
Home Savings Bank, Boston	5,084.21
Institution for Savings in Roxbury	5,015.23
Lowell Institution for Savings	2,428.19
Lynn Five Cents Savings Bank	5,035.92
Malden Savings Bank	2,497.01
Natick Five Cents Savings Bank	3,346.72
Newton Savings Bank	5,090.61
North Avenue Savings Bank, Cambridge	2,601.30
Provident Institution for Savings, Boston	5,100.66
Waltham Savings Bank	3,060.23
Warren Institution for Savings, Boston	7,328.38
Whitman Savings Bank	5,200.31
Concord Co-operative Bank	6,000.00
	$184,164.02

Accounts Receivable:		
Taxes, interest to be added	$ 13,771.02	
City of Cambridge	876.47	
Middlesex County, Ch. 90 Maintenance	1,500.00	
Middlesex County, Ch. 90 Construction	3,000.00	
Commonwealth of Mass., Chapter 90 Maintenance	1,500.00	
Commonwealth of Mass., Chapter 90 Construction	6,000.00	
Commonwealth of Mass., @ A. D. C.	199.38	
Commonwealth of Mass., @ O. A. A.	1,458.87	
Other Towns @ O. A. A.	58.75	
County Tax underestimate, 1955	1,290.96	
Tuberculosis Hospital Underestimate 1955	805.09	
Flood Relief	3,747.42	34,207.96
Total Assets		$218,371.98

Liabilities and Surplus

Dog Licenses, due County		$ 17.40
Road Machinery Fund		3,295.06
Federal grants for Public Welfare:		
Old Age Assistance		102.69
Old Age Assistance Administration		34.97
Aid to Dependent Children		96.16
Aid to Dependent Children Administration		46.86
Disability Assistance		400.78
Disability Assistance Administration		10.85
Old Age Assistance Recovery		662.30
Overestimate, State Parks & Reservations assessment		73.35
Overestimate, Gypsy and Brown Tail Moth assessment		110.91
Grammar School Fund income		38.81
deCordova School Equipment Fund income		699.08
Cemetery Investment Fund		136.99
Unexpended appropriation balances:		
Assessors' Maps	$ 147.75	
Zoning Survey	9.75	
Civil Defense	508.91	
Chapter 90 construction	11,993.10	
New truck	2,500.00	
School Add'n #2	30,840.53	
School Add'n #1	411.24	
Additional Land Committee	750.00	
Cemetery Perm. Improvements	155.57	
Bedford Airport Committee	300.09	
Preservation of Town Records	150.00	
Building Code Committee	195.25	
Dept. of Public Works Comm.	100.00	
Capital Req. Committee	500.00	
Acquisition of Public Land Committee	406.50	
Bi-Centennial Committee	81.29	
Regional School District	807.00	49,856.99
Overlay Reserves, 1953	$ 4.80	
1954	1,366.80	
1955	6,939.21	8,310.81
Overlay Surplus		19,752.39
General Funds Surplus:		
Receivables reserved until collection	19,850.79	
Available surplus (Free Cash)	114,874.79	134,725.58
Total Reserves and Surplus		$ 218,371.98

OUTSTANDING DEBT

$130,000	School Building Loan, 1 3/4%, due $10,000 each December 1, 1956 - 1968, issued under Chapter 208, Acts of 1948.
55,000	School Building Loan, 1 3/4%, due $5,000 each December 1, 1956 - 1958, and $4,000 each December 1, 1959 - 1968, issued under Chapter 44, General Laws, as amended.
12,000	Highway Equipment Building Loan, 1 3/4%, due $4,000 each December 1, 1956 - 1958, issued under Chapter 44, General Laws, as amended.
198,000	School Building Loan, 1 3/4%, due $13,000 each December 1, 1956 - 1961, and $12,000 each December 1, 1962 - 1971, issued under Chapter 356, Acts of 1951.
65,000	School Building Loan, 1 3/4%, due $5,000 December 1, 1956, and $4,000 each December 1, 1957 - 1971, issued under Chapter 44, General Laws, as amended.
2,000	Water Equipment Loan, 2 3/4%, due $2,000 on August 1, 1956, issued under Chapter 44, General Laws, as amended.
1,500	Water Main Loan, 2 3/4%, due $1,000 on November 1, 1956, and $500 on November 1, 1957, issued under Chapter 44, General Laws, as amended.
$463,500	

SCHOOL MILK FUND

Balance, January 1, 1955	$ 493.89
Receipts	2,600.39
	$3,094.28
Payments	2,983.22
December 31, 1955, Balance on Deposit	111.06
	$3,094.28

WATER DEPARTMENT REPORT

January 1, Balance		$ 6,314.32
Receipts		
Operating:		
Rates 1954	$ 832.12	
Rates 1955	30,346.29	
Rent of Hydrants	3,195.00	
Water Connections	4,200.00	
Miscellaneous repairs, etc.	725.37	
Insurance collection	75.00	39,373.78
		45,688.10
Expenses		
1954 bills	$ 386.43	
Salaries and Wages	8,995.97	
Supplies and Maintenance	9,654.98	
Meters & Operating Expense	5,661.00	
Bonds and Interest	3,178.76	
Repairs to Pumping Station	1,165.00	29,042.14
December 31, 1955, Balance on Deposit		16,645.96
		$45,688.10

CEMETERY INVESTMENT FUND

Cash Account

Cash balance at January 1, 1955		$ 143.00
Proceeds of sale of cemetery lots		1,105.00
Interest on savings bank deposit		299.81
Interest accumulated in John H. Wilkins Perpetual Care Fund at January 1, 1955	$93.13	
1955 Interest	11.52	
	104.65	
Cost of restoring Wilkins Lot to original condition	76.85	
Balance to Cemetery Investment Fund, by agreement		27.80
		1,575.61
Savings bank interest allowed to accumulate	299.81	
John H. Wilkins Lot, repurchased at cost	250.00	
Deposited in Middlesex Inst. for Savings	1,025.80	1,575.61
Middlesex Institution for Savings		$10,595.30

Frederick B. Taylor, Town Treasurer

CEMETERY PERPETUAL CARE FUNDS

Deposited in Middlesex Institution for Savings	Principal	Income accumulated before 1955	1955 Income	December 31, 1955 Balance
Samuel Hartwell	$ 300.00	$ 40.54	$ 10.71	$ 351.25
Orila J. Flint	300.00	31.88	10.43	342.31
Annie A. Ray	300.00	104.95	12.74	417.69
Maria L. Thompson	500.00	133.01	19.93	652.94
John H. Pierce	500.00	34.81	16.82	551.63
George F. Harrington	100.00	11.00	3.49	114.49
Francis Flint	250.00	107.69	11.26	368.95
William W. Benjamin	500.00	184.15	21.54	705.69
Abijah Jones	300.00	27.50	10.31	337.81
Ellen F. Whitney	100.00	9.48	3.44	112.92
E. H. Rogers	250.00	27.31	8.73	286.04
Ellen T. Trask	200.00	78.40	8.75	287.15
Thomas Huddleston	200.00	16.60	6.80	223.40
Joa Pacewicz	400.00	19.65	13.20	432.85
Mary Susan Rice	87.27	18.30	3.32	108.89
Julia A. Bemis	300.00	19.86	10.06	329.92
Donald Gordon	300.00	148.88	14.12	463.00
Elizabeth G. Chapin	300.00	82.91	12.04	394.95
Sarah J. Browning	200.00	19.64	6.90	226.54
Agnes L. Brown	300.00	38.29	10.64	348.93
Lewis W. Woodworth	150.00	11.34	5.07	166.41
Robert B. Chapin	300.00	31.25	10.42	341.67
Gardner Moore	300.00	28.68	10.33	339.01
Mary James Scripture	500.00	46.49	17.19	563.68
Charles P. Farnsworth	350.00	34.13	12.08	396.21
Helen O. Storrow	2,000.00	203.31	69.38	2,272.69
Elizabeth S. Wheeler	200.00	21.40	6.96	228.36
L. B. & A. E. Thiessen	500.00	56.29	17.51	573.80
Paul Dorian	150.00	14.48	5.16	169.64
Raymond E. Hagerty	150.00	14.48	5.16	169.64
Charles O. Preble	100.00	7.83	3.38	111.21
George G. Tarbell	400.00	17.27	13.12	430.39
Eugene Sherman	200.00	- -	4.77	204.77
Mildred E. Bowles	200.00	- -	1.63	201.63
Mabel H. Todd	200.00	- -	-	200.00
Suffolk Savings Bank				
J. Waldo Smith	300.00	33.82	10.07	343.89
Charles S. Smith	300.00	37.75	10.19	347.94
Edward R. Farrar	300.00	22.39	9.74	332.13
Anne D. Pollard	300.00	22.08	9.72	331.80
	$12,587.27	$1,757.84	$437.11	$14,782.22

REPORT OF THE COLLECTOR OF TAXES

	Balance 1/1/55	Committed	Refunded	Paid	Abated	Outstanding 12/31/55
1955						
Poll	$	$ 1,770.00	$ 2.00	$ 1,490.00	$ 254.00	$ 28.00
Personal		24,204.15		23,579.37	21.60	603.18
Real		313,474.86	734.40	303,937.24	3,761.10	6,510.92
Excise		49,876.64	1,482.36	45,560.91	2,090.92	3,707.17
1954						
Personal	669.60			631.20		38.40
Real	5,926.74		96.00	4,586.34	108.00	1,328.40
Excise	8,425.61	2,144.82	281.17	9,223.54	477.22	1,150.84
1953						
Personal	404.88			383.28	16.80	4.80
Real	1,956.84			1,942.44	14.40	
Excise	620.01			157.67	63.03	399.31
1952						
Excise	95.73			9.72	86.01	

INTEREST

1955	52.67
1954	178.24
1953	183.98
1952	1.02
	415.91

WATER

	Balance 1/1/55	Committed	Refunds	Paid	Abatements & Deductions	Outstanding 12/31/55
1955	$	$34,924.35	$ 37.73	$30,346.29	$ 2,699.79	$1,916.00
1954	875.83			832.12	6.71	37.00

William H. Davis, Collector of Taxes

ASSESSORS' REPORT

The Board of Assessors submit the following report for the year 1955:

According to law, all real estate and personal property tax abatement requests must be filed with the Board by October 1st of the year in question.

All automobile excise tax abatement requests must be filed with the Board within six months of the date of issuance of the notice of assessment or of the date of the sale or transfer of the vehicle, but in any event not later than January 31st of the succeeding year.

1955 Recapitulation

Total appropriations to be raised by taxation		$469,723.85
Appropriations to be taken from available funds		73,958.32
		$543,682.17
Hurricane Expenses		13,135.36
State tax and assessments.		
State Audit	877.49	
State Parks & Reservations	609.44	
Gypsy & Brown Tail Moth	969.51	2,456.44
County tax and assessments.		
County tax	12,015.00	
T. B. Hospital Assessment	3,108.32	
Underestimate in 1954	2.32	15,125.64
Overlay of Current Year		10,975.91
Gross Amount to be raised		$585,375.52
Estimated Receipts and Available Funds.		
Income tax	28,681.08	
Corporation taxes	16,795.60	
Motor Vehicle & Trailer Excise	32,000.00	
Old Age Assistance	15,000.00	
Schools	18,000.00	
Water Department	37,305.15	
Interest on Taxes & Assessments	2,600.00	
State Assistance for School Construction	5,000.00	
Hurricane Reimbursement	11,821.83	
All others	4,382.83	
	$171,586.49	
Overestimates of previous year.		
County tax	440.99	
State Recreation Areas	2.71	
App. voted from Available Funds	73,958.32	
	74,402.02	
Total Estimated Receipts & Available Funds		245,988.51
Net amount to be raised by taxation on polls and property		339,387.01
		$585,375.52

Number of polls	854 @ $2.00	1,708.00	
Total valuation:			
Personal property	$448,225. @ $54.00	24,204.15	
Real Estate	6,253,3 15. @ $54.00	313,474.86	339,387.01

Number of Acres of Land Assessed	8755
Number of Dwelling Houses Assessed	818
Tax Rate per $1,000.00	$54.00

George G. Tarbell, Jr., Chairman
Arthur W. Rice, Jr.
Frederick H. Greene, Jr.

Protection of Persons and Property

REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

I hereby submit my report for the Police Department for the year ending December 31, 1955.

Arrests by Lincoln Police	64
Arrests by State Police	40
Total number of arrests	104

Arrests were made for the following offences:

Crimes against property:	
Breaking and entering and larceny	10
Malicious injury to property	2
Using motor vehicle without authority	1
Crimes against public order:	
Allowing improper person to operate motor vehicle	2
Delinquency	7
Driving a motor vehicle to endanger life	19
Driving a motor vehicle while intoxicated	9
Drunkenness	7
Escapee	8
Leaving scene after causing property damage	1
Motor vehicle laws, violating	34
Vagrancy	1
Violation of game laws	2
Violation of probation	1
Violations of Motor Vehicle Laws reported to Registry of Motor Vehicles	40
Motor Vehicle accident report:	
Accidents reported	87
Occupants injured	103
Occupants killed	2

The ranch wagon purchased by the Town last May, for this department has proved to be a very valuable piece of equipment. It has been equipped with a stretcher and has been used several

times as an ambulance for accident victims.

The installation of our own radio transmitter, coupled with the switchboard at the Town House, has made this department independent of others for communications. This has increased our operating efficiency greatly.

The personnel of the department was increased to four with the appointment of Daniel A. MacInnis as a permanent officer in April.

In April Officer James Diamond attended the Local Police Officer Training School, conducted by the State Police at Framingham, for four weeks. In September Officer MacInnis attended the school.

It is with sorrow that I note the passing of former Chief of Police John J. Kelliher in August. "Jerry", as he was known to all, served the Town for many years, in many ways, faithfully and completely. He is sincerely missed by all of us.

Respectfully submitted,

Leo J. Algeo

Chief of Police

REPORT OF BOARD OF FIRE ENGINEERS

During the past year the department answered 109 alarms as follows:

Woods and Brush	18
Grass	24
Buildings	8
Cars and trains	10
Dump	8
Pumping out cellars	6
Rescuing cats	6
Miscellaneous	29
Total	109

Total amount of property losses reported to the Fire Department were estimated at $700.00.

Respectfully submitted,

William M. Dean, Clerk

Frank Gordon

Andrew J. Dougherty, Chief

REPORT OF THE INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

The following animals have been inspected:

Cows, 2 years and over	209
Heifers, 1 - 2 years	66
Heifers, under 1 year	38
Bulls	6
Steers	10
Horses	35
Sheep	9
Swine	627

Found animals to be under the rules and regulations of the Division of Livestock Disease Control.

Have supplied the Division of Livestock with a list of the owners and the number and kinds of animals found on the premises.

Fifteen dog bites were reported. All these dogs were released after fourteen days in quarantine, as they showed no signs of rabies.

Respectfully submitted,

Andrew J. Dougherty

CIVIL DEFENSE AGENCY

Until the over-all Civil Defense picture is more clearly defined it becomes increasingly difficult to determine the proper course to pursue. Two of the phases of Civil Defense which this agency has emphasized during the past year have been the auxiliary police and communications. Under any disaster, natural or otherwise, they play a vital part.

In accordance with the State's objective to evacuate critical areas, a canvass of the Town was made to ascertain the transportation requirements of the residents in the event of possible evacuation. As a result of this study, a preliminary plan has been drawn up and a map prepared indicating routes to be taken within the Town to reach evacuation routes which are presently designated by the State as 2, 2A and 117. Final release of the plan has been withheld until a more definite program has been formulated and certain procedures are established by the State.

A new transmitting and receiving radio set has been purchased to replace the former one which failed to give satisfactory performance. This new piece of equipment will assure more effective contact with neighboring towns and sector headquarters should telephone communications be cut off. No further capital expenditures are anticipated at this time. However, if the present fire whistle does not give adequate coverage of the Town, a more audible warning system may be an important consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

Eveleth R. Todd
Local Director of Civil Defense

REPORT OF TREE WARDEN

Contrary to usual procedure the late March spray application to roadside elm trees was applied from the air by state employed helicopters. The Commissioner of Natural Resources notified the Board of Selectmen in November, 1954, that the town of Lincoln had been designated as an area wherein serious infection from the gypsy moth had been found. Accordingly, emergency action in the form of aerial spraying was necessary to help control and prevent further spread of the gypsy moth. Before and during the actual spraying roads were marked off and litmus cards placed at strategic spots as checks of the spray efficiency. Areas showing no contact with the DDT spray emulsion were gone over a second time.

The usual control applications for Poison Ivy were conducted in late July and care was exercised to avoid unnecessary scorching of unobjectionable roadside grasses wherever possible. Some difficulty was experienced due to an outmoded spray rig for which parts were needed and difficult to obtain. A second hand model of a more modern and efficient spray machine is most essential to expedite this particular phase of work for another year.

Some light brush removal was undertaken in the fall, but unsightly limbs, rotted stumps and fallen trees bordering the public ways received the bulk of our attention.

We were fortunate to receive an emergency appropriation from the state for the removal of dangerous trees and hanging branches resulting from the 1954 hurricanes. This enabled us to do a fair job on seven of the public thoroughfares and to considerably improve the appearance of the trees on these streets. The annual appropriation for the trimming of public trees was utilized by the former tree warden to thoroughly prune the trees adjacent to the Town Hall, Library and along Bedford Road.

In July, application of DDT to all roadside elms helped to reduce the second brood of elm bark beetles. Also, and contrary to former procedure, all street trees were given an application of DDT as a safeguard and protective measure. Although it is generally acknowledged that the native maples and oaks that make up our street tree population are fairly free from disease it still is advantageous to make one annual application to control leaf rollers, canker worms, aphids, ticks, caterpillars and other destructive insects.

Close observation was given to all town elms throughout the growing season in order to trace down the Dutch Elm disease.

PROTECTION

Sixty-three samples from what appeared to be diseased trees were taken and sent to the state university at Amherst for culture. Of these, twenty-five trees were infected and subsequently removed and burned. In addition, fifty-nine totally dead elms were taken down and burned under the annual appropriation.

In our efforts to eradicate breeding places for the bark beetles that carry the spores of Dutch Elm disease on their bodies we frequently removed dead elm trees from privately owned lands. Dead elm wood of any size with the bark still intact affords ideal breeding conditions for these beetles and periodic checks of privately owned trees should be made by the owners to determine the need for further pruning and clean cultivation.

There are still present in the town considerable numbers of dead elms as a result of another disease (phloem necrosis). The dead wood resulting becomes a hazard since it invites bark beetles to breed. We are making every effort to eliminate these trees as rapidly as our limited budget allows. You can help by removing dead elms on your land. In any event do notify your tree warden of their presence as quickly as they are discovered.

The responsibility for the control of Dutch Elm disease lies directly in the hands of those who will benefit, namely, the people of the community. With alert detection and immediate removal of infected trees and judicious spraying of strategically located ones, it should be possible to limit the source of the fungus and the number of insect carriers to a low level and to protect most of the elms in the community.

We are doing what we can to win the constant fight against further loss of our town elms. Records indicate that progress has been made, yet the state found it necessary to provide emergency action to further that control. We are pruning and spraying to discourage the bark beetles from our street trees but this is a ten year program under our present appropriation. In the interim, the scrub elms that exist and spring up in inland swamps and other out of the way areas are helping to prolong the fight, for they, of course, will seldom, if ever, receive any scientific attention and they will continue to breed the beetles that carry the disease.

I would like to thank those residents of the town who responded to my request by card for information regarding the presence of dead or diseased trees. Although I may not have personally contacted each individual, I have examined the trees designated and will take the necessary action.

It is my firm belief that a Dutch elm disease control committee of genuinely interested members is basic for community wide action and understanding.

Robert Ralston , Tree Warden & Moth Supt.

Health and Welfare

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

At the first meeting of the Board of Health held on March 29, 1955, Dr. Gordon A. Donaldson was elected Chairman and Mrs. Bradford Cannon was elected Secretary and Representative to the Nursing Committee. Mrs. Marion Ober was appointed Agent; Andrew Dougherty, Inspector of Animals; William H. Davis, Burial Agent; and Dr. Alden Russell, Inspector of Slaughtering. Mr. Leslie Willard continues as our Sanitation Officer.

During the year the following licences were issued: overnight cabins, 1; slaughtering, 7; poultry, 1; piggeries, 2; garbage transportation, 3; sale of methyl alcohol, 6; sale of oleomargarine, store, 3; sale of oleomargarine, vehicle, 3; sale of milk, store, 4; sale of milk, vehicle, 12; subdivisions, 2. The milk licenses are issued for five years and will not be reported again until 1960. 110 dogs were presented at the dog clinic on May 7, 1955, for inoculations against rabies. Dr. Alden Russell was in charge as usual. The remaining dogs in town were inoculated by private veterinarians.

The following diseases, as required by State Law, were reported: measles, 132; chicken pox, 55; mumps, 5; dog bite, 15; pulmonary tuberculosis, 1; polio, 7.

The Well Child Clinic continues for the eighteenth year under Dr. John Davies. 16 new babies were examined, 87 repeaters seen, and 59 pre-kindergarten children were checked during the year.

Dr. David Farrell continues as the dentist for the Dental Service. The teeth of all children are examined once a year, and, if work is necessary, a report is sent home to the parents to that effect. Treatment has been given to those children whose parents so desired, and who gave written permission. The charge for this service is $4 per half hour. The question of fluoridation of the town drinking water is still an open one with the Board. We are following the reports from various quarters with interest. Its value in the prevention of dental decay is well established, but there are other details to be worked out, not the least of which is the opposition to the philosophy of mass medication.

The garbage collection system has proven effective. There are 246 subscribers to this service.

HEALTH AND WELFARE

Over the past two years a complete revision of the town Health Regulations has been studied and recently completed. These have been published in full in the Colonial, December, 1955, and have become law. Pamphlets of these Regulations are available at the Town House.

One of our chief functions over the year was the supervision of sewage and drainage problems in connection with land subdivisions and new house construction on single lots. This continues to be an extremely important job, and the procedure involved has been clarified in the new Regulations. Inspection of any sewage construction by the Board or its Agent is required at three points: On the initial plan before the building permit is granted, after the excavations have been completed, and finally after the construction of the sewage plant and prior to resurfacing the ground. In some developments ledge or lowland is encountered, and when any doubt exists as to the suitability of drainage, professional sanitary engineers are employed at the expense of the developer.

Poliomyelitis vaccine was administered to all children in the first and second grades, with the written permission of the parents. 134 children were vaccinated. No complications were reported.

In the near future another pulmonary tuberculosis screening clinic should be held in Lincoln. On the advice of the State Department of Public Health it was felt that such an effort was not worth while this year.

A survey of the Sandy Pond water-shed has been completed with the State Department of Public Health. Sandy Pond is largely fed by surface water. Control of the entire water-shed is impractical, but it is the unanimous opinion of all that habitation should not be allowed in close proximity to the pond. This matter has been discussed with the Land Use Committee; and it is probable that in the immediate future the control of land to a certain elevation above the surface of the pond about its entire periphery should be acquired by the Town of Lincoln.

Respectfully submitted,

Ellen DeN. Cannon
Warren Flint
Gordon Donaldson, M. D., Chairman

REPORT OF THE NURSING COMMITTEE

The Nursing Committee has had a very satisfying year. Meetings have been held regularly on every third Friday of the month when Mrs. Ober reports her activities and any problems that may have arisen.

The work of our Community Nurse is concerned with the schools, the Dental Service, the Well-Child Conference, and home care. She has also been caring for the children at the South School for Sudbury.

The Well-Child Conference has been running smoothly under the able supervision of Mrs. Alan McClennen and Mrs. Ober.

Mrs. Barbara Woods served the Town during Mrs. Ober's vacation in August.

The Nursing Committee assisted in the administration of the Salk Vaccine Clinic held in June at the Health Unit in the Smith School. 134 First and Second Graders were vaccinated.

The management of the Dental Service has been the subject of considerable discussion during the year. This is a service rendered by the Town to facilitate children's getting necessary treatment. It is not a free clinic. Charges are made at rates comparable to those for any good dental care.

In an effort to relieve Mrs. Ober of some administrative details, the Nursing Committee is now keeping the Dental Service accounts. The following policy concerning bills has been adopted:

1. Dental care is given only to those children who have written permission from their parents or guardian. The charge is $4.00 per half hour.

2. Bills will be sent on the first of each month for services rendered during the preceding month.

3. Bills are payable upon receipt to the Town of Lincoln.

4. Anyone who does not pay his bill within three months may forfeit the privilege of using the service.

5. Anyone who desires treatment at the Dental Service but who cannot pay the charges should apply to the Nursing Committee

for recommendation for Pierce Fund assistance.

6. Anyone who is unable to pay a bill on receipt may make special arrangements for installment paying by applying to the Nursing Committee.

1955 SUMMARY

Number of calls	1,023
Medical	376
Surgical	62
Pre-Natal	5
Post-Natal	10
Social Service	92
Child Welfare	308
Board of Health	48
Well-Child Conference & Dental Service	59
Out of Town	63

Number of patients moved away	2
Number of patients moved to hospitals or nursing homes	4
Number of regular patients as of Dec. 31, 1955	10
Number of new patients	15
Number of patients died	3

TOTAL FEES COLLECTED
1955

Nursing calls	$183.25
Dental Service	1,346.10
Well-Child Conference	14.00
	$1,543.35
Dog Clinic	82.50
Total	$1,625.85

Respectfully submitted,

Ellen DeN. Cannon, Chairman
Elizabeth Donaldson
Louise McClennen, Secretary

REPORT OF THE PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AGENT

Fundamentally the aim of the public assistance program is, through financial assistance and service, to meet the basic needs of those people who are unable to meet them through their own efforts or resources. Closely related to this aim is the responsibility to help people recognize and make full use of all their resources and capacities, as well as all available community resources, in meeting their problems and maintaining themselves in the most self-reliant way possible to them. Public assistance agencies are set up by the community as a whole to make sure that all members of the community have the means for adequate and healthy living. If the individual cannot obtain this from his own resources or through his own efforts, it is the responsibility of the public assistance agency to provide the means. The agency also has the added responsibility of helping the individual, within his abilities, to develop his resources and increase his efforts toward meeting his requirements.

Old Age Assistance.

Aid was given to 39 cases under the Old Age Assistance program during the year 1955. 13 cases were closed during the year and 3 were added. At the close of the year 26 cases were receiving assistance.

Gross Cost		$35,445.38
Receipts:		
Balance from 1954 . . .	$ 21.25	
U. S. Gov't.	13,100.25	
Comm. of Mass.	16,955.50	
Comm. of Mass. @ Meals Tax	807.73	
Other Cities & Towns . .	882.40	31,767.13
Cost to Town of Lincoln		3,678.25
		$35,445.38

Aid to Dependent Children.

Aid was given to two families under the Aid to Dependent Children program during the year 1955. One case was closed and one was receiving assistance at the close of the year.

Gross Cost		$ 1,415.11
Receipts:		
Balance from 1954	$ 465.35	
U. S. Gov't.	556.50	
Comm. of Mass.	153.72	1,175.57
Cost to Town of Lincoln		239.54
		$ 1,415.11

Public Welfare

Aid granted . . . . . $ 462.21

Respectfully submitted,

M. Elizabeth Causer, Agent

REPORT OF THE MOSQUITO CONTROL COMMISSIONER

Your representative on the East Middlesex Mosquito Control has been absent from Lincoln since late in August. He has, however, been able to follow the general course of events through the weekly reports of the Superintendent.

Attached hereto is a condensed report of the Superintendent, Mr. Robert L. Armstrong, to the Commissioners for 1955. The complete report may be obtained at the Town House.

If one can judge from the proportion of complaints, the program seems to have been highly successful in Lincoln. Only 7 complaints out of a total of 633 were recorded by the Superintendent as from Lincoln.

It is recommended that the appropriation of $6,000 asked by the Commission be made for 1956.

Respectfully submitted,

Charles H. Blake, Commissioner
John Tew
Barbara K. Warner

MOSQUITO CONTROL IN LINCOLN in 1955

This report is for the interval from April 8, 1955, when Lincoln became part of the East Middlesex Mosquito Control Project, to the end of the calendar year. The first mosquito control activity after some preliminary reconnaisance and mapping was to spray most of the swamplands in the township. This was done by mosquito control crews with knapsack sprayers and by plane and helicopter. The coverage seemed reasonably good for the first attempt. It was completed before the end of April. In late May the State Gypsy Moth spray program resulted in the Town being completely covered with DDT - oil spray applied by plane. This killed off any mosquitoes present at the time and prevented migration into the Town from the west.

During midsummer spraying was kept at a minimum in order to reserve as much of the budget as possible for fall drainage and winter dusting. The hurricane rains produced an overwhelming outbreak of mosquitoes in September. The occurrence was too unusual and the cost of spraying too prohibitive, so no attempt was made to stop this brood.

MOSQUITO CONTROL

In late fall and early winter drainage work was done in the locality north of the railroad station. Thus far 650 feet of new ditch has been dug, 5,540 feet of old ditch reclaimed, and 2,980 feet of existing ditch cleaned. During the season 617 gallons of spray were applied by hand and 835 gallons by aircraft - most of it during April. The catch basins were sprayed four times. At the end of the year mid-winter dusting of swamps with DDT was underway. This will help control the spring brood of mosquitoes.

Expenditures to December 31st and the budget plans to next April are:

Expenditures	
Labor	$2,623.47
Aircraft	307.55
Insecticide	278.94
Office costs	486.74
Office rental (to Cambridge)	25.00
Field operations, equip., etc.	727.05
	$4,448.75
Contribution to capital assets	$ 800.00
Appropriation received May 14 and Oct. 22	$6,150.00
Balance on December 31, 1955	$ 901.25

The remaining funds will be used for winter dusting and April spraying plus the routine operating costs.

The Commission has requested an appropriation of $6,000.00 for 1956.

Respectfully submitted,

R. L. Armstrong
Superintendent

REPORT OF BEDFORD AIRPORT COMMITTEE

During the past year the Bedford Airport Committee has concerned itself with the following matters:

(1) Direction of Air Traffic at the Bedford Airport.
The Concord-Lexington runway, which is approximately 7,000 feet long, was opened in November, 1955, and is now being used except when strong wind currents demand that certain types of planes use the Lincoln-Bedford runway, which is approximately 5,000 feet long. Construction of a 1450 foot extension of the Concord-Lexington runway will begin probably in 1957. This will take approximately six months, during which time there may be more use of the Lincoln-Bedford runway.

(2) The location of new Route 2.
The Committee contacted Senator Saltonstall and others urging that the new Route 2 be located near the Bedford Airport. This matter is now under study by the State Department of Public Works.

(3) 670 "On Base" Housing Units in North Lincoln.
In November, 1955, it came to the attention of the Committee that the United States Air Force was planning to construct 670 housing units in North Lincoln. This would be done under an Act of Congress which permits the Federal Government to take land by eminent domain for the construction of urgently needed housing near a military reservation or installation. This land taken would be ceded to the Federal Government by an act of the Massachusetts General Court and would actually be under the jurisdiction of the Defense Department of the United States Government.

The housing units would be rented by the Defense Department to Air Force personnel, and the utilities, police and fire protection would be supplied by the Defense Department rather than by the Town of Lincoln. It is understood that an elementary school would be constructed for the area, and that Lincoln would be requested, but not required, to operate it. Inhabitants of the area would not be citizens of Lincoln for voting purposes.

This matter was of such importance that the Selectmen and the Bedford Airport Committee jointly appointed a committee consisting of Victor A. Lutnicki, William M. Rand and Sumner

Smith to consider the problems involving the proposed 670 housing units. The latter committee now has the matter under study.

During the past year the Bedford Airport Committee spent none of the funds allocated to it.

Respectfully submitted,

Thomas B. Adams, Chairman
Walter E. Belanger
Kenneth W. Bergen
Richard J. Eaton
Katharine S. White

Planning and Public Works

REPORT OF THE PLANNING BOARD

Subdivision Control

Since the last report of the Planning Board, the following subdivisions have been conditionally approved:

(1) George U. Browning off Conant Road
(2) August Schumacher off Lincoln Road and Wayland Town Line
(3) Brown's Wood Inc. off Conant Road and Weston Road
(4) Anthony Cassis off Route 2
(5) Olga Pertzoff off Weston Road
(6) Carleton Owen off Bedford Road

Subdivision Rules and Regulations of Planning Board

On December 14, 1955, a legal hearing was held by the Board concerning proposed changes in the Rules and Regulations of the Planning Board. These changes dealt entirely with road construction. Briefly, the Board now requires two courses of Bituminous Concrete Pavement Type I-1 totalling $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches thick and 20 feet in width. Following the hearing, the regulations were adopted by the Board and are available at the Town House for inspection and use.

Changes in the Zoning By-Law

On May 9, 1955, the Land Use Survey was published and distributed to the townspeople. Following this and a legal hearing, a special Town Meeting was called on June 6, 1955. At the Meeting, the Town voted to adopt Articles 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9. These Articles have been legally incorporated in our Zoning By-Law and serve as the basis for our 80,000 square foot zoning requirement.

Additional Changes in the Zoning By-Law

At present the Board is preparing an article in the Warrant for the annual Town Meeting concerning the establishing of adequate parking areas in the commercial district. It is the unanimous

feeling of the Board that a ratio of 3 square feet of parking area to each square foot of ground floor space of a building would promote the orderly growth, safety, and convenience of a shopping center or centers in the commercial district. A legal hearing concerning this change was held on January 25, 1956.

Land Acquisition Committee

The Planning Board, being encumbered with considerable administrative detail over Subdivision Control, changes in the Zoning By-Law, and their own Rules and Regulations, submitted Article 4 to the Town at the June 6 meeting. The Town voted to appoint a committee to study the advisability of the Town's acquisition at some future date of additional land for parks, playgrounds, or other public uses. It is understood that this committee will render a preliminary report around the time of the regular Town Meeting. The Planning Board very much appreciates the assistance of this Committee.

Relocation of Cambridge Turnpike (Route 2)

The Massachusetts Department of Public Works is studying various plans for converting Route 2 into a limited-access, modern, express highway. The most economical proposal for the section through Lincoln appears to involve a relocation to the south running along the north shore of Sandy Pond, thus, more or less isolating North Lincoln from the rest of the Town. The Board unanimously favors a somewhat longer route (about 1.2 miles longer) which would swing north near the Bedford Airport. Officials of the Airport favor this latter plan. From the point of view of Lincoln, such a location of the express highway would seem to constitute an effective barrier to further encroachment of the Airport into North Lincoln.

Respectfully submitted,

Arthur T. Howard, Chairman
Everett A. Black, Clerk
Richard J. Eaton
Alan McClennen
Katharine White

REPORT OF BOARD OF APPEALS

The growth of the Town, and the changes in the Zoning By-Law, result in a continuing need for careful interpretation so that the terms of the existing Zoning By-Law may properly be applied to situations coming before the Board. This results not only in the hearing of numerous appeals and the writing of numerous decisions, but also in the development by the Board of carefully considered definitions and policies.

Set forth below is a summary of the decisions of the Board.

Application of Louis S. Albano for a variance to divide property into two building lots containing less than 40,000 square feet, approved.

Application of Gerald J. Mahoney for a variance to permit an addition to his property nearer than 30 feet to the side-lot line, approved.

Application of J. Q. Adams for a variance to permit him to enlarge his office force in his residential buildings, approved for three years and limited to the petitioner only.

Application of Mary E. Silva for permission to move gravel from her property, approved conditionally.

Application of Lawrence L. Rowe for a variance to permit alterations to his present dwelling and to construct a one-car garage, not conforming to the Zoning By-Law, denied.

Application of Norman Brisson to permit storage for heavy equipment in the gravel pit off North Great Road, granted for two years.

Application of Gilmore B. Creelman, Jr. for a variance to permit construction of a two-car garage on the site of an existing wooden garage and shed not conforming with the Zoning By-Law, denied.

Application of Henrietta Warner for a variance to permit division of her property and provide for a dwelling lot with less than the required frontage on MacIntosh Lane, approved.

Application of Hope Hunt to permit division for sale of property, said proposed division involving a non-conforming use of

the property, approved conditionally.

Application of John W. Barber to permit erection of a two car garage less than 30 feet from his side-lot line, approved.

Application of H. B. Knowles, Inc. for a variance to permit installation of new storage tanks and to relocate pumps at its garage, approved.

Application of Constantin A. and Olga Pertzoff for temporary permit for use of land and platform on their land for a non-profit dramatic enterprise, granted conditionally.

Application of Warren Olmsted for permission to permit a barn on his property to be equipped for family use as a play house, but not for residential purposes, approved.

Application of Maurice Leslie for a variance to permit construction of a residence on land with less than 80 feet on the line of way, approved.

Application of Lawrence L. Rowe for a re-hearing for a variance to permit alterations to his dwelling and also to construct a one-car garage, not conforming to the Zoning By-Law, alterations to his dwelling approved, construction of garage denied.

Application of Kennedy Brothers for permission to construct a dwelling on a lot not now conforming with the Zoning By-Law, approved.

Application of Antonio DiGiovanni for permission to keep and rent ponies, denied.

Application of Louis S. Albano to reconfirm the variance granted by the Board of Appeals to divide property into two building lots, approved.

Application of Antonio Di Giovanni for permission to construct two stands on non-conforming property, approved.

Application of Elizabeth M. Tracey for a variance to permit division of her land into two lots consisting of less than 80,000 square feet each, denied.

Application of Russell J. Dixon for a license to permit storage of plumbing and heating material in the basement and garage of his premises, no jurisdiction.

Application of Francis Umbrello for a renewal of a license to permit use of a trailer for sleeping quarters, approved for one year only.

Application of David F. Freeman for a variance to permit the alteration of lot lines between Lots 22 and 23 of Brown's Woods, Inc. development, approved.

Application of David Mark Ritson for a variance to permit construction on a non-conforming lot on Weston Road, approved.

Application of Joseph J. Antinarelli for a variance to build closer than the prescribed setbacks for lot lines, approved.

Application of Francis Umbrello for permission to sell loam accumulated in connection with an irrigation project, approved.

Application of E. W. Giles, Inc. for a license to store loam on property located in back of South Great Road, approved for two years only.

Application of Thomas X. Gounaris for a variance to permit building a garage about 14 feet from side lot line, granted with restrictions.

Application of Norman W. Hoar to allow continuance of the temporary kitchen in his home, granted for three years with restrictions.

Application of Walter M. Ennis for a variance to permit division of land on Baker Bridge Road into two lots, approved.

Application of Mary S. Henderson for a variance to permit the setting off of a 17-acre tract of land without adequate frontage on a Town way, approved.

Application of P. Bova Conte for a variance for permission to use gasoline tanks and pumps and existing buildings for the purposes of conducting a filling station, approved with restrictions.

Respectfully submitted,

Henry B. Hoover
John White
Thomas B. Adams
Elmer H. Ziegler
Elliott V. Grabill, Chairman

WATER DEPARTMENT

REPORT OF WATER COMMISSIONERS

The Board held 16 meetings during the year, and in addition occasionally examined with the Superintendent physical details in connection with application for water in subdivisions.

The following subdivisions were considered and acted upon:

1.	Brown's Woods, Inc.	23 lots
2.	Anthony Cassis	24 lots
3.	August Schumacher	17 lots
4.	James H. Carrig	48 lots
5.	Olga Pertzoff	6 lots
6.	Carleton W. Owen	7 lots

Raymond Emerson, Esq. gave about 50 acres of woodland to the Walden Pond Reservation. This lot lies in Lincoln between Route 126 and the Pond, and as the Board had already found some indications of well sites on this land, rights were reserved to Lincoln to investigate further for water, and, if found, to install and maintain facilities for its production and distribution.

A new Venturi meter, which records all the water pumped, was installed, replacing a fifty year old inaccurate one.

Installation of meters was completed, there being 880 in operation at the end of the year.

The special report of the 20 year Improvement Committee contains a list of necessary projects and estimated costs, with comments.

The Department has up-to-date printed regulations, and is careful in approving the plans for water systems in subdivisions to see that the regulations are adhered to, and also that the installation contractor follows them. If he fails, the Water Commissioners notify the Planning Board, and the approval of the subdivision will be at least delayed, or the Commissioners may require the contractors to furnish a bond guaranteeing to maintain his installation for a fixed number of years.

The Water Department has operated throughout the year with a working Superintendent and one man. The Superintendent is working or is on call practically all the time, but if he leaves town there is always a fill in.

PLANNING AND PUBLIC WORKS

The Commissioners wish to record their appreciation to the Superintendent and his assistant for the interest they exhibit in their work, and for their general efficiency and cooperation.

Water Department Statistics, January, 1956

Pipe in use	31.0 M.
Number of hydrants in use	233
Number of stop-gates in use	276
Number of blow-offs in use	27
Range of pressure on mains	40 - 100 lbs.
Total gallons pumped	96,000,000 gals.
Number of services added	46
Number of services renewed	8
Number of services in use	890
Number of meters in use	880

Respectfully submitted,

Henry Warner, Secretary
Edward S. Taylor
Sumner Smith, Chairman

INSPECTORS OF BUILDING, PLUMBING AND WIRING

Building permits issued during 1955:

New residential buildings	60
New non-residential buildings	11
Alterations and additions	25
Fees Collected	$344.00
Plumbing permits issued during 1955	80
Fees Collected	$146.00
Wiring permits issued during 1955	134
Fees Collected	$197.50

Walter Bergquist, Building Inspector
William M. Dean, Wiring Inspector
Daniel J. Murphy, Plumbing Inspector

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

The normal work of the Highway Department was carried on as usual. Considerable time was spent in the clean up of winter sand, particularly on Lincoln Road.

Approximately three miles of road was resurfaced with the "mixed-in-place" method instead of the usual oiling and sanding. Although more expensive, the "mixed-in-place" gives a better and longer lasting surface and tends to improve the contour of the road also.

In the fall heavy rains caused considerable damage to roads and culverts. Two of the latter have been replaced, one on Sandy Pond Road and one on Pierce Hill Road. The cost of this work was borne by the State Flood Relief Board.

Under Chapter 90 Maintenance, a system of drains and catch basins was installed on Bedford Road. Also sections of both South Great Road and Concord Road were surfaced by "mixed-in-place" method.

Under Chapter 90 Construction, the drainage for Trapelo Road was postponed because of the heavy rains and resultant damage. In 1956 both the drainage and reconstruction of the upper end of Trapelo Road is planned.

Respectfully submitted,

Raymond Maher, Superintendent

REPORT OF THE CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

Work of a maintenance nature continued to be the principal activity during the year.

Burials during 1955

Jan.	7	James E. Park
"	26	Herbert Lincoln Flint
March	27	William Burgess Rockwell
"	29	Benjamin Howe
April	19	Louise Ayer Hatheway
"	20	Marion Sherman Russ
"	21	Russell G. Crook
May	22	Kenneth Hartwell Bunker
June	10	Linda Dean
"	11	Alice Yeomans Lester
Aug.	23	John J. Kelliher
Sept.	15	Mabel J. Buchan
Oct.	29	Joseph M. Henley
Nov.	5	Mary Bolio
"	8	Robert R. Hunter
"	20	Annie Butcher
Dec.	28	Margaret J. Connair
"	28	William Bowles

For Report on Perpetual Care Funds and Cemetery Investment Fund, see Statistical Section.

Respectfully submitted,

George E. Cunningham
Robert D. Donaldson
Arnold MacLean

Cemetery Commissioners

REPORT OF COMMITTEE TO CONSIDER CREATING A DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

At the request of the Selectmen of the Town of Lincoln and by vote of the Town, it was:

Voted: That the Moderator appoint a committee of three registered voters to consider the advisability of creating a Department of Public Works, and report its findings to the Town not later than the 1956 Annual Meeting, and that the sum of $100.00 be raised and appropriated for the use of the committee.

The enabling legislation under which the Town may take this action is Chapter 101 of the Acts, 1953. This act has the following general provisions:

If the Town adopts the act,

1. A three member Board of Public Works must be elected.
2. This Board must assume the duties and responsibilities formerly borne by " ... road commissioners, surveyors of highways, superintendent of streets, water commissioners, sewer commissioners, municipal light board or commissioners, park commissioners, cemetery commissioners, tree warden, moth superintendent and forestry department, ..."
3. In addition, the Town may provide that this Board shall direct "... the furnishing of engineering services, the collection and disposal of garbage and refuse, the maintenance and repair of town buildings and property, and the performance of such duties of any other boards, departments and offices of the town as may be reasonably related to the duties and responsibilities of a department of public works ... "

This committee has met with all concerned Town Departments and has held three meetings with the Board of Selectmen. We have visited eleven towns of similar size and situation which have adopted this law or adaptations of it, or which have considered and rejected it.

The general purpose of this law is to provide for greater efficiency of operation of those services which it mentions and to relieve the Board of Selectmen and other boards of certain time-

consuming responsibility.

Of the eleven towns visited, none had an identical situation to that in Lincoln but all were similar. A conclusion expressed in a majority of the towns, regardless of their experience with a Department of Public Works, was that its' success would depend largely on the qualifications of the Superintendent appointed to administer it.

Another view was that political rivalry and buck-passing are likely to occur when a town has both Selectmen and a Department of Public Works.

It is the opinion of this committee that nothing is to be gained at present by creating a Department of Public Works in the Town.

We believe that the Water Department should remain a separate agency because of the nature of its problems. It is interesting to note that the Water Departments of the towns visited did not operate with labor from a general pool.

Although one purpose of the enabling Act is to relieve the Selectmen of certain responsibility and place it with another board which would have more time to handle it, this law, on the other hand, creates a Board having more duties and responsibilities than any we now have.

The departments as now organized will operate efficiently as long as they are supervised by well qualified personnel. To shift the departments from existing boards to a new one will not change this requisite, nor will it make easier the procurement of high grade superintendents. However, the future may make necessary and desirable a labor and equipment pool to undertake the growing physical services required by the Town. This can be accomplished by the adoption of a Town By-Law which is authorized by existing statute.

Your Committee therefore recommends, with the concurrence of the Selectmen, that no change in departmental set-up be made at the present time. We also recommend that the Selectmen bring the matter before the Town if, in the future, a labor and equipment pool would seem to be advantageous.

Respectfully submitted,

George G. Tarbell David L. Ammen

Sumner Smith, Chairman

LONG-TERM CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS COMMITTEE

Pursuant to the vote under Article 21 of the 1955 Annual Town Meeting, the Moderator appointed the undersigned to investigate the long-term capital requirements of the Town and report before the 1956 Town Meeting. At its first meeting, the Committee organized itself with William M. Rand, Chairman, and Charles P. Kindleberger, Clerk.

The Committee has met with the relevant Boards, committees and officers of the Town and discussed their plans. These have been evaluated in a report which is being published and distributed under separate cover. The cost of this printing, along with other expenses of the Committee, is covered out of the $100 appropriated in the original vote of the Town Meeting and $400 transferred from the Reserve Fund to the Committee by the Finance Committee, at the Committee's request, endorsed by the Board of Selectmen.

The separately published report, in addition to its evaluation of various proposals for capital improvements, summarizes recent expenditures on capital projects and makes certain recommendations for future planning of capital expenditures. An appendix contains a special study of the expenditure requirements of Lincoln roads.

Respectfully submitted,

William M. Rand, Chairman
Charles P. Kindleberger
Maurice E. Shank
Henry DeC. Ward for the Selectmen
Charles K. Fitts for the Finance Committee
Alan McClennan for the Planning Board

PROGRESS REPORT
of the
COMMITTEE FOR THE ACQUISITION OF PUBLIC LAND

At the Special Town Meeting, held June 6, 1955, the Moderator was instructed to appoint a committee of five to "investigate the matter of the acquisition of additional land for parks, playgrounds, or public domain, said committee to present a preliminary report and recommendations at the next annual Town meeting, said report to include information as to sites, areas, estimated costs, and, when possible, the attitude of any owners of land proposed for acquisition ....."

Since its organization, the committee has held nine meetings. Other town committees have met with the "Land Acquisition Committee". Their assistance, and that of other town citizens, is gratefully acknowledged. The committee has studied nine areas, suggested by the Planning Board, for possible public acquisition for recreational sites, protection of town water supply, and preservation of rural amenities. At this writing, the committee is in the process of preparing a preliminary report which will be published around the time of the Town meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

Albert Avery
Walter Bogner
Lucy E. Bygrave
Arthur T. Howard
Russell P. Mahan, Chairman

SCHOOL BUILDING COMMITTEE

REPORT OF ELEMENTARY SCHOOL BUILDING COMMITTEE

The Committee is happy to report that work on the addition did progress in a favorable manner, and the building was completed in ample time for occupancy at the beginning of the school season in September, 1955.

While the occupancy of the building has been satisfactory, there are still a few loose ends. The Committee will not consider the work satisfactorily completed until these loose ends have been fully and adequately taken care of from the point of view of the Town.

The Committee is also happy to report that, while the appropriations for the addition totaled $150,000.00, it now appears certain that more than $20,000.00 of the appropriation need not be used. While every effort was made by the Committee to provide a building which would be adequate and satisfactory to the School Committee and to the Superintendent, the Committee also stressed the desirability of keeping well within its budget. In situations of this sort, where the Town entrusts a Committee with funds for a building for educational purposes, the Committee feels it has a duty not only to provide an adequate and satisfactory building, but also to conserve funds to the extent possible.

Respectfully submitted,

Andrew J. Dougherty
Stanley Heck
Ernest P. Neumann
Elizabeth J. Snelling
Elliott V. Grabill, Chairman

Education and Recreation

REPORT OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Public libraries are as characteristically American as are public schools and are an important part of the educational system. With the growth of Lincoln, an increase in the physical needs of both must be obvious to everyone. To a great extent the needs of the schools are being fulfilled. The library needs are becoming urgent.

In ten years the number of borrowers has increased from 676 to 1,076 and the circulation from 12,289 to 22,922. Available book storage space has been utilized to the point where for each book added one must be discarded. In thirty years the number of books per capita has dropped from ten to five and a fair average for libraries of our size is seven plus. Lacking are a children's room and adequate stack room, librarian's room and public toilets.

The trustees have given much thought to the problem and have presented their views to the Committee on Future Capital Needs, who, in turn, have made recommendations in their report. It is hoped that the Town will give them serious consideration.

An increase in the Library budget for 1956 has been deemed necessary. Some items are necessary because of costs beyond our control and others from an economical view of meeting some immediate and near future needs at this time.

As has been true in the past, many persons have shown an interest in the Library and its services. Not the least of these have been our Librarian and her Assistants; Mr. Mann in the care of the tower clock; friends of the late Dr. Place and Mrs. Anna Bean; Mrs. Thiessen adds to the collection of books in memory of her daughter; and others with gifts of books and services. Following this report is a list of donors. We hope that there are no omissions, and, if so, they are unintentional and we trust will be forgiven.

The Librarian's report follows.

Alice G. Meriam
John W. Carman
Edmund W. Giles
George G. Tarbell
Roland C. Mackenzie
Trustees

LINCOLN LIBRARY

Open Monday, Wednesday and Saturday
from three to nine p.m.
Closed on legal holidays.

Statistics 1955

Number of volumes, January 1, 1955	15,644
Number of volumes added by gift	185
Number of volumes purchased	490
Number of volumes withdrawn	665
Number of volumes, December 31, 1955	15,654
Number of borrowers, December 31, 1955	1,076
Number of days open	151
Amount of fines collected	$440.40

Circulation

Fiction	6,747
Non-fiction	3,676
Juvenile	11,022
Periodicals	1,477
Total	22,922

List of Donors to the Library in 1955

Mrs. John Adams
Mrs. Lawrence B. Anderson
Mrs. Stuart B. Avery
Mrs. Henry S. Bean
Mr. Charles V. Briggs
Mrs. Secor Browne
Cambridge Research Center
Mrs. Edwin M. Cole
Cub Scout Pack Committee
Philip DeNormandie
Robert DeNormandie
Mr. Richard J. Eaton
Miss Olive B. Floyd
Ford Motor Company
Mrs. Norman W. Fradd
Miss Norma Fryatt
Girl Scouts - Troop 2
Mrs. Allen A. Griffin
Mr. Norman Hapgood
Dr. Joseph S. Hart
Mrs. Harry R. Healey
Mrs. Stanley Heck
Mrs. Elliott Hedge
Miss Jodie Henderson
Miss Carolyn Jagger
Mr. Henry B. Kane
Mrs. William T. King
Lincoln League of Women Voters
Miss Ruth Lyon
Mrs. Paul E. Marsh
Mrs. William J. McCune
Miss Leslie Miller
Mr. Dana Murphy
Miss Hazel H. Newton
Mr. Foster Nystrom
Miss Katherine O'Sullivan
Mrs. Jack W. Paulsen
Mrs. Neil H. Powell
Mrs. J. Leslie Rollins
Mr. John Sterner
Mr. George G. Tarbell
Miss Deborah Taylor
Mrs. John B. Tew
Mrs. Arthur E. Thiessen
Mrs. Quincy W. Wales
Miss G. H. Weston

BEMIS FREE LECTURES

The Trustees have been questioned increasingly as to why the Bemis Free Lectures are still held in the Town House when facilities superior for public lectures are available in the School. It is hoped by many that the legal obstacle, which now prevents the use of another location, could be changed. The Trustees welcome comments about this, especially wishing to hear if there is any opposition from any Lincoln citizens. Popular programs do tax the seating capacity of the Town House. Also should a change in location take place, lectures in which music plays a part could then be offered once again.

The Trustees are always grateful for program suggestions and those received have been often a source of the best lectures. There is a continuing effort to offer a range in subject matter.

Members of the audiences attending the lectures have noted with satisfaction the general good behavior of the young people, and the Trustees are grateful for the co-operation of parents in this matter.

Additions and changes in the mailing list should be sent to Mrs. Elizabeth Causer at the Town House.

Respectfully submitted,

Christopher W. Hurd, Chairman
Mabel H. Todd
Leonard C. Larrabee

REPORT OF THE MIDDLESEX COUNTY EXTENSION SERVICE FOR LINCOLN

The County Extension Service is a part of the Land Grant College System and is associated with the University of Massachusetts and the United States Department of Agriculture.

The three departments of the County Extension Service are Agricultural, Home Economics and 4-H Club Work.

In the Agricultural Department, formal programs are conducted in poultry, turkey, dairy, general livestock, fruit, vegetables, flowers, forestry, home gardening and landscape care. The agricultural program is conducted on a regional basis with many towns participating in the numerous meetings and other events.

The Home Economics Department program is designed to help the homemaker in her search for information regarding problems of home and family life. Subjects covered are foods and nutrition, clothing, home furnishings and management, family economics, child development and recreation. Meetings are held in local communities or on a regional basis depending on the subject.

4-H clubs offer opportunities to young people to learn more about all phases of Agriculture and Home Economics. The success of 4-H Club work depends entirely on the volunteer local leaders who freely give many hours teaching the projects carried on by the clubs. The excellent work done by these youngsters was exhibited at the 4-H Achievement Day in May and the Middlesex County 4-H Fair in August. A 4-H camp at Ashby is operated for weeks each summer and provides nature study, crafts, swimming and healthful living for the 4-H'ers of Middlesex County.

The 4-H clubs in Lincoln, with about 34 members, are the Horse Club, led by Mrs. John Carman with the assistance of Mrs. Arthur Thiessen and Mrs. Peter Helburn; and the Agricultural Club, led by the Messrs. Almon Huff, John Carman and William Ross. Among the achievements of members of these two local clubs in 1955 are: three County winners (achievement, sheep and poultry), a State and National winner in poultry, a delegate to the Junior Leaders' Conference at Amherst, a member of the County Poultry Judging Team, a member of the County Horse Judging Team and a winner of the Middlesex County Fair Association Special Award for Fitting and Showing (horses).

Respectfully submitted,

Robert D. Donaldson
Town Director

LINCOLN RECREATION COMMITTEE

The Summer Playground enjoyed its customary popularity as shown by a substantial increase in the number of young people attending this past summer as compared with the previous years.

With Albert Reed as supervisor, Pauline Ashness as instructor of handcraft and David Donaldson as junior instructor, a fine program of basketball, tennis, softball, baseball, croquet, horseshoe pitching, gymnastics, ping-pong and handcraft was offered to boys and girls between the ages of 8 and 14 years.

Professional tennis instruction was offered one afternoon a week for five weeks, and proved so popular that our plans for this year include an expansion of this activity.

Weekly cook-outs and picnics were also received enthusiastically, as well as several get-togethers with playgrounds from nearby towns and an occasional trip to Whalom Park and the annual field day.

This well-rounded program could not be carried on if it were not for the co-operation of the School Committee in making certain school facilities available, for which we are very appreciative.

The fall tennis tournament for adults had a record number of entries. Throughout the summer the courts were constantly in use and we believe that we have reached the saturation point of accommodation from two courts.

The winter program of badminton in the evening and basketball on Saturday afternoons is again proving popular with adults and young people.

We were fortunate to secure the services of Judith Sherman as a junior instructor when Albert Reed was forced to request a leave of absence for the remainder of the summer on August 1.

Respectfully submitted,

Albert Avery
John Carman
Astrid Donaldson
Roland Robbins
Edward D. Rooney
Sadie J. Sherman
David Todd
Ethan Murphy, Chairman

DeCORDOVA AND DANA MUSEUM AND PARK

Report of the Executive Director for the year 1955

In 1955 the deCordova Museum observed its fifth anniversary - five years of serving the public - five years which have shown steady growth in class enrollment and public interest. The exhibition policy of showing the best contemporary art regardless of style has won an ever-widening circle of devoted gallery visitors. The criticisms which are occasionally levelled at individual exhibitions are the same criticisms voiced nationally against the extremes of contemporary art. This is the healthiest kind of reaction and keeps all of us who work daily in this field alert to the constant necessity of examining our standards. The artist will paint - and will paint what interests him. We must do our best to select those who are outstanding for their artistic contributions. Our exhibition job thus becomes two-fold: to offer the most characteristic cross-section of current work available, and to offer a show place for the artist and public to meet.

In line with this policy, the Museum presented three large group shows last year. One, in particular, was of enormous public interest -- "American Painting, 1955," which opened on October 9, to celebrate the Fifth Anniversary of the Museum. Over 800 people came on the opening Sunday to view this exhibition which included almost all the leading American artists working today. "States and Territories," a travelling exhibit circulated by the Container Corporation of America, proved to be a popular group of paintings, especially interesting because of the unusual three dimensional display arrangement. "New Talent, USA," gave us the opportunity to present a number of younger painters and sculptors whose work had not been shown in Greater Boston. Some other highlights were two major architectural shows, a group of five photographers, three craft shows, and twelve one-man shows. In all, twenty-six separate exhibitions were held last year.

SCHOOL

No drastic changes occurred in the school program for 1955. Interest continued to run high as demonstrated by the fact that enrollment last fall reached a new high of 750, taxing available space and facilities to capacity. The addition of several new classes to the curriculum accounted for much of this increase; a course in Landscaping and Horticulture accounted for about 20

and a workshop course offered to elementary school teachers in the area "Understanding Children's Art," accounted for 20 more. The balance was distributed throughout the regularly scheduled classes.

I wish to express my thanks to the teaching staff for their consistently capable, sympathetic instruction and for their continued effectiveness in winning new friends for the Museum and for the arts. Maintaining the high standard of previous years, they have enabled us to offer not only a first-class adult education program, but also a children's program whose calibre, we quite candidly feel, is unsurpassed.

SPECIAL EVENTS

In a crowded schedule of concerts, lectures and special events in 1955, a few stand out in retrospect. The gala "Festival of Granada," an annual event, was imaginatively conceived and splendidly presented. The Co-Chairmen, Mrs. Elliott Hedge and Mrs. William Swift, their Committee and their countless assistants, receive our praise and thanks. This event, coupled with the successful Quest for Eldorado, added $1500 to the Museum Building Fund.

The Coronet Ball provided a social highlight of measurable proportions. The regally-outfitted lords and ladies of the realm, the only distantly related Monarch of the Jungle, the Monarch of the butterfly world -- all assembled in the Great Hall for an enchanting evening.

September saw a lawn party planned ostensibly to introduce the instructors of 1955-56. The drawing power was the Calypso magic of Bermuda's Talbot Brothers. Over 1000 captivated visitors thronged to the Museum for this musical party.

Highlighting the 1955 concert program was the second public performance of a dramatic composition for percussion, "Evolution," conducted by the talented composer Harold Farberman. Even the dubious went away convinced that this work was in itself an exciting performance and evidence of a creative talent of great potential.

A children's concert, unique in that the children sat among the performers, was presented to about two hundred parents and children Sunday, December 4th. The personal charm of Mr. Colin Slim, conductor of the performing group - The Concord Orchestra - and the novelty of watching the conductor and hearing

the instruments at close range combined to make the affair thoroughly enjoyable for all ages.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

January 22	JAZZ CONCERT - George Wein of Storyville (Preview opening of Stamos, Bliss, Siporin show)
January 23	THEODOROS STAMOS - "Why Nature in Art" - lecture
January 27	FRANCIS JUDD COOKE - "The Performer's Role in Music" - lecture
February 6	FAMILY CONCERT - "Old and Contemporary Music" - first in a series arranged by Anne Gombosi
March 4	ALAN SAPP - "The Composer's Role in Music" - lecture and concert with Allen Barker, Robert Brink and Jean Northrup
March 26	"THE CRAFTSMAN TODAY" - a forum with William Wyman, Norman Tannenbaum and Frederick Walkey
March 27	FAMILY CONCERT - "Pictures in Music" - for Easter
April 7	HAROLD SPROUL - "What Music Can Do" - lecture with concert of songs
April 24, May 4, 11, 18	WEAVING SEMINARS - lecture series by Edward Schwartz and Stanley Backer of M. I. T.
April 29	THE CORONET BALL - Annual Spring Dance
May 6	HANS KRIEKS - "Evolution of Contemporary Design" - lecture
May 20	MORNING CHORALE CONCERT - chorus under the direction of Mary Loud

May 22	FAMILY CONCERT - "The Serenade" - Berkshire Woodwind Quintet in an outdoor concert
June 11	THE FESTIVAL OF GRANADA - annual spring festival
September 18	INSTRUCTORS' PARTY - Calypso music with the Talbot Brothers
November 11	PERCUSSION CONCERT - The Boston Percussion Group, Harold Farberman, director
November 14 to 18	ANNI ALBERS - series of seminars on weaving and design
November 19	JOHN VAN KOERT - lecture on Scandinavian Crafts
December 4	CHILDREN'S CONCERT - The Concord Orchestra, Colin Slim, Conductor

ASSOCIATES

Each year, to date, I have been able to report an increase in the number of associates who have joined during the previous year. Happily, this year is no exception - we extend a welcome to ninety-two new associates. In many ways this is a measure of our success and an incentive to continue our efforts to keep the programs entertaining and of high standard, to provide exhibitions with variety and quality, to offer instruction consistent with the exacting standards of the past, and thus to warrant the faith of the 619 Associates of the deCordova Museum.

Respectfully submitted,

Frederick P. Walkey

Executive Director

DeCORDOVA AND DANA MUSEUM AND PARK

Report of the Directors
for the year 1955

The deCordova Museum has this year exhibited the same steady growth which has been characteristic of the past. Attendance, number of Associates, and class enrollment have all increased, and operation of the Museum runs smoothly.

Class enrollment has now reached the physical capacity of the Museum to contain it, and we, the Museum Directors, are aware that if the continued and increasing demand for more classes is to be satisfied, provision must be made for more class room space at the Museum.

We wish at this time to extend thanks to all those friends whose unselfish efforts have contributed so much to the success of the Museum, and to the staff, upon whose loyalty and perseverance the smooth functioning of the Museum depends.

Respectfully submitted,

Charles H. Blake, President
John Quincy Adams, Vice-President
Arthur E. Thiessen, Treasurer
Elizabeth J. Snelling, Clerk
Polly F. Brown
Stanley Heck
Helen Wiley

REPORT OF THE LINCOLN-SUDBURY REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

In March of 1955 the citizens of Lincoln and Sudbury elected three members of the Lincoln-Sudbury Regional District School Committee from each Town to serve one, two, and three year terms to replace the original Regional School Committee appointed to serve from April 7, 1954.

Sudbury citizens elected Mrs. Elizabeth B. Harding to serve a one year term, Luther M. Child, Jr. to serve a two year term, and Howard W. Emmons to serve a three year term. Lincoln elected Malcolm L. Donaldson to serve a one year term, William A. Wilson to serve a two year term, and Victor A. Lutnicki to serve a three year term. Four present members were members of the first Committee with Dr. Emmons and Mrs. Harding replacing John G. Woods and Robert S. Childs.

The Committee continued the planning of the high school building with the assistance of Anderson, Beckwith and Haible, Architects, and Dr. Herold C. Hunt, Dr. Douglass B. Roberts and Dr. Rexford S. Souder as Educational Consultants. Following publicly advertised bids the firm of J. F. Rand & Sons was awarded the contract on May 11, 1955, to construct the building. The building is about 60% completed at this time and is scheduled for occupancy in September, 1956.

The Committee has completed the purchase of two parcels of land included in the School Site. Negotiations with the owners of the remaining parcel, which was taken by eminent domain, are being handled for the Committee by its legal counsel, the firm of Ropes, Gray, Best, Coolidge and Rugg.

During the year, the Committee authorized two borrowings, one in the sum of $100,000, and a second in the sum of $1,400,000 to cover cost of land purchase, planning, constructing and equipping the building. Interest rates of 2.2% and 2.4% were bid by the low bidders.

After a thorough review of candidates for the position of Superintendent of Schools, the Committee selected Dr. Rexford S. Souder, Superintendent of the Sudbury-Wayland Schools. Dr. Souder assumed these duties in September. He also continued as Superintendent of the Sudbury Schools.

The Committee and Superintendent have given much time to the planning of the standards and organization of the professional staff, the curriculum, and student grouping and guidance policies. These policies are stated in a brochure which was distributed in January. They carry forward the determination of this Committee to provide an educational opportunity for our children which is of the highest quality.

The Committee has greatly appreciated the generous support of the townspeople and will continue to welcome suggestions for the effective development of our school.

Respectfully submitted,

Malcolm L. Donaldson
Howard W. Emmons
Elizabeth B. Harding
William A. Wilson
Victor A. Lutnicki, Vice Chairman
Luther M. Child, Jr., Chairman

LINCOLN-SUDBURY REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

Treasurer's Report

Cash balance, January 1, 1955		$ 7,855.90
Cash Receipts:		
Bond Issues	$1,500,000.00	
Premiums on Sales	1,696.00	
Interest on Sale	6.11	
Temporary Notes	400,000.00	
Town of Lincoln	9,885.00	
Town of Sudbury	16,020.00	
Commonwealth of Massachusetts	64,675.63	
Withheld Taxes	314.03	
Withheld Teachers Retirement	75.00	1,992.671.77
		$2,000,527.67
Cash Disbursements:		
U. S. Treasury Bills *	$ 646,365.50	
Temporary Notes	400,000.00	
Interest on Notes & Bonds	2,191.67	
Withheld taxes	106.27	
Withheld Teachers Retirement	75.00	
Contractor	552,325.00	
Architect	64,546.18	
Land acquisition & operating costs	29,290.59	1,694,900.21
Cash Balance, December 31, 1955		$ 305,627.46

* This item is the investment of temporarily excess cash. In 1956, we will receive income of $5,356.50 on investments made prior to February 15 and expect to invest additional amounts.

Lloyd W. Lovering
Treasurer

School Committee

Report

to the

Town of Lincoln

FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR 1954-1955

SCHOOL CALENDAR 1956-1957

September	3	Monday	Labor Day
	4-7	Tuesday-Friday	Staff Organization and Workshop
	10	Monday	School Opens
October	15	Monday	Columbus Day Recess
November	12-16	Monday-Friday	Education Week
	12	Monday	Veterans Day Recess
	22-23	Thursday-Friday	Thanksgiving Recess
December	21	Friday	Christmas Vacation, Closing
January	2	Wednesday	School Resumes
February	15	Friday	Winter Vacation, Closing
	25	Monday	School Resumes
March	22	Friday	Teachers' Visiting Day
April	12	Friday	Spring Vacation, Closing
	22	Monday	School Resumes
May	30	Thursday	Memorial Day
June	14	Friday	Summer Vacation, Closing
	14	Friday	Commencement
	17-21	Monday-Friday	Staff Organization and Workshop

Additional Calendar Data

It is planned to continue the policy of no school on Wednesdays for the first grade until the Christmas Vacation with the exception of October 17, November 14 and November 21.

Kindergarten morning and afternoon sessions will reverse on January 28, 1957.

Staff Meeting Half Days will be the second Wednesday of each month except September, December and June.

EDUCATION AND RECREATION

ORGANIZATION

	Term Expires
John W. Carman, Chairman	1956
(Mrs.) Elizabeth Donaldson	1957
Ernest P. Neumann	1958

Meetings: Regular: First Tuesday of each month: 7:30 P. M. at the Superintendent's Office. Cl. 9-8172

Called: Third Tuesday of each month usually and other meetings as stated; time and place designated.

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Douglass B. Roberts, Concord Road, Cl. 9-8760
Office at Smith School, Cl. 9-8172

SECRETARY TO SUPERINTENDENT

Solvay G. Valentine

BUILDING PRINCIPALS

Robert B. Patch
Smith School, Cl. 9-8333

Louis J. Sapienza
Center School, Cl. 9-8462

CLERKS

(Mrs.) Clara E. Powers, Smith School
(Mrs. Edith W. Harvey, Center School

CUSTODIANS

Harold V. Sheridan, Smith School
Charles Mayo, Smith School
Robert J. Hartel, Center School

OFFICE HOURS

School Days . . 8:30 A. M. to 4 P. M.
School Vacation . . 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

No-School Signals

Local signals will be given on our fire alarm system:

7:10 A. M.	3 - 3 - 3 repeated at
7:15 A. M.	3 - 3 - 3

Radio station announcements will be read between the period of 6:30 and 7:30 A. M. On stormy mornings, if convenient, tune in on two or more stations since it is not always possible to get messages through to several stations in the brief time allotted us. Please refrain, too, from tying up local phone lines to school officials and bus operators during the morning hour, 6:30 - 7:30. We try to contact all of the following when it is necessary to announce "No School":

WBZ	1030K	WHDH	850K
WEEI	590K	WNAC	680K

If an announcement is read "No School - All Schools" it will mean that no buses will operate and high school pupils will govern themselves accordingly. Announcements referring to Lincoln and merely stating "No School" will apply to elementary pupils only.

During extremely stormy or cold weather, parents are urged to exercise their own judgment in sending the younger children.

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE
1955

The year 1955 saw a continuation of the efforts on the part of the community, the school staff, and the school administration to make the Lincoln Schools outstanding.

There were five resignations from the staff as of the close of the school year. To provide for the additional enrollment, of which part resulted from providing an eighth grade for the Town of Sudbury, four additional teachers were added to the staff. The net result of filling the above vacancies was an overall strengthening of the teaching staff.

As the school has grown and the number of class sections has increased, the amount of time per class in art, music, physical education and shop has been reduced. It is expected that this condition can be improved in two fields by employing jointly with the Regional High School District two teachers whose time will be divided between the two schools. The Budget recommendation makes provision for this possibility.

In September the four new classrooms, which serve as homerooms and are designed especially for music, art, science and home arts, were placed in service. This makes possible more effective conduct of these special programs.

Use of the gymnasium-auditorium has shown steady increase. The Town Recreation Committee is carrying on a Badminton program two nights weekly as well as a basketball session for high school age on Sunday afternoons. Boy Scouts and Cub Scouts use the gym frequently. The personnel at the Nike Base are using the gym for recreation one night weekly. It is gratifying to report that between the recreational programs, scouts, and other activities sponsored by community organizations, there is little time unscheduled in the gymnasium-auditorium. With the acquisition of new power tools in the school shop an adult evening class in woodworking, under the direction of the shop teacher, has been undertaken. As long as interest continues the program will be repeated.

During the year the School Committee devoted considerable time in developing future plans. Based on the prevailing rate of increase in enrollment it appears that by 1958 we will very probably see classes of a size requiring division into four sections. Knowing that deliberate planning pays dividends, the committee recommends that the Town vote the appointment of a Building

Committee under an Article inserted in the Warrant. This subject was reviewed in detail with the Long Term Capital Requirements Committee.

The question of establishing District Schools was carefully considered, but for educational reasons as well as reasons of administration and effective use of school plant, the committee recommends a continued central use of the two existing schools. No recommendation as to the placement of further classrooms at either the Center School or the Smith School has been developed at this time.

Enrollment in Kindergarten through eighth grade on October 1, 1955, was 643, of which 74 were eighth graders from Sudbury under our agreement to exchange our ninth grade for their eighth. The Lincoln enrollment on October 1, 1955, was 569. It is estimated that enrollment on October 1, 1956, will be 604 or an increase of 35 which is in line with previous rates of growth.

The Committee discussed the proposed Airport Housing Development with the Base Commander and his staff in late December. At the time of writing this report no definite recommendations have been formulated. This development will continue to receive active attention.

Incorporated in the Budget Recommendation for 1956 is a proposed change in the policy dealing with teachers' salaries. The post-war pattern for administration of teaching salaries started with the establishment of a salary schedule with a minimum, an annual rate of increase and a maximum attainable after a given number of years of service. As salary adjustments became necessary the salary schedule was usually increased by a fixed amount in all categories.

In your committee's opinion this practice has reached a point of diminishing return because, by across-the-board raising of schedules, mediocre and average performance was rewarded in the same degree as was an outstanding teaching job. After much investigation and careful consideration a program has been developed by which the teaching staff, after preliminary trial years, are paid based on performance and competence.

In addition to the institution of a merit basis for salary administration, it is proposed to employ about 1/3 of the staff through the summer on the planning and development work necessary to the improvement of our schools. This latter step, if successful, may be expanded to include a greater proportion of the staff in

future years.

The salary policy recommended provides a fully competitive minimum starting salary for the regular school year of $3350. After the preliminary trial years, teachers of superior ability may be transferred to the summer program and paid based on competence and merit. The minimum salary in this category is $3900 for twelve months service and outstanding teachers may reach $8400 in fifteen to twenty years.

It is the committee's opinion that this program will result in the development of a core of outstanding teachers supplemented by less experienced, promising prospects.

The institution of this policy involves an added expenditure, the details of which are shown in the Report of the Superintendent of Schools. It is the committee's opinion that to remain competitive in the teaching field and at the same time attract and retain outstan ding personnel, the increased funds for teaching salaries can best be spent rewarding superior performance and greater experience. A detailed definition of the policy and the basis for administration is available in the Superintendent's Office.

Respectfully submitted,

John W. Carman, Chairman
Elizabeth Donaldson
Ernest P. Neumann

Lincoln School Committee

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Buildings

In September four new rooms were opened for use at the Smith School. Advantage was taken of the physical placement of these new rooms at the stage end of the gymnasium by planning them for instruction in the special areas of Art, Music, Science, and Home Arts. The former Music room was converted to Kindergarten and the former Art room to a regular classroom - both at negligible cost. As a result the upper grades, which use the special facilities more frequently, and the Kindergartens are more effectively separated from the other grades.

The Kindergartens are housed at Smith School in what is now a wing by itself. Center School accommodates the first, second, and third grades except for one third grade section, which is at Smith School with the intermediate grades. With the Sudbury children in grade eight, this grade is organized into four sections. It is planned to organize next year's eighth grade into three groups in order to maintain our class sizes at not more than twenty-five pupils. The two teachers who were hired for the eighth grade will then be absorbed by our own needs since we will be operating with all grades on a three section basis for the first time. It is anticipated that by September, 1958, we will have reached the point where several of the grades will be so large as to necessitate division into four sections. It is recommended that the study of the School Building needs be continued in order to be prepared to meet the space needs when this happens.

Program

In September, 1955, the program for the upper three grades was changed to provide more effective instruction in Manual Arts for boys and Home Arts for girls. Each seventh and eighth grade pupil has a double period per week (about 90 minutes) in these subjects and each sixth grade pupil has a single period. The Home Arts room has been equipped with two unit kitchens and six sewing machines so that the girls can learn the rudiments of both cooking and sewing. While storage space is almost entirely lacking in the shop, equipment has been provided to give the boys an opportunity to create small projects with hand tools and the basic power woodworking tools.

In line with our long range plan there has been budgeted money to employ another teacher in September, 1956. This teacher will

probably be in the field of Physical Education, although a joint study is being conducted with the Regional High School District and Sudbury Superintendent to explore the possibilities of joint employment of personnel in Art and Music as well as Physical Education.

1955 is the second year in which one teacher has been assigned to a class for Language Arts, Social Studies, and Guidance. During this past year the importance of the guidance functions of these teachers has been apparent. The teachers involved have met to examine the effectiveness of the present program and to plan for its improvement. This plan of grouping these three subjects under one teacher has been one of the most important results of our staff meetings. Already the work being done under guidance has shown results.

Assembly programs are on a more frequent schedule and have improved in quality. In September, two of the staff volunteered to serve as a faculty assembly committee. A variety of programs have been presented with some of them growing out of the regular class work and some coming from homeroom activities.

Pupils in the upper grades have shown an increased desire to work for the improvement of the school. Both the Student Council and the Safety Patrol, under the guidance of faculty sponsors, have taken a more active part in school affairs than in past years.

1955 has also seen an increase in the use of educational trips as a teaching device. These trips have grown out of the regular classroom work. Pupils involved have planned the trip with the teacher and have evaluated the trip when they returned to the classroom. Among the places visited have been the Iron Works in Saugus, Science Park, Sturbridge Village, and the Aeolian-Skinner Organ Factory.

Again this year, a program of clubs has developed to complement several areas of instruction in grades 6-7-8. During one period a week groups of pupils with common interests meet in such clubs as Sports, History, Science, Art, Newspaper, Dramatics, Hobby, Band, and Shop. In several cases parents have given their time and talents to help youngsters in these club activities.

Special Areas

Reading

Just under sixty students from grade two through eight are meeting in small groups of no more than eight - some four times a

week - others twice - in the effort to improve their reading.

Although there will always be a few students who will need assistance in this area, our program should lean more and more toward the developmental rather than the remedial angle. This would include all students, not stopping at the fifth grade, but continuing through the eighth. For those teachers at the junior high level who have not had any definite training in teaching reading it is proposed that a file of reading references be developed through the next few years and that in-service training be expanded to provide them with the necessary skills.

Testing

To date this year, twenty-five new students from neighboring cities and states have been given aptitude and achievement tests before being assigned to their classrooms - ten of them during the two weeks previous to the commencement of the fall session.

Individual intelligence tests (Stanford-Binet) are being administered to the eighth grade since this is the only group who were not so tested at the time of their school entrance. The results of these tests together with those of the annual achievement tests will provide the high school guidance personnel with as much data as can be obtained by testing.

A committee of six teachers has been meeting to study our testing program. As a result of their study it is recommended:

(a) that in addition to the general achievement tests given in the Spring a series of diagnostic tests be given in the Fall to be used by the teachers in planning their work for the year,

(b) that the Binet be postponed until the end of the first grade since the reliability of this test is greater at this age than at younger ages, and

(c) since no test can be found that adequately measures first grade achievement, that the first grade be tested with one in arithmetic and reading constructed by our own personnel. (Our first graders consistently score so high on standardized tests that there is little predictive value).

Shop

The Shop has been expanded materially with the addition of six new pieces of machinery; a circular saw, band saw, jig saw, drill press, lathe, and jointer. Each of the machines, with the exception of the circular saw, is being operated by the upper class students. Every machine used by the students is one that can be purchased for the home workshop in later life. The boys are not learning to be machine operators but are learning about the machines, their cost, what they will do and what can be accomplished with them at home as beneficial future hobbies. The younger students in the shop are learning about hand tools and how to use them advantageously as well as about costs, quality, and capacities.

A new course, on an experimental basis, is being instituted in the way of a shop club. Ten students have been selected to study basic electronics for a period of six months. During the course, they will assemble complete five-tube superheterodyne radios as powerful as the average home receiver. The object of the course is to give the boys a basic knowledge of various electronics parts, equipment, and terminology.

Home Arts

The Home Arts Department's objective is to develop a sense of responsibility in the girls. Its chief aims are to teach the basic workings of a kitchen, to enable the girls to prepare simple meals and to learn the value and necessity of nutrition. In the field of clothing, the aim is to have the girls learn simple clothing construction - to learn to use the machines and attachments and to follow a pattern. The choice of colors and styles is also stressed.

Physical Education

The Physical Education Program is based on the individual needs of the children. Its aim is to give them a chance to discover their own physical abilities and to develop confidence in the functioning of their bodies. Each child has the need to play and compete with others in wholesome activities that develop coordination, skill and daring. Varying rates of growth and development necessitate a broad field of activities that will meet the interests of all. Many of the activities are co-educational or co-recreational to further the social development of the child.

All children from Kindergarten through grade five have from twenty to forty-five minutes per week instruction by the Physical Education Supervisor, supplemented by frequent opportunities pro-

vided by their classroom teachers to develop the skills and attitudes taught. Activities such as rhythm games, folk dances, calisthenics, gymnastics and games of throwing, running, catching, jumping, etc. are engaged in to develop balance, coordination, muscular development, and friendly competition.

Grades 6-8 are divided so that both boys and girls have two 45 minute periods per week with the Physical Education Supervisor.

Skills are taught as a unit program that is divided into seasons. The Fall program for girls consists of Field Hockey, Goal Line Soccer and dancing rhythms. For boys: Touch Football, Soccer Speedball and Flickerball. In the Winter season: basketball, volleyball, badminton, gymnastics, tumbling, indoor hockey, ping pong, shuffleboard, bowling, and square dancing. In the Spring: baseball, softball, track and tennis. Field Hockey was played for the first time this year and it was a big success with girls from 6, 7 and 8 competing in class and also in an intra-mural tournament.

The intra-mural program gives all children a chance to exercise their skills at recess time and after school. Inter-class and individual competition is held in the following sports: soccer, field hockey, kick ball, tug-o-war, basketball, volley ball, newcomb, touch football, softball, track, speedball, tennis, badminton and ping pong.

Sportsmanship and good health habits are stressed in all parts of the physical education program.

Inter-scholastic sports give the more advanced students a chance to compete in gymnastics, basketball and baseball.

Art

The objectives in the Art Program are basically the same for all grades. Through different methods the following is being encouraged:

(1) Expression - opportunities for self-expression to develop imagination and observation essential in enlarging and enriching educational horizons - desire to look further into art materials.

(2) Proper use and care of tools.

(3) Sound critical judgment as common meeting ground in individual and group work. Ability to enjoy, understand, and appreciate materials, organization

and meaning of his work and work of others.

(4) Understanding of art in relation to individual and society.

The problem of expression is not great in the primary grades, for the children are usually imaginative and free in their actions and find great delight in manipulating materials. But in the fourth and fifth grades, as the children become more conscious and critical of their own efforts, expression becomes more important and individual help is necessary. Keeping drawings large, filling the paper, are extremely important; for the free handling of art materials helps the child to forget detail and concentrate on what he has to say.

Motivation is introduced by using advanced materials such as pastel, fresco, charcoal, and watercolor. Third dimensional paper work has also provided a new outlet and increased desire for expression.

The sixth, seventh, and eighth graders had more advanced work with the above mentioned media and other media not introduced in the lower grades. Such materials as paper mache; melted crayon, water color, crayon, pencil, pastel, string, crepe paper, cotton, buttons, rolls have proved invaluable in arousing ideas from some of the less imaginative students.

Music

The Music Department is endeavoring to keep "in line" with the broad school program while moving ahead as a vital subject itself. The primary approach to giving the children specific musical knowledge, appreciation, and a medium for creative expression has been through singing. A second approach to the same objectives has been through instrumental work - rhythm bands, recorder ensembles, band, and orchestra as time and abilities permitted.

In the short time since September an encouraging change has been noticeable in the children's attitude toward music, in the level of their skills and techniques, in their interest in creation, and in their desire to do the necessary drudgery and repetitive work to produce a finished project of which they can be proud. All our equipment - books, records, phonographs, instruments, etc. - is in constant demand. The children have been encouraged to listen to music at home on radio, television, and recordings and to share their experiences with their classmates. Likewise, they have been

encouraged to take their musical experiences home as a medium for creation and enjoyment.

The "program" has been invaluable in stimulating the accomplishments of the young people, particularly in the upper grades. So, too, has been the orchestra, which has made a rapid development both in size and production. The Christmas singing by the eighth grade and the special program by the seventh grade attest to the interest, willingness, and accomplishment of these pupils. The sixth grade is particularly anxious to produce something of its own and all are looking forward to the Spring Operetta as a group project.

Mental Health

A two year study of interested citizens and staff has resulted in the first experimental step in providing mental health as well as physical health services. A psychiatrist has been added to our staff to assist the teachers in their work with some of the more difficult behavior problems that are encountered. He comes to Lincoln two afternoons a month, at which time teachers voluntarily make appointments to discuss with him problems on which they feel the need of help. The emphasis is on prevention and increasing the teacher's ability to meet such situations adequately. The psychiatrist will not engage in therapeutic activities with individual children, nor is this service available to parents.

Personnel Policy

A major change has been made in our personnel policies and is a change from an "automatic" salary policy to a "flexible" salary policy with each teacher's compensation being determined by his value to Lincoln because of his competence, his training, his experience, and market conditions. Since this far reaching decision has been made in order to provide better teachers in a rapidly stiffening market at a price that will buy quality without over rewarding mediocrity, a description of the new policy and the reasons for its being is presented.

The policy includes three innovations. The first is a classification of teachers into five groups, each of which has a separate salary range. Secondly, within each classification there is an evaluation at the end of each three years. The results of the accumulated judgments at this point will determine whether or not a particular teacher advances in salary. Thirdly, the teacher's contract is extended to cover the full year so that time for and control of the necessary planning and evaluating activities is provided.

Finding teachers in the next few years will be increasingly difficult. We believe that raising standards rather than lowering them will make this the kind of school that will attract the ones we want to fill our needs. The best teachers look first for an opportunity to do a job. This includes small classes, adequate supplies, attractive rooms, constructive community cooperation, freedom from administrative dictatorship, and time to do the many things necessary in addition to classroom teaching. In a salary they look for a competitive beginning pay, a chance to advance through personal contributions, and eventually a career salary which will let them live like the people of the community in which they are working.

On our part we are looking for teachers who are intelligent, creative, and not "security minded". Knowledge of subject matter and skill in teaching methods and techniques are only part of the equipment of the best teachers. Skill in human relations, mental health, and good personal habits are also essential in a top-notch teacher.

We believe that the policy as developed will accomplish several objectives. We believe that it will

a) secure for us the best candidates in adequate numbers to fill our needs in the highly competitive market,
b) increase the pool of better teachers by attracting choice quality young people into the profession,
c) encourage personal initiative of teachers,
d) develop morale and "esprit de corps", and
e) create the machinery for the town to pay adequately for good teaching without rewarding mediocrity.

These policies have been developed cooperatively by the staff, administration, and School Committee. Currently the staff is engaged in developing criteria for teacher evaluation and a plan for this summer's work which, it is anticipated, will be carried out by ten teachers - the first group to be included in the full year employment.

Respectfully submitted,

Douglass B. Roberts

Superintendent of Schools

SCHOOL NURSE'S REPORT

To the School Committee:

A report of school nursing for the year ending December 31, 1955, is hereby submitted.

Schools have been visited daily. There have been 384 office calls for treatment or advice; 46 pupils were taken home; 231 home calls to check on absentees.

Pupils have been weighed and measured at least twice and scalps examined.

Audiometer tests were given with three pupils showing defective hearing in one or both ears; all visited their family physician and are under treatment or observation.

Vision testing showed six pupils had defective sight, four are now wearing glasses, one under treatment.

Children entering kindergarten and others, new to the first grade, were requested to have a physical examination. Examinations were done by their family physician or by Dr. Davies at the Well Child Conference. All but three pupils had their physicals, and with the three religious objection was the reason. Sixteen children were vaccinated, 22 received Triple Antigen, and 18 a "Booster". This made the kindergarten 98% protected.

Three pupils were taken to Middlesex Sanatorium for Chest X-Rays; 3 were taken by their parents; 12 teachers had X-Rays, all negative.

I assisted Dr. Sisson with a few pupil physical examinations. Parents responded 87% to the school request for Family Physician examination of their child if in the 3rd or 6th grade.

I assisted Dr. Farrell with oral examination of each pupil and with dental clinic two half days a week. Dr. Farrell visited three classrooms at Center School and three at Smith School giving an oral talk and showing posters.

I have had many chats with pupils, either in their class room or in my office - topics varied as to age and the need at the moment. Teacher and nurse conferences are many.

I attended four School Nurse's Institutes, held in Newton -- all very interesting.

There were 54 cases of measles; 31 cases of chicken pox; 1 case of mumps; 2 cases of poliomyelitis.

Respectfully submitted,

Marian N. Ober, R. N.

School Nurse

EDUCATION AND RECREATION

SCHOOL CENSUS

A. Distribution of Minors by Age and Sex October 1, 1955	5 years or over and under 7	7 years and under 16
1. Boys	84	255
2. Girls	62	265
Totals	148	520

B. Distribution: Location		
1. In public day school	131	474
2. In private schools	14	44
3. Not enrolled in schools	2	0
4. Special - Elementary	1	2
Totals	148	520

VOCATIONAL SCHOOL ENROLLEES

October 1, 1955

1. Newton Trade School	3
2. Norfolk County Agricultural School	1
3. Rindge Technical High School	1
Totals	5

TUITION PUPILS ATTENDING SECONDARY SCHOOLS

Outside of Lincoln
October 1, 1955

School	Grade 9	10	11	12	Totals
Concord	0	0	18	11	29
Weston	0	25	9	6	40
Totals	0	25	27	17	69

NON-TUITION PUPILS ATTENDING SUDBURY HIGH SCHOOL

Grade 9	25

AGE - GRADE TABLE
October 1, 1955
Ages by Sex

Grade	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	Totals
	4		5		6		7		8		9		10		11		12		13		14		15		
Kdg.	13	3	29	19																					64
Grade 1			8	6	29	23	2																		68
Grade 2					12	5	20	31	1	1															70
Grade 3							8	6	28	33	3	1													79
Grade 4									5	6	27	23	2												63
Grade 5											7	6	20	27	4	1									65
Grade 6													5	7	22	22	2	1							59
Grade 7															5	7	19	24	2	1	1				59
Grade 8																	7	19	28	29	14	12	5		114 *
Totals	13	3	37	25	41	28	30	37	34	40	37	30	27	34	31	30	28	44	30	30	15	12	5		641 *

* Includes 72 pupils from Sudbury

PER PUPIL COSTS - 1955

1.	Population of Town (1955 Census)			2,949
2.	Average School Membership			672
3.	Equalized Valuation, per pupil			7,213.57
4.	Operating Expenditures for Schools			223,807.76
5.	Receipts Accredited to Schools			49,677.00*
6.	Net Expenditures from Local Taxation			174,130.76*
7.	Expenditures per pupil			333.05
8.	Per Pupil Net Expenditures from Local Taxation			259.12*
9.	Receipts per Pupil			73.92
10.	Transportation:	Elementary	High School	Total
	Number of Pupils	579	93	672
	Mileage	26,195	30,354	56,549
	Expenditures	12,549.57	13,883.88	26,433.45
	Expenditures per Pupil	21.67	149.29	39.34

* Based on Estimated Receipts

SCHOOL EXPENDITURES AND PROPOSED BUDGET FOR 1956

		Expended 1954	Expended 1955	Proposed 1956
I.	General Control:			
	Salaries	$ 12,861.79	$ 14,665.80	$ 11,350.00
	Other Expenses	1,247.73	1,682.05	2,080.00
II.	Instruction:			
	Salaries	86,518.04	106,317.06	138,354.00
	Other Expenses	8,651.30	11,771.96	12,433.00
III.	Operation			
	Salaries	8,434.64	8,864.27	9,040.00
	Fuel	6,357.19	7,378.46	8,400.00
	Other Expenses	5,061.35	5,510.60	5,750.00
IV.	Maintenance			
	Repairs & Upkeep	3,927.97	5,953.83	4,575.00
V.	Auxiliary Agencies			
	Health	963.44	1,013.70	1,360.00
	Transportation	23,247.43	26,433.45	27,116.00
	Tuition	31,699.13	31,416.29	18,536.00
	Other Expenses	198.12	244.49	394.00
VI.	Vocational	1,241.62	1,270.68	1,165.00
VII.	New Equipment	1,975.11	1,285.12	1,466.00
	Totals	$ 192,384.86	$ 223,807.76	$ 242,019.00

BUDGET CHANGES

In the past the school budget has reflected the costs of both elementary and high school education. In the future this budget will reflect only the costs of the elementary school. 1956, however, is a transition year in which part of the high school costs appear in this budget and part in the budget of the Regional High School District. For this reason a detailed description of the major changes is offered.

Tuition is reduced because these costs are transferred to the Regional District after September 1, 1956.

The reduction in salaries under General Control is an accounting change to conform to our state system of financial reporting. It is caused by transferring salaries of school clerks to Instructional Salaries leaving only the salary of the Superintendent and his secretary under General Control Salaries.

In addition to clerk's salaries, the costs of substitute teachers and handwriting instruction are included in the Instructional Salary amount. Of the remainder the salary of the two additional teachers employed for the enlarged eighth grade is properly a high school cost since it is an expenditure in lieu of tuition in the Sudbury-Lincoln eighth-ninth grade exchange. The analysis is further complicated because the school year does not coincide with the budget year. Differences between the 1955 and 1956 budgets are affected by operating policies of three school years, namely 1954-55, 1955-56 and 1956-57. The following table is presented to show the direct comparison between elementary teacher's salaries:

	1955	1956
total instructional salaries	$106,317	138,354
less clerks, substitutes, handwriting (including accounting change in 1956)	1,772	6,270
total teacher salaries	104,545	132,084
less salaries in lieu of high school tuition	3,320	5,730
elementary teacher salaries	$101,225	$126,354
		101,225
Increase in Elementary Teacher Salaries		$ 25,129

Budget amounts for teacher's salaries are affected by six factors.

(1) Enlarged staff in September, 1955. The two teachers

who were employed at this time to meet our own elementary needs are paid for the 1955-56 school year. The portion of these salaries due from January 1 to June 30, 1956, is a new item in the 1956 budget. This amount is $5,660.

(2) Replacement. When a teacher leaves, her replacement is seldom employed at exactly the same amount. To replace nine teachers in September, 1955, contracts were made which resulted in an additional sum in 1956 of $1,007.

(3) Enlarged staff proposed for September, 1956. Because we will graduate two of our own eighth grades and take in three first grades, one teacher is needed. Another is needed to form three sections from the present seventh grade in accordance with established policy. A third is proposed to restore service lost in special fields because of increased enrollments. The salaries of these three from September 1 to December 31, 1956, is a new item in the 1956 budget. This amount is $5,240.

(4) Scheduled increases. If no salary policy changes were made, the existing policy would provide for scheduled raises. While some of these are, in 1956, absorbed in the merit salaries under the new policy, the total is included here in order to present clearly the additional cost of the new policy. These scheduled increases for thirty-one teachers amount to $5,750.

(5) Merit salary policy. The cost in 1956 of this plan is the amount by which the proposed salaries of ten teachers (the first group to be transferred) is greater than the salaries which would have been paid otherwise. This amount is $3,900.

(6) Elimination of optional pay plan. For some time our teachers have had the option of having part of their salary withheld for payment during July and August. With the proposed change to a fifty-two week term of employment, this option becomes unnecessary. The amount which was withheld from the salaries of the anticipated career-merit teachers from September to December is due them by June 30. It has therefore been included in the 1956 budget and totals $3,572.

Thus the increase of $25,129 in salary costs for the budget year 1956, breaks down as follows:

Added Staff employed September 1955 (two teachers)	$ 5,660
Increase due to staff turnover	1,007
Added Staff proposed for September 1956 (three teachers)	5,240
Scheduled Increases	5,750
Merit Salary Policy	3,900
Elimination of Optional 12 month pay plan	3,572
	$25,129

EDUCATION AND RECREATION

GRADUATED IN JUNE, 1955

GRADE VIII

John Adams
Karen S. Anderson
Michael P. Belanger
Patrick R. Browne
Philip Yardley Cannon
Robert Laurent Cannon
Cynthia Chapin
Douglas Donaldson
Jennifer Bliss Fairbanks
Donald J. Flannery, Jr.
Dennis F. Foley
Andrew Peter Fournier
Betty Ann Hall
George Jeffrey Haworth
Louise B. Healey
Caroline Howell Heck
Carleton Homer Huff
Merrill Elizabeth Hunt
Charles Dabney Hurd
Patricia Marie Keene
Ruth Holland Ladd
Paul Oliver Lawton
Martha Jean Leslie
Jairus Y. Lincoln
Anna Louise Lutnicki
Thomas G. Mayo
Christopher Brown Militzer
Stephen E. Moore
Sally Morris
Kenneth Roger Murray
Margaret Patterson
Cynthia Elaine Roberts
Mary Caroline Rogers
Robert S. Ross
Jacqueline Seeckts
Peter Charles Schlaifer
Charles Sheridan Styron
John Griswold Webb, Jr.
Grant Miner Wilson

CONCORD HIGH SCHOOL

Carolyn Brown
Richard Chadwick
Cynthia Corrigan
Richard Dunbrack
John Fitzgerald
Daniel Guirleo
Margaret Lahnstein
John Mayo
Patricia Neary
Jean Rando
Richard Rice
Richard Robbins
Margaret Rooney
Charles Snelling
Richard Tandy
Robert Tracey
Elizabeth Williamson

WESTON HIGH SCHOOL

Amelia Joan Argento
Stephen Spooner
Claora Styron
Andrew Lex Taylor

HONORS

Stephen Spooner	Lincoln Scholarship, Weston
Claora Styron	Scholarship Womans Community League of Weston; 2nd prize Sears Essay Contest
Andrew Lex Taylor	3rd prize Sears Essay Contest; 2nd prize 2nd best exam. on the Constitution by Woman's Auxiliary of Weston
Annie Murphy	Lincoln Scholarship, Concord
Richard Tandy	Lincoln Scholarship, Concord

STAFF ROSTER - JANUARY 1, 1956

Name	Position	Training	Appointed
Douglass B. Roberts	Superintendent of Schools	Tufts College, B.S., M. A. Harvard, Ed.D.	1953
Robert B. Patch	Principal Smith School	State Teachers' College, Fitchburg B. S. Ed.	1952
Louis J. Sapienza	Principal Center School	Boston University B. S. Ed.	1950
Phyllis Johnson	Grade One	Lesley College, B. S. Ed.	1946
Augusta F. Sisk	Remedial & Testing	Boston University B. S. Ed., Ed. M.	1946
Ann G. Paranya	Language Arts	S.T.C. Montclair, N. J., A. B.	1949
Irma Antonangeli	Grade Four	Fitchburg S.T.C. B. S. Ed.	1950
Hazel Flagg	Grade Five	Sargent	1951
Miriam Zartarian	Art	Tufts College, B. S. Ed.	1951
Joan B. Warren	Kindergarten	Boston University B. S. Ed., Ed. M.	1951
Jane L. Brown	Grade Two	Boston University B. S. in Elem. Ed.	1953
Priscilla Cook	Grade Three	Mt. Holyoke, B. A.	1953
Marion T. Howard	Mathematics	Gorman S. T. C.	1953
Priscilla M. Lahar	Grade Two	Boston University B. S. Ed.	1953
Albert S. Reed	Physical Education	Springfield College B. S., M. Ed.	1953

Name	Position	Training	Appointed
Mary G. Swalen	Grade One	Univ. of Cal., Berkeley, B. A.	1953
George Drake	Shop	Univ. of Washington, A.B.	1954
Robert A. Leach	Social Studies	Univ. of Alabama A. B.	1954
Myrtle Webb	Grade Four	Boston University B. S.	1954
Harry T. Burke	Social Studies	Univ. of So. Cal. B. S. Ed., Boston University, M. S. E.	1955
Winona Church	Grade One	Univ. of Michigan A. B. Ed.	1955
Mary Helen Colby	Grade Five	Wellesley College B. A., Harvard, Ed.M.	1955
Julia Cole	Grade Three	Salem T. C.	1955
Elizabeth Derby	Music	Univ. of Cincinnati B. S. Ed. Cincinnati Conservatory, B. M.	1955
Jerome R. Derwallis	Social Studies	Rhode Island School of Design, B. F. A.	1955
Alice Epstein	Grade Four	Simmons College, B. S., Harvard College, Ed. M.	1955
Timothy Rhodes	Mathematics	Harvard College, A. B.	1955
Mary Salvucci	Home Arts	Masson College, B. S.	1955

Name	Position	Training	Appointed
Janice Simons	Grade Five	Russell Sage College, B. A. Oneonta S.T.C. M. S.	1955
Dene Ulin	Grade Two	Conn. College for Women, A.B.	1955
Amy Volk	Kindergarten	Wheelock College, B. S. Ed.	1955
Joseph B. Herlihy	Science	Boston College, A.B., M. A.	1956

Statistical Information

VITAL STATISTICS

75 Births, 24 Marriages and 35 Deaths during the year 1955:

BIRTHS

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Names of Parents
1954		
Feb. 5	Kathleen Marie Coan	Thomas W. & Catherine M. Coan
Dec. 31	Jonathon Butterworth Ammen	David L. & Judith B. Ammen
1955		
Jan. 8	Christine Vitale	Joseph A. & Marie F. Vitale
Jan. 9	Paul Morette	Walter J. & Gertrude M. Morette
Jan. 13	Sally Eileen Corrigan	Edward D. & Ellen N. Corrigan
Jan. 20	Abigail Flint	Warren F. & Margaret M. Flint
Jan. 31	Timothy Channing Hester	Leon B. & Mary B. Hester
Feb. 5	Jonathan David Walkey	Frederick P. & Ruth R. Walkey
Feb. 9	Michael Francis Gormley	Robert F. & Gloria V. Gormley
Feb. 15	David Marshall Webb	John G. & Isabella E. Webb
Feb. 19	John Bechtel Tew, Jr.	John B. & Valerie H. Tew
Feb. 19	Michael Hynes	Frank J. & Kathryn C. Hynes
Feb. 25	Martha Sherman Davis	Sherman P. & Phyllis M. Davis
Mar. 1	Robert Harmon Loomis	David B. & Paulette C. Loomis
Mar. 4	Douglas Jeffrey Wilson	William A. & Eleanor L. Wilson
Mar. 4	Brian Charles Lehman	Charles L. & Sylvia M. Lehman
Mar. 5	Lisa Marie Olsen	Ralph & Marcia E. Olsen
Mar. 7	Linda Greenlaw	Gordon H. & V. Jeanne Greenlaw
Mar. 9	Patricia Joan Lyons	John J. & Ann V. Lyons
Mar. 10	Lucy Hays Clark	W. Van Alan & Mary F. Clark
Mar. 15	Mary Algeo	Leo J. & Elaine T. Algeo
Mar. 22	Fae Bretob Hapgood	Norman & Ruth G. Hapgood
Mar. 24	Adele Harman Brainard	Edward C. & Elizabeth H. Brainard
Apr. 7	Elizabeth Jane Row	Ronald V. & Jane E. Row
Apr. 9	Trea Ann Jozwicki	Alfons B. & Adeline C. Jozwicki
Apr. 13	Sara Peavy	Leopold & Elizabeth Peavy
Apr. 13	Eric Alan Kessel	Joseph B. & Lesley J. Kessel
Apr. 21	Francine Patrice Faddoul	George P. & Arlene L. Faddoul
May 3	Lee Kendall Banker	Harold L. & Beatrice G. Banker

May 3	Eunice Strachan Ferguson	Hugh J. & Euphemia S. Ferguson
May 20	Jane Alison Ostroff	Edward D. & Elizabeth J. Ostroff
May 21	Kathryn Currier Gross	Thomas A. O. & Judith C. Gross
May 22	Mary Kimberly Marshall	Robert C. & Patricia D. Marshall
June 9	Ann Brown	David R. & Sarah J. Brown
June 17	William Stanley Hamilton II	Richard D. & Dorothy A. Hamilton
June 19	Fred Harold Daniels II	Bruce G. & Janet B. Daniels
July 7	Brenda Lee Rando	Felice S. & Josephine H. Rando
July 14	Glenn Buchanan Barker	William R. & Barbara E. Barker
July 26	Jo-Ann Skerry	Robert E. & Ruth R. Skerry
Aug. 8	Mellisa Ann Shea	William J. & Margaret T. Shea
Aug. 11	Bradley Paul Wheaton	Paul A. & Peggy Jo Wheaton
Sept. 6	Timothy John Moynihan	Paul V. & Rita Y. Moynihan
Sept. 17	Peter Morgan Murphy	Edward W. & Marjorie A. Murphy
Sept. 23	Clifford Wright Bardsley	Paul J. & Patricia S. Bardsley
Sept. 23	Jane Cunningham	James L. & Ruth P. Cunningham
Oct. 25	Jane Christine Butler	William H., Jr. & Nancy E. Butler
Oct. 28	Karin Fenijn	Christianus J. & Yvonne D. Fenijn
Oct. 29	Alan Keith Welch	Vernon F. & June R. Welch
Nov. 2	Eugene David Mellish, Jr.	Eugene D. & Nancy F. Mellish
Nov. 9	Debra Lee Sears	Charles F. & Janet M. Sears

Late Registrations

Jan. 20	James David Russell, Jr.	James D. & Marguerite V. M. Russell
Mar. 4	John Calhoun Cook	Paul & Jacqueline A. H. Cook
Apr. 29	Gregory Alan Ralston	Robert & Phyllis M. Ralston
May 7	Corinne Mei Mar	James W. & Edith L. Mar
May 12	George Gregory Faran	James J., Jr. & Ellen G. Faran
May 23	Kimberly Ann Busfield	Gibson L. & Marilyn A. Busfield
May 26	Nathaniel Warren Foote	Howard W. & Jeanne Mc. Foote
May 26	Sarah Kimball Walen	Roger S. & Constance Mc. Walen
June 10	Marie Segadelli	John J. & Doris C. Segadelli
June 13	Richard Bruno Nesto	Bruno R. & Eugenia R. Nesto
June 21	Jeannette Faunce	Anthony & Mary Gill Faunce
July 8	Timothy Alan Lang	Richard Edwin & Betty L. Lang
July 31	Sara Christensen Young	Niels O. & Lucy J. Young
Aug. 2	Baby Boy Ellis	John D. & Sydney S. Brucker Ellis
Aug. 16	Jeffrey Nixon Gowen	Robert & Jean D. Gowen

Aug. 24	Ann Elise Keuper	Charles S. & Elinore A. Keuper
Aug. 25	Frances Pinckney Wood	Robert C. & Margaret P. Wood
Nov. 7	Steven Allerton Smith	Carl D. & Florence H. Smith
Nov. 15	Thomas Warham Janes	George S. & Ann P. Janes
Dec. 8	Craig Stephen Gustafson, Jr.	Craig S. & Louise M. Gustafson
Dec. 9	Holly Heavens	Ralph B. & Suzanne M. Heavens
Dec. 14	Deborah Ellen Swan	Edmund & Eleanor G. Swan
Dec. 17	Todd Raymond Higgins	Raymond A., Jr. & Eleanor L. Higgins
Dec. 24	John Thomas Kennedy, Jr.	John T. & Virginia H. Kennedy
Dec. 29	Donna Lee Cole	Frederick L. 3rd & Joan F. Cole

Marriages

Date of Marriage 1955	Names	Residence
Jan. 30	Raymond J. Maher	Lincoln
	Adeline Antoinette Rando	Lincoln
Feb. 5	Edward D. Pinkman	Weymouth
	Doris M. Stockellburg	Lincoln
Apr. 19	Charles Edward Westcott	Lincoln
	Mary Lucille Macera	Somerville
Apr. 30	John Barrett Manning	Lincoln
	Doris T. DeAngelis	Millis
June 11	Albert S. Brooks, Jr.	Lincoln
	Barbara Elaine Malloch	Lincoln
June 25	Paul Hunt Robbins	Miami, Florida
	Lesley Gail Crowson	Lincoln
June 26	Kenneth Leslie Willard	Lincoln
	Barbara Louise Hopkins	Holden
July 6	Franklin W. Stahl	Rochester, N. Y.
	Mary Catherine Morgan	Rochester, N. Y.
July 10	William Arthur Browning	Lincoln
	Marie Jane Mahoney	Newton

July 15	Edward Robert Danosky	Lincoln
	Elizabeth Clark	Carlisle
July 24	Richard Thomas Hayes	Concord
	Mary Katherine Davis	Lincoln
Aug. 6	Paul Morris Leslie	Lincoln
	Elizabeth Mae Lips	Concord
Aug. 6	Putnam King	Concord
	Elizabeth Robertson	Concord
Aug. 21	Emerson Hartley O'Brien	Lincoln
	Barbara Agnes Johnson	Newton
Aug. 28	John Alfred Whitney	Lincoln
	Joan Catherine Sweet	Waltham
Sept. 10	Robert Vincent Cull	Concord
	Janet Frances Manning	Lincoln
Sept. 17	Alexander Stephens	New York, N. Y.
	Janet Cameron Ward	Lincoln
Sept. 23	Craig Stephen Gustafson	Lincoln
	Louise Mary Kallinen	Lincoln
Oct. 16	Robert A. Russes	Lincoln
	Jeannette B. Boyle	Brookline
Dec. 3	Anthony J. Turano	Brooklyn, N. Y.
	Florence T. Domenichella	Lincoln
Dec. 9	Theodore Worth Tucker	Lincoln
	Barbara J. Howe	Hastings on Hudson, N. Y.
Dec. 10	John Plato Taylor	St. Louis, Mo.
	Sara Jane MacLea	Lincoln
Dec. 21	John David Ballou	Lincoln
	Janet L. Henley	Lincoln
Dec. 29	Arthur H. Read	St. Andrews, Scotland
	Katherine Eaton	Lincoln

Deaths

Date of Death	Name	Age Y.	M.	D.
1955				
Jan. 4	James Elzie Park	32	7	16
Jan. 21	Fern Kinsley	76	5	12
Jan. 24	Helen Wright	44	-	--
Mar. 4	Joseph Lyons Snider	60	6	7
Mar. 7	Charles Anthony	85	9	14
Apr. 2	Charles Adams Holder	82	5	0
Apr. 16	Louise Ayer Hatheway	79	2	30
Apr. 19	Russell Gerry Crook	85	8	24
Apr. 20	Mary J. Cotoia	67	1	6
Apr. 30	Charles F. Whittier	91	11	26
May 3	Thomas Holden	43	1	--
May 4	Michael Joseph Boyce	76	10	27
June 8	Linda Dean	5	-	6
June 19	Robert Edmund Furber Morris	60	10	6
July 30	Philip Wilfred Place	72	7	11
Aug. 11	Edna J. Smith	69	3	2
Aug. 22	John J. Kelliher	75	11	23
Aug. 22	Mary J. Marlowe	89	-	--
Aug. 30	Mary A. Neary	90	-	--
Sept. 12	Mabel J. Buchan	64	2	27
Sept. 22	Mary E. Higgins	92	-	--
Oct. 24	Francis J. Millmore	47	8	--
Oct. 29	Gerald Thomas Powers	26	3	16
Oct. 8	Anton Richard Nordling	79	8	3
Nov. 5	Robert Robertson Hunter	65	1	23
Nov. 29	Herman Kinsler	61	0	20
Nov. 15	Jane Crowley	84	-	--
Nov. 18	Annie N. Butcher	66	-	--
Nov. 28	Anne Wilbor	45	2	18
Nov. 2	Mary Bolio	74	-	--
Nov. 30	John B. Lahey	67	3	27
Dec. 17	Edith F. Haron	75	6	4
Dec. 24	Margaret J. Connair	68	-	--
Dec. 25	William Bowles	85	5	21
Dec. 12	Catherine Harding	91	3	6

Name of Taxpayer	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real and Personal Estate
Abbott, John A. & Diana B.		$ 8,000	$ 432.00
Adams, John Q. & Lucy D.		39,550	2,135.70
Adams, Ramelle C.		12,850	693.90
Adkins, Archibald W. & Dorothea C.		10,000	540.00
Adler, Harold		2,250	121.50
Adler, Ivy Ruth		1,500	81.00
A'Hearn, Marian E.		3,150	170.10
Albano Brothers		300	16.20
Algeo, John T. & Catherine R.		5,500	297.00
Algeo, Leo J. & Elaine T.		4,400	237.60
Algeo, Margaret M. & Neville, Agnes M.		4,600	248.40
Allied Commonwealth Corp.		5,700	307.80
American Legion		600	32.40
Ammen, David L. & Judith B.		5,050	272.70
Anderson, Lawrence B. & Rosina DuP.		12,100	653.40
Andrews, Paul R. & Catherine L.		2,300	124.20
Angelo, Gaspar & Eda Polcari		16,600	896.40
Antinarelli, Joseph J. & Helen J.		500	27.00
Appleby, Richard B.		4,500	243.00
Aptt, Harry S. & Etta E.		3,250	175.50
Armstrong, Virginia		8,800	475.20
Arnold, S. Leonard & Anna M.		4,500	243.00
Ashworth, Harold T. & Irma D.		7,000	378.00
Avery, Abigail D.		7,500	405.00
Ayer, Richard B., Jr. & Constance M.		9,000	486.00
Baggs, Arthur E., Jr. & Marion S.		6,700	361.80
Baker, John C. & Elizabeth E.		2,000	108.00
Baker, Theodore C. & Mary Amory		11,250	607.50
Ballantine-Ober's Market	1,250		67.50
Baltrush, William C. & Sarah M.		3,300	178.20
Barbarow, Ruth		1,650	89.10
Barber, John W., Jr. & Mary E.		4,200	226.80
Barker, William R. & Barbara S.		3,000	162.00
Bardsley, Doris A.		2,600	140.40
Barker, Anne S.		5,900	318.60
Barnaby, John M. & Charlotte B.		4,600	248.40
Barr, Edgar E. & Olive H.		5,200	280.80
Barthel, Walter		100	5.40
Barthel, Walter & Emma C.		5,450	294.30
Bean, Anna K.		6,000	324.00
Belanger, Walter E. & Mary F.		7,400	399.60
Bellizia, Francis E. & Mary H.		6,500	351.00
Benton, Carl R. & Barbara A.		100	5.40
Bergquist, Walter J. & Brita M.		5,600	302.40
Bernson, Bob & Edith J.		2,350	126.90
Bernson, Edith A.		18,000	972.00
Bertolami, Paolina		400	21.60
Billings, Bruce H. & Sarah W.		8,030	433.62
Billings, James B. & Marion		4,850	261.90

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Bingham, Elizabeth A.		$ 9,250	$ 499.50
Bingham, Elizabeth P. B.		250	13.50
Bingham, George C.		500	27.00
Bishop, Fern W.		4,500	243.00
Black, Everett A. & Anne E.		28,700	1,549.80
Blake, Charles H. & Helen L.		10,500	567.00
Blakeley, Gerald W., Jr.		44,000	2,376.00
Boccadoro, Joseph & Ida		100	5.40
Bockoven, John Sanbourne & Dorothy Ruth		4,600	248.40
Boehmer, Howard W. & Norma F.		8,000	432.00
Bogner, Walter F. & Edith		9,200	496.80
Bolt, Richard H. & Katherine L.		1,300	70.20
Bolton, Stanwood K. & Thalia H.		8,000	432.00
Bonaceto, Anthony & Grace		500	27.00
Bonia, Walter J.		5,400	291.60
Booth, Philip & Margaret I.		4,700	253.80
Booth, Alice Burrage		14,800	799.20
Boston Consolidated Gas Co.	85,000		4,590.00
Boston Edison Co.	215,263	300	11,640.40
Boston & Maine R. R.		900	48.60
Bowles, Clifford		6,500	351.00
Bowles, Mildred E.	100	11,900	648.00
Bowles, William	650	4,000	251.10
Boyce Brothers	600	12,000	680.40
Boyce, Manley B.		3,000	162.00
Boyce, Manley B. & Alice M.		2,500	135.00
Boyce, Michael J.		4,500	243.00
Boyer, Angela V.		3,800	205.20
Bradford, Robert L. & Martha A.		5,800	313.20
Bradshaw, Fred & Julia S.		5,000	270.00
Brainard, Edward C., III & Elizabeth H.		5,000	270.00
Breed, Laura Post, Marsh, Margaret Breed & Paul Everhart		7,100	383.40
Briggs, Susan L.		13,500	729.00
Brisson, Norman	200		10.80
Brisson, Norman F. & Evelyn W.		1,550	83.70
Bronson, Franklin C. & Catherine M.		7,100	383.40
Brooks, Albert S. & Maude M.		5,400	291.60
Brooks, Paul		9,750	526.50
Brown, Deborah Trull, David Trull, Alan Trull		200	10.80
Brown, Elizabeth G.		14,000	756.00
Brown, Robert P. & Polly F.		7,150	386.10
Browne, Secor D. & Mary D.		7,000	378.00
Browning, Edgar C. & Katherine A.		4,950	267.30
Browning, George U.	1,300	6,000	394.20
Brown's Wood, Inc.		4,500	243.00
Buerger, Martin J. & Lila		10,600	572.40

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Bulkley, Joel B. & Doris L.		$ 10,700	$ 577.80
Burckett, Douglas M. & Phillippa C.		3,600	194.40
Burgess, Catherine M.		1,500	81.00
Burgess, Rebecca M. & Jeddrie, Mary M.		3,250	175.50
Burke, Edward J. & Helen V.		4,500	243.00
Burke, Ruth Bemis		8,900	480.60
Burns, Melvin P.		3,600	194.40
Burns, William C. & Daisy May Day		3,000	162.00
Busfield, Gibson L. & Marilyn A.		5,500	297.00
Butcher, Charles R.		1,950	105.30
Butcher, Henry A., Jr. & Margaret V.		2,100	113.40
Butcher, Ralph E.		4,300	232.20
Buttrick, David, Company	500	10,100	572.40
Butler, Hector & Audrey Edith		3,250	175.50
Butler, William H. & Mary G.		4,750	256.50
Buxton, David & Lois Pardee		6,000	324.00
Bygrave, Robert & Lucy E.		6,500	351.00
Calkins, Charles W. & Thelma E.		5,800	313.20
Callahan, Thomas R.		8,700	469.80
Campbell, Fannie S. & Adeline S.		7,500	405.00
Campobasso, Anthony B. & Dorothy M.		3,100	167.40
Campobasso, Ethel		1,500	81.00
Campobasso, Joseph R.		1,820	98.28
Cannon, Ellen DeN. & Bradford		22,800	1,231.20
Caras, Byron & Anastasia		6,500	351.00
Carley, John A. & Joan Kerr		4,500	243.00
Carman, Eleanor T.		10,400	561.60
Carney, Florence T.		3,575	193.05
Carney, James J. & Agnes M.		4,750	256.50
Carrig, James A.		4,600	248.40
Carstensen, Warren & Evelyn G.		19,400	1,047.60
Cassidy, Patrick		700	37.80
Cassidy, Henry J. & Verna E.		3,500	189.00
Cassis, Anthony		10,000	540.00
Catoia, Angelo & Mary J.		3,100	167.40
Catoia, Anthony J. & Lucy M. A.		2,850	153.90
Causer, William O. & Mary E.		3,300	178.20
Chadwick, William & Jessie T.		5,500	297.00
Chapin, Louise B. & Bertha L.		11,500	621.00
Chapin, Robert C. & Margaret E.		3,500	189.00
Chapman, James S. & Emily M.		4,775	257.85
Chellis, Herbert N. & Eleanor M.		4,500	243.00
Chipman, Robert Hennessy		5,000	270.00
Chisholm, Edward C. & Margaret F.		5,100	275.40
Church, Robert R. & Priscilla Schirmer		11,100	599.40
Churchill, Robert R. & June D.		5,400	291.60
Cibel, Stanley A. & Thelma W.		6,300	340.20
Ciraso, Michael & Amelia		3,650	197.10

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Clare, Mary E.		$ 7,700	$ 415.80
Clark, George A.		3,100	167.40
Clark, Mary H.		20,700	1,117.80
Clark, Vern & Velma M.		2,500	135.00
Coan, Thomas F.		3,350	180.90
Coane, John H., Jr.		2,900	156.60
Coburn, Edward S.	350	6,200	353.70
Codman, Thomas N., et al Trustees		67,300	3,634.20
Codman, Dorothy S. F. M.		5,000	270.00
Coffey, John B. & Wilma L.		4,500	243.00
Cole, Edwin M. & Lucy F.		11,200	604.80
Community Store	3,500		189.00
Comstock, Joan B.		7,350	396.90
Conant, Lily R.		9,000	486.00
Conary, Frances P.		4,500	243.00
Condit, Robert P. & Phyllis C.		5,000	270.00
Conlin, James J. & Winifred Irene		2,600	140.40
Connair, John J. & Margaret J.		3,100	167.40
Connolly, J. Irving & Evelyn		1,900	102.60
Constantine, Philip J.		6,500	351.00
Conti, Bartolomeo B.		6,750	364.50
Cook Brothers	400		21.60
Cook, Celia M.		8,700	469.80
Cook, Harry and John F.		4,850	261.90
Coolidge, Henry P. & Alice C.		6,900	372.60
Corcoran, Francis J.		3,000	162.00
Cormey, Henry J. & Illione W.		2,400	129.60
Cornrie, Charlotte G. & Howard F.		500	27.00
Corrigan, Edward D.		3,500	189.00
Corrigan, Dorothy E.		7,000	378.00
Corrigan, Leo W.		3,100	167.40
Corrigan, Martin		2,400	129.60
Corrigan, Mary K.		1,500	81.00
Costello, John D.		100	5.40
Costello, William H.		1,800	97.20
Cotoni, Carolana M.		4,600	248.40
Cotoni, Joseph	1,000		54.00
Cousins, Ashley		2,400	129.60
Cousins, Harold S.		12,750	688.50
Cousins, Laurence B. & Jeanne B.		6,100	329.40
Cousins, Willis N.		3,450	186.30
Cowen, Rodney P. & Elinor		4,600	248.40
Cowles, Addison & Alexandra C.		5,150	278.10
Crandall, Stephen H. & Patricia E.		5,750	310.50
Crane, Charles E. & Hazel G.		14,500	783.00
Crawford, Dorothy B.		6,000	324.00
Crawford, John D. & Joanna W.		5,500	297.00
Creelman, Gilmore B. & Alice M.		3,550	191.70
Crockett, Alan D. & Judith D.		6,000	324.00
Croft, Robert		200	10.80

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Croke, Thomas J. & Alice		$ 2,200	$ 118.80
Crook, Russell G.		3,000	162.00
Crowley, Timothy J.		2,000	108.00
Crowson, Leslie W. & Madeline W.		6,800	367.20
Crozier, Christina B.		5,000	270.00
Culver, Perry J. & Kate S.		19,200	1,036.80
Cunnert, Fritz, Heirs of		6,500	351.00
Cunningham, George E.		4,300	232.20
Cunningham, Harold L. & Corrine		3,600	194.40
Cunningham, J. Lewis & Ruth P.		4,750	256.50
Cunningham, Robert M.		3,900	210.60
Cushing, Gustave		7,625	411.75
Dadmun, Harrie H. & Helen A.		12,100	653.40
Dahl, Thyra		5,800	313.20
Damico, Louise		4,600	248.40
Daniels, Bruce G.		11.600	626.40
Danosky, Edward A.		250	13.50
Danosky, Edward A. & Mary C.		3,500	202.50
Danosky, Stefania	1,000	9,650	575.10
D'Arrigo Bros., Inc.		2,400	129.60
Davis, Alfred M.	1,250	4,750	324.00
Davis, Bradford D. & Barbara G.		10,200	550.80
Davis, Prescott L.	1,350	9,100	564.30
Davis, Saville R. & Anita V.		7,500	405.00
Davis, Sherman P.		3,000	162.00
Davison, Archibald T.		13,000	702.00
Dean, Emma W.		3,200	172.80
Dean, Lewis W.	2,500	6,800	502.20
Dean, Robert C., Jr. & E. Nancy		1,700	91.80
Dean, William M.		1,000	54.00
Dean, William M. & Lorraine C.		3,900	210.60
Dee, Helena A.		2,000	108.00
Dee, Helena A., et al		1,100	59.40
DeFord, William & Elinor S.		7,100	383.40
DeMone, Harold W. & Elsie R.		16,000	864.00
Denehy, Edward J. & Bernadette J.		11,900	642.60
Denio, F. Winchester		3,500	189.00
DeNormandie, Alice W.		34,400	1,857.60
DeNormandie, James	3,250	2,500	310.50
DeNormandie, James & Martha		10,900	588.60
DeNormandie, James & Robert L.		22,850	1,233.90
DeNormandie, Robert L., Estate of		21,925	1,183.95
Denton, Edward W.	1,850		99.90
DePavla, Dominick		500	27.00
Dewey, Davis R., II		15,600	842.40
Dexter, Charles & Charlotte		5,000	270.00
Diamond, James H.		1,100	59.40
Dodge, Orien B.		2,850	153.90
Doherty, Mary E., Margaret A., and Marjorie		2,000	108.00

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Doherty, Matthew H.	$ 1,300	$	$ 70.20
Doherty, Matthew H. & Elizabeth H.		13,800	745.20
Dominichello, Dominic		500	27.00
Dominichello, Frank	300		16.20
Dominichello, Frank & Mattie M.		6,050	326.70
Donaldson, Estate of Charlotte H.		8,000	432.00
Donaldson, Gordon A. & Elizabeth A.		7,500	405.00
Donaldson, Malcolm D.		8,250	445.50
Donaldson, Robert D.		67,600	3,650.40
Donaldson, Robert D., Jr.		6,500	351.00
Donnelly, Bernard F. & Josephine B.		1,500	81.00
Dorian, Newart		3,750	202.50
Dougherty, Andrew J.	1,050	6,350	399.60
Dougherty, Dennis M.		3,600	194.40
Downing, Grace L.		5,000	270.00
Drake, Lillian W. & Garmery, Bertha V.		5,000	270.00
Dresser, Charles N. & Ruth C.		5,600	302.40
DuBois, Anson M. & Olive S.		5,100	275.40
DuBois, Eliot & Barbara		4,800	259.20
Duncan, Albert A. & Agnes A.		3,850	207.90
Dustin, Daniel E. & Rachel S.		6,500	351.00
East, John A. & Edla A.		5,500	297.00
Eaton, Gertrude S.		7,500	405.00
Ehlert, Caroline E.		10,775	581.85
Elliott, Robert H. & Ethel M.		5,450	294.30
Emerson, Heirs of Ralph Waldo		500	27.00
Emerson, Heirs of Edward W.		500	27.00
Emmons, A. Bradlee & Judith Reed		8,000	432.00
Emmons, A. W.	300		16.20
England, Albert E. & Priscilla S.		14,000	756.00
Ennis, Walter M., Jr. & Barbara R.		5,200	280.80
Erickson, Leonard V. & Martha F.		5,000	270.00
Evans, Lucius W. & Virginia C.		16,500	891.00
Faddoul, George P. & Natalie A.		7,000	378.00
Fairbanks, Rollin		12,500	675.00
Faran, James J. & Ellen G.		9,000	486.00
Farley, Louis C., Jr. & Isabel K.		8,600	464.40
Farnsworth, Kenneth C. & Marguerite M.		15,500	837.00
Farrar, Edith B.		100	5.40
Faunce, Mary Gill & Anthony		9,500	513.00
Fedock, Metro & Hazel A.		2,650	143.10
Fell, Florence C.		5,400	291.60
Fernald, Alvin E.	200	7,100	394.20
Fillmore, Bruce R. & Eleanor L.		4,650	251.10
Finesinger, Abraham L. & Nina Wolfe		600	32.40
Finnerty, James L. & Anna C.		4,650	251.10
Fiorelli, Ernest R. & Rose M.		400	21.60

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Fitts, Charles K. & Gertrude W.		$ 16,500	$ 891.00
Flanagan, James and Wilhelmina G.		700	37.80
Flannery, Donald J. & Harriet E.		2,200	118.80
Flannery, Ralph & Constance H.		500	27.00
Flannigan, John P. & Marion E.		5,500	297.00
Fleck, Richard C. & Frances R.		10,600	572.40
Fleming, Clifford D. & E. Frances		6,500	351.00
Fletcher, Walter B. & Helen F.		6,750	364.50
Flewelling, Roy S. & Thelma G.		6,900	372.60
Flint, Edith F.		1,800	97.20
Flint, George B. & Lucie S.		4,900	264.60
Flint, Josephine R.		11,000	594.00
Flint, Warren F.	2,000	13,600	842.40
Floyd, Olive B.		4,500	243.00
Flynn, Frank J.		400	21.60
Flynn, Helen C.		8,700	469.80
Foell, Earl W. & Nancy Van Ness		3,000	162.00
Foley, Harold F. & Rita E.		2,450	132.30
Foley, Harold W.		8,750	472.50
Foote, Howard W. & Jeanne M.		6,000	324.00
Forbes, Sherman H. & Annabell O.		5,500	297.00
Forest Realty Trust		600	32.40
Forsberg, Ragner W. & Ingrid E.		500	27.00
Foulke, Howard V.		5,500	297.00
Fradd, Norman W.		7,500	405.00
Frazier, Joseph G. & Harriet E.		300	16.20
Fryatt, Thomas F.		5,000	270.00
Fuller, Ernest L. & Doris O.		9,300	502.20
Fulierton, Albert L., Jr. & Mary S.		5,000	270.00
Gajewski, Ceslaus A. & Sophie		3,500	189.00
Garland, Joseph & Mira C.		2,500	135.00
Garrison, David L. & Alice E.		6,200	334.80
Garrison, John B. & Barbara F.		7,800	421.20
Gary, John E. & Maida F.		8,000	432.00
Gertz, George L. & Edith A.		4,200	226.80
Giblin, Mary E. & Ruth E.		6,630	358.02
Gilbert, George H. & Rebecca A.		4,500	243.00
Gilbert, John W. & Josephine L.		2,500	135.00
Gilbert, Mary J.		2,500	135.00
Gilbert and Polhamus	1,200		64.80
Giles, E. W., Inc.	800	6,800	410.40
Giles, Edmund W. & Muriel H.		17,600	950.40
Giles, Thomas T. & Stella A.		7,300	394.20
Gilfoy, Donald A. & Helen B.		12,000	648.00
Giurleo, James M. & Mary C.		10,000	540.00
Glazier, L. Gordon & Gertrude		19,000	1,026.00
Goodno, Ralph	1,000		54.00
Gordon, Marie C.		4,200	226.80
Gounaris, Thomas X. & Jean G.		4,500	243.00

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Grabill, Elliott V. & Martha L.		$ 11,000	$ 594.00
Graf, Malcolm		2,000	108.00
Grason, Rufus L. & Edna B.		3,200	172.80
Gray, Robert W.		6,600	356.40
Greaves, Allan W. & Theresa D.		2,900	156.60
Greene, Frederick H., Jr. & Helen H.		11,100	599.40
Greer, Frederick W. & Eleanor F.		17,100	923.40
Gregg, Earl F. & Doris H.		9,500	513.00
Griffin, Allen A. & Ruth W.		8,200	442.80
Griffin, Harriet S.		6,500	351.00
Grinnell, William L. & Virginia B.		9,000	486.00
Gropius, Walter & Ilse		14,500	783.00
Gross, T. A. O. & Judith C. F.		5,300	286.20
Gustafson , Edwin Anton & Doris Margaret		4,000	216.00
Haartz, John C., Jr. & Beatrice R.		10,600	572.40
Haden, Russell L., Jr. & Constance J.		10,700	577.80
Hagenian, Joseph C. & Irene R.		4,300	232.20
Hagmann, Anna, Extrx.		3,850	207.90
Hagmann, Otto & Katherine		5,000	270.00
Hagerty, Julia C.		3,000	162.00
Hale, Hazen G., Jr. & Gail Robinson		1,400	75.60
Haley, Arthur E.		1,500	81.00
Hall, Cecil E. & Nancy E.		7,000	378.00
Hamilton, Harry A. & Bessie E.		4,800	259.20
Hankey, Francis W. & Edna J.		7,450	402.30
Hanlon, Albert W.		5,000	270.00
Hanson, Adler M. & Madeline A.		750	40.50
Hapgood, Norman, Jr. & Ruth K.		2,950	159.30
Harding, Catherine		2,500	135.00
Hardy, Harriet L.		6,600	356.40
Harling, Ernest J.		4,500	243.00
Harrington, F. Frank, Estate of		1,750	94.50
Harrington, Katherine A.		2,000	108.00
Harrington, Winthrop W.		4,100	221.40
Harrison, George R. & Florence K.		1,500	81.00
Hart, Frederick R.		200	10.80
Hart, Joseph S.		2,500	135.00
Hart, William E. & Isabella C.		9,000	486.00
Hartman, Henry F.		3,700	199.80
Hartwell Farm	1,000		54.00
Hatheway, Louise A.	3,270	133,950	7,409.88
Haworth, George G. & Thelma E.		6,000	324.00
Hayden, Nellie B.		300	16.20
Healey, Harry R., Jr. & Jeanne C.		5,700	307.80
Heck, Mary Higbee		30,800	1,663.20
Hedge, Mary A.		10,500	567.00
Helburn, Peter & Margaret		1,850	99.90
Held, Arnold E. & Mary A.		4,200	226.80

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Henderson, Gerard C. & Edith M.		$ 6,600	$ 356.40
Henderson, Mary S.		39,800	2,149.20
Henderson, Robert S. & Carolyn H.		5,000	270.00
Henley, Archibald & Lottie		4,640	250.56
Henley, Lester J.		4,800	259.20
Henley, Merrill J. & Ida H.		4,500	243.00
Henry, Hall M. & Addie McAllister		10,000	540.00
Herlihy, Maurice K. & Jean E.		3,300	178.20
Herman, Edwards W.		12,200	658.80
Herthel, Stephen W. & Evelyn S.		13,650	737.10
Hess, Kenneth W. & Alice B.		9,500	513.00
Hester, Leon B. & Mary B.		5,000	270.00
Higgins, Raymond A., Jr. & Johnson, Eleanor L.		1,500	81.00
Hill, Walter L. & Patricia C.		5,300	286.20
Hinds, Edward H. & Edith M.		100	5.40
Hoar, George W. & Norman W.		9,500	513.00
Hollingsworth, Lowell M. & Florence S.		7,000	378.00
Hoover, Henry B. & Lucretia J.		7,300	394.20
Hornor, Townsend		18,200	982.80
Houghton, John J. & Lillian		3,800	205.20
Howard, Elizabeth F.		4,400	237.60
Howard, Elizabeth F. & Gardner, Susan H.		500	27.00
Howard, Esther T.		10,300	556.20
Hoyt, Harrison & Shirley J.		5,500	297.00
Hubbard, Eliot, Jr.		9,100	491.40
Hunt, Pearson & Merrill T.		6,500	351.00
Hunt, Hope		13,420	724.68
Hunt, Pearson		400	21.60
Hunt, Lewis E.		3,800	205.20
Huntley, George F. & Lottie D.		4,350	234.90
Huntley, Medford E. & Blanche L.		3,700	199.80
Huntley, Oland F. & Alberta T.		3,000	162.00
Hurd, Joseph & Nellie M.		7,800	421.20
Hurd, Nancy Dabney		9,100	491.40
Hyde, Benjamin D. & Mildred B.		8,500	459.00
Ingard, K. Uno & Doris C.		1,100	59.40
Irwin, Mary M.		13,500	729.00
Jackson, Dorothy W.		12,000	648.00
Jackson, Gardner, Jr. & Sallie		6,600	356.40
Jacobs, May L.		15,000	810.00
Jagger, James M. & Miriam H.		6,750	364.50
James, Hamilton R. & Waleska E.		6,500	351.00
Jarock, Ellen G., Kirkpatrick, Bettye G., & Tufts, Elizabeth F.		4,200	226.80
Jenney, Charles J. & Katrina C.		5,500	297.00
Jensen, Holger J. & Grace A.		3,100	167.40

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Jensen, Olin A. & Agnes E.		$ 5,100	$ 275.40
Jillson, Robert F. & Frances Horton		4,600	248.40
Johansen, Rose May		1,500	81.00
John, DeWitt		7,050	380.70
Johnson, Ernest L. & Grace M.		11,500	621.00
Johnson, Fern A., Estate of		3,000	162.00
Johnson, John W. & Josephine		150	8.10
Jozwicki, Alfons & Adeline C.		5,500	297.00
Juthe, Randolph S. & Evelyn L.		600	32.40
Kane, Henry B. & Elizabeth C.		3,750	202.50
Keene, Clifton R.		5,000	270.00
Keily, Delbar P. & Gertrude E.		4,200	226.80
Keizer, Harold		1,500	81.00
Kelliher, John J.		3,200	172.80
Kennedy, Albert E.		5,800	313.20
Kennedy Brothers	500		27.00
Kennedy, John T. & Albert E.		150	8.10
Kern, Walter P.		4,700	253.80
Kessel, Joseph B. & Lesley J.		6,500	351.00
Kidder, George H. & Ellen W.		6,500	351.00
Kindleberger, Charles P. & Sarah M.		5,450	294.30
King, William T.		15,700	847.80
Kingsbury, Roy Sherman & Ann B.		8,500	459.00
Kinney, Robert C.		2,000	108.00
Kinsler, Herman F. & Louise M.		5,500	297.00
Kirkpatrick, David W. & Margaret M.		5,000	270.00
Kistiakowsky, George B. & Irma E.		11,700	631.80
Kling, John W. & Louise		4,500	243.00
Knight, Geoffrey, Jr. & Rita A.		500	27.00
Knowles, Harry B.	1,250	9,100	558.90
Knowles, Wilma E.		5,000	270.00
Kolyshkin, George		3,030	163.62
Kopp, Jay F. & Marilyn J.		10,200	550.80
Kubik, Charles S. & Emily K.		6,000	324.00
Ladd, Edward H., Jr. & Agnes E.		6,500	351.00
Lahey, Heirs of James		1,500	81.00
Lahnstein, Karl F.		3,200	172.80
Lancashire, George F. & Dorothy C.		5,000	270.00
Lang, Richard E. & Betty Lee		5,000	270.00
Langton, William G.		7,000	378.00
Larrabee, Leonard C. & Peggy S.		5,900	318.60
Larson, John B. & Mafalda M.		500	27.00
Larzelere, Alice Josephine		5,000	270.00
Lavery, Francis W. & Veronica J.		6,200	334.80
Lavrakas, Fofo		2,150	116.10
Lawson, Harold E.	1,000	8,750	526.50
Lawrence, Lincoln C. & Blanche P.		4,750	256.50
Lawton, John J. & Beatrice G.		5,100	275.40

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Leavitt, Donald P. & Christine P.		$ 9,000	$ 486.00
LeBlanc, Alphonse J. & Alice M.		2,500	135.00
Lee, Edwin John		1,800	97.20
Leger, Mary E.		1,850	99.90
Lemander, William C. & Emily K.		9,000	486.00
LeMann, John		2,850	153.90
Lennon, James V. & Elin		3,800	205.20
Leslie Farm, Inc.	575	1,800	128.25
Leslie, Maurice A. & Annie		3,500	189.00
Levin, Alvin & Betty		4,600	248.40
Liddick, Harold S. & Virginia D.		6,700	361.80
Lillie, Douglas G. & Hilda F.		11,200	604.80
Lincoln Auto Service, Inc.	1,200		64.80
Lincoln Heights Estates, Inc.		10,500	567.00
Lincoln Beauty Salon	250		13.50
Lincoln, John W. & Clarinda Y.		5,400	291.60
Lindsay, Nicholas	500		27.00
Litte, Rudolph		7,600	410.40
Livengood, Eleanor C. H.		3,800	205.20
Loesel, Robert A. & Marybell		5,000	270.00
Loomis, David & Paulette C.		6,500	351.00
Lorrey, Mildred J.		5,275	284.85
Lothrop, John W. & Ellen D.		10,500	567.00
Loud, John F. & Mary L.		10,000	540.00
Loveys, Donald C. & Harriet E.		8,000	432.00
Luce, Peter Paul & Margaret		8,250	445.50
Lummus, John W. & Ann A.		5,250	283.50
Lunt, Heirs of Charles		2,600	140.40
Lustwerk, Ferdinand		5,000	270.00
Lynch, Edward H., Jr.		3,600	194.40
Lyon, Ruth		3,700	199.80
Lyons, John J. & Ann V.		3,950	213.30
Lyons, Martin & Winifred A.		3,330	179.82
MacFarland, Charles C. & Phyllis M.		2,750	148.50
Mackenzie, Roland C.		12,000	648.00
MacInnis, Daniel A., Jr. & Francis Clarke		3,050	164.70
Maclaurin, Richard Colin & Ellen		11,000	594.00
Maclaurin, W. Rupert & Elfriede C.		14,300	772.20
MacLean, Heirs of Hector J.		4,350	234.90
MacLeod, Edward & Hester M.		2,850	153.90
MacLeod, Edward, Jr. & Mary M.		1,100	59.40
MacRae, Manning W.		5,500	297.00
Mahan, Russell P. & Anastasia		8,000	432.00
Mahar, Raymond & Gertrude M.		3,200	172.80
Mahoney, Gerald J. & Jeanne M.		5,500	297.00
Mallett, Herbert A. & Eva M.		2,600	140.40
Malloy, Robert M. & Irene C.		10,000	540.00
Mann, David W., Inc.		11,700	631.80

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Mann, David W.		$ 11,200	$ 604.80
Mannarino, Heirs of Anna		1,500	81.00
Manning, Joseph J. & Catherine L.		4,700	253.80
Manzelli, John		5,200	280.80
Mar, James W. & Edith		5,300	286.20
Marchetti, John W. & Sarah G.		9,200	496.80
Maroni, Robert F. & Valentine R.		14,300	772.20
Martin, Fred & Marie		5,000	270.00
Martin, John O. & Candida W.		4,500	243.00
Martin, Estate of Wilhelmina W.		1,000	54.00
Mascari, Leonard E. & Grace B.		13,000	702.00
Mason, Hayden & Jean C.		4,700	253.80
Massachusetts Land Corp.		2,000	108.00
McClennen, Alan & Louise H.		12,500	675.00
McCune, William J. & Elizabeth		9,500	513.00
McDonald, Claire		5,000	270.00
McHugh, Katherine		500	27.00
McHugh, Mary F.		6,000	324.00
McLellan, John W. & Julia C.		3,250	175.50
McKnight, David Blake		400	21.60
McKnight, Ernest Tilley		400	21.60
McKnight, Wilmot & Katherine E.		400	21.60
McMillin, James B.		3,600	194.40
McMurty, George C. & Rose Mary		500	27.00
Mead, Varnum & Janice H.		4,500	243.00
Meade, Edmund J. & Eleanor H.		3,500	189.00
Melanson, Leonard J. & Mary		4,000	216.00
Mele, John A. & Sarah L.		4,300	232.00
Mellish, Eugene D. & Nancy		4,500	243.00
Meriam, Richard S. & Alice G.		12,350	666.90
Merrill, Vincent N. & Anne S.		5,000	270.00
Messina, Jaspare & Grazia		4,400	237.60
Meyer, John R., Jr. & Marjorie R.		6,500	351.00
Meyer, Robert V.		5,800	313.20
Michel, Jules J.		10,040	542.16
Militzer, Raymond E. & Martha B.		18,000	972.00
Miller, Henry D. & Mary E.		8,300	448.20
Miller, Mary G.		5,500	297.00
Mills, Cecil R. & Lillian M.		3,650	197.10
Mix, Thomas R. & Helen B.		2,850	153.90
Molina, Henry J., Jr. & Edith D.		1,000	54.00
Monks, John P. & Ann S.		47,000	2,538.00
Moody, Charles P. & Josephine C.		600	32.40
Moor, Edgar, Jr. & Joan		10,500	567.00
Moore, Herbert L., Jr. & Sylvia W.		10,000	540.00
Moore, Laurence & Eleanor		10,200	550.80
Moore, Paul		100	5.40
Moore, Robert L. & Dorothy H.		9,000	486.00
Morette, Walter J. & Gertrude C.		4,750	256.50
Morgan, Henry M. & Gwen G.		7,000	378.00

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Morningside, Inc.		$32,800	$ 1,771.20
Morris, Milliage E.	105		5.68
Morris, Milliage E. & Beatrice M.		2,400	129.60
Morris, Robert E. F. & Clara D.		3,700	199.80
Morris, Robert H. & Irene S.		4,500	243.00
Morse, Richard W. & Priscilla J.		1,200	64.80
Morrissey, Elizabeth Ann		500	27.00
Morrissey, John Joseph		5,500	297.00
Morse, Thomas R.		16,100	869.40
Moses, John P. & Alice W.		6,500	351.00
Moszka, Stanley E. & Anna		2,800	151.20
Mulledy, John A.		4,600	248.40
Mukhitarian, Samuel & Stephanie		4,050	218.70
Mullins, Edward S. & Florence M.		250	13.50
Murphy, Bridget		4,500	243.00
Murphy, Cyrus W. & Persis S.		400	21.60
Murphy, Daniel J. & Louise C.		4,550	245.70
Murphy, Edward W.		4,750	256.50
Murphy, Heirs of Jeremiah		3,500	189.00
Murphy, Mina Dorothea		3,500	189.00
Murphy, William F.		10,750	580.50
Neary, Patrick J. & Alice B.		4,200	226.80
Nelson, Albert E. & Marjorie E.		5,900	318.60
Nelson, Erik J. & Dorothy G.		4,500	243.00
Nelson, W. Newton & Eleanor R.		9,450	510.30
Nesto, Bruno Richard & Eugenia Rita		7,200	388.80
Neumann, Ernest P. & Sylvia B.		9,350	504.90
Neville, Mary A. & Delia M.		4,000	216.00
Neville, Heirs of Ellen M.		500	27.00
Newbold, Thomas		11,550	623.70
Newell, Lena M.		5,850	315.90
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	93,300	4,000	5,254.20
Newton, Harland B. & Ethel A.		6,800	367.20
Newton, Hazel H.		5,500	297.00
Nichols, Walter & Ethel D.		5,100	275.40
Niles, Robert I. & Virginia M.		7,000	378.00
Norton, Paul L.		1,500	81.00
Norton, Paul L. & Margaret		6,500	351.00
Nystrom, Foster H. & Edna C.		6,000	324.00
Ogden, David D. & Joan A.		8,900	480.60
Ogden, Warren G., Jr.		6,000	324.00
Olmstead, Harriet A.		16,000	864.00
Olsen, Ralph & Marcia E.		11,500	621.00
O'Reilly, Joseph J. & Camilla M.		3,800	205.20
Osborne, Gordon & Freda W.		19,940	1,076.76
O'Sullivan, William J. & Mary E.		18,500	999.00
Owen, Carleton W.		12,000	648.00
Owen, Charles J. & Mary Lee		6,000	324.00

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Paddock, Louis E. & Ann E.		$ 7,000	$ 378.00
Page, Elliott F. & Emily R.		4,400	237.60
Page, Stanley W. & Elisabeth H.		4,900	264.60
Page, William N. & Elizabeth J.		8,000	432.00
Paine, Charles H.		200	10.80
Pallotta, Henry & Eleanor A.		4,500	243.00
Palmer, Attelio A. & Kathryne		4,600	248.40
Palmer, Eleanor M.		7,500	405.00
Palmer, George B., Jr. & Rosemary S.		1,000	54.00
Panetta, Franklin & Theresa		100	5.40
Panetta, James J. & Rosemary D.		3,950	213.30
Panetta, Pasquale	300		16.20
Panetta, Pasquale & Mary		5,650	305.10
Panetta, Salvatore & Rita		4,300	232.20
Paquette, Margaret		250	13.50
Parish, Edward C., Jr. & Joan DeF.		6,900	372.60
Parker, Jackson B. & Jacqueline		5,000	270.00
Parker, William J., Jr. & Evangeline C.		1,750	94.50
Parks, Henry A. & Harriett A.		2,300	124.20
Pattinson, Mary I.		6,600	356.40
Paulsen, Jack W. & Suzanne P.		6,500	351.00
Pavlo, Samuel G.		400	21.60
Pearmain, William Robert		1,200	64.80
Pearmain, William Robert & Claire P.		5,750	310.50
Peavy, Leopold, Jr., & Elizabeth J.		6,300	340.20
Peck, Mildred E.		3,850	207.90
Pederson, Sarah A.		1,100	59.40
Peirce, Harriet T.		4,200	226.80
Pellandini, Robert T. & Virginia A.		4,700	253.80
Peloquin, Roy J. & Alice M.		4,300	232.20
Pertzoff, Constantin A. & Olga		51,240	2,766.96
Pertzoff, Olga		7,800	421.20
Peterson, Frank W. & Mary E.		5,100	275.40
Phillips, Henry B. & Charlotte T.		16,450	888.30
Pierce, Charles Eliot & Dora Redway		10,800	583.20
Poole, Ruth E. & Frederick		5,500	297.00
Poor, Jane H. & Fitch, Marion A.		12,500	675.00
Porter, Stanley D. & Josephine		8,500	459.00
Post Office Shop	400		21.60
Powers, Richard E.		2,000	108.00
Powers, William C. & Clara E.		6,100	329.40
Pratt, Nancy A.		550	29.70
Prescott, Ruth B.		200	10.80
Preston, Jean W.		24,000	1,296.00
Primak, John	575		31.05
Primak, John & Lena		11,200	604.80
Prouty, C. Newton		1,000	54.00
Quarton, Gardner & Frances		16,830	908.82

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Ragan, Ralph R. & Ruth M.		$ 5,000	$ 270.00
Ralston, Robert		4,300	232.20
Rand, Lucy K.		8,400	453.60
Rando, Giovannina		6,450	348.30
Rando, Philip	800		43.20
Reed, Kenneth C. & Margaret M.		8,100	437.40
Ricci, Joseph, Louis, Fred & Charles		5,050	272.70
Rice, Arthur W., Jr. & Pauline K.		12,200	658.80
Rice, Earl S. & Naoma F.		6,400	345.60
Rice, James F., Jr. & Barbara A.		3,400	183.60
Rice, Richard B. & Grace W.		5,700	307.80
Richard, Henry J. & Blanche C.		3,500	189.00
Richardson, Howard C.		200	10.80
Richardson, John A. W. & Anna H.		9,550	515.70
Richardson, Lyle		13,000	702.00
Riley, Allston & Marion		10,600	572.40
Riley, William B. & Mary M.		1,900	102.60
Robbins, Roland W. & Geraldine		3,000	162.00
Robey, A. Alexander & Harriet Stevens		10,800	583.20
Robichaud, George V. & Emma		5,000	270.00
Robichaud, George V.		11,500	621.00
Robinson, Dora J.		3,500	189.00
Robinson, Morris R. & Mary		100	5.40
Robus, Tamzin K.		2,500	135.00
Rodiman, Mildred M.		1,000	54.00
Rodiman, Mildred M. & Clark C.		3,550	191.70
Rogers, Edward H.	517	19,000	1,053.91
Rogers, John H., Estate of		7,000	378.00
Rollins, Elmer A.		800	43.20
Rollins, J. Leslie & Barbara		7,900	426.60
Rollins, Oliver W. & Hala P.		7,500	405.00
Rood, Allan & Jane		6,400	345.60
Rooney, Edward D. & Elizabeth M.		5,300	286.20
Rooney, John J. & Margaret C.		1,500	81.00
Root, Harriet E.		600	32.40
Root, Lily Frederica		3,350	180.90
Ross, William C. & Marion L.		10,200	550.80
Rouner, Thomas J. & Doris J.		8,250	445.50
Row, Ronald V. & Jane E.		4,500	243.00
Rowe, Lawrence L. & Mildred M.		1,700	91.80
Rowe, Standish S.		6,500	351.00
Roy, Nancy C.		300	16.20
Rudski, Mary & Slominski, Janina S.		4,150	224.10
Rufo, John & Helen L.		3,500	189.00
Ruocco, Ralph J. A. & Isabel I.		5,000	270.00
Russell, James D. & McPartland, Marguerite		2,000	108.00
Russes, Frances		2,900	156.00
Ryan, James J. & Helen		4,000	216.00

Name of Taxpayer	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real and Personal Estate
Ryan, Frank A.		$ 100	$ 5.40
Ryan, Lawrence		3,500	189.00
Ryan, Mary A.		2,400	129.60
Ryan, Mary J.		4,000	216.00
Sagendorph, Mrs. J. Hansell		15,200	820.80
Sample, Wilbur H. & Joan G.		1,500	81.00
Santangelo, Laura B. & John		350	18.90
Sawtell, Clement C. & Adelaide I.		6,000	324.00
Schaal, Albert A. & Zelpha M.		200	10.80
Schirmer, Charles G. & Ruth A.		6,500	351.00
Schlaifer, Robert O.		5,700	307.80
Schumacher, August		2,510	135.54
Schumacher, August & Mary		1,150	62.10
Schwann, William		7,450	402.30
Scott, Herman H.		7,500	405.00
Scott, Robert W.		21,400	1,155.60
Sears, Harold B.		1,000	54.00
Secora, Julia		2,500	135.00
Seeckts, E. William		6,500	351.00
Seeckts, Marion E. & Ehlert W.		4,000	216.00
Segadelli, Doris C. & John J.		5,500	297.00
Sexton, Maurice S.		2,100	113.40
Shank, Maurice E. & Virginia		5,500	297.00
Shapiro, Ascher H. & Sylvia C.		600	32.40
Shaw, Alice DeS.		19,600	1,058.40
Shaw, Harold & Ethel C.		500	27.00
Shea, Catherine E., Estate of		4,500	243.00
Shea, William J. & Margaret T.		5,000	270.00
Shepard, Paul F.		4,650	251.10
Sherman, Daniel E.		9,800	529.20
Sherman, D. Everett, Jr.	600	5,250	315.90
Sherwin, Edward V.		1,500	81.00
Shomphe, Patrick W. & Annie B.		6,000	324.00
Shrock, Robert R.		300	16.20
Shumway, Herbert L. & Violet A., Estate of		7,000	378.00
Siler, William C. & Barbara Jean		4,200	226.80
Silva, Manuel, Heirs of		19,150	1,034.10
Silva, Manuel, Jr.		1,750	94.50
Silva, Mary	2,400		129.60
Simonds, Anthony J.		5,300	286.20
Simonds, Raymond H. & Hazel		8,200	442.80
Sims, Mildred A.		1,700	91.80
Sisson, John H. & Barbara		10,800	583.20
Skilton, Edna R.		5,000	270.00
Small, William A. & Dolina N.		6,200	334.80
Smith, Carl D. & Florence C.		5,500	297.00
Smith, John E. & Helen M.		5,000	270.00
Smith, John E. & Patricia Ann		4,500	243.00

Name of Taxpayer	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real and Personal Estate
Smith, Sumner	$ 1,050	$ 55,700	$ 3,064.50
Smith, William J. & Barbara J.		2,700	145.80
Smith, William B. & Mary W.		3,900	210.60
Smith-Peterson, Hilda D.		2,150	116.10
Snelling, Charles A.		4,100	221.40
Snelling, Dorothy R.		4,300	232.20
Snelling, Howard and Elizabeth J.		4,500	243.00
Snider, Joseph L. & Greta W.		750	40.50
Sorenson, Hans, Heirs of		4,050	218.70
Sorenson, J. Oscar		4,250	229.50
Spence, Robert A. & Helen M.		6,000	324.00
Spencer, Henry W. & Marguerite S.		11,500	621.00
Spooner, Frederick C. & Sarah W.		3,800	205.20
Spooner, Kenneth O. & Vera H.		5,000	270.00
Spooner, Lily T.		4,100	221.40
Stahleker, Carl & Edith H.		5,250	283.50
Sterner, John & Janine M.		6,600	356.40
Stevens, Kimball C. & Eleanor G.		6,000	324.00
Stockellburg, Arthur A.		1,750	94.50
Stratford Realty Co., Inc.		9,100	491.40
Street, Earle B. & Janet H.		5,250	283.50
Striker, William W. & Marjorie B.		5,000	270.00
Sturgis, Alanson H., Jr. & Anne H.		4,750	256.50
Sturm, Henry A., Jr. & Harriet W.		5,200	280.80
Sullivan, Winifred P.		1,200	64.80
Swan, Edmund & Eleanor C.		4,400	237.60
Swanson, Alfred & Alma		7,450	402.30
Swanson, Arthur W. & Helen K.		7,600	410.40
Swanson Pontiac, Inc.	1,500		81.00
Swanson Realty Corp.		17,100	923.40
Swartz, Eli & Jeanette W.		4,350	234.90
Sweeney, Joseph E. & Jeanne M.		5,250	283.50
Swift, Orlando B. & Janice B.		8,650	467.10
Swift, William N. & Phyllis C.		8,600	464.40
Swinconeck, John J.		1,600	86.40
Taillacq, Elsie		4,000	216.00
Tarbell, George G., et al, Trustee		21,200	1,144.80
Tarbell, George G., Jr.		8,100	437.40
Tarky, William J., Jr.		1,000	54.00
Tasker, Eliza J.		3,500	189.00
Taylor, Edward S.		6,850	369.90
Taylor, Frederick B. & Lex H.		8,000	432.00
Teabo, Eugene R. & Alice M.		1,400	75.60
Tennessee Gas Transmission Co.		49,350	2,664.90
Tetreault, Arthur H. & Claire F.		500	27.00
Tew, John B.		13,400	723.60
Thiessen, Arthur E. & Laura		13,600	734.40
Thomas, Melvin H. & Phyllis I.		2,600	140.40
Thompson, Donald O. & Barbara Ann		5,000	270.00

Name of Taxpayer	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real and Personal Estate
Thompson, G. Brooks, Jr. & Arlene		$ 8,300	$ 448.20
Thorpe, Margaret M.		7,000	378.00
Thorson, Robert H. & Kathryn F.		7,100	383.40
Tobey, Aubrey C. & Cynthia W.		100	5.40
Todd, Mabel H.		16,700	901.80
Todd, Pauline E., Adm.		27,900	1,506.60
Toler, Louise C.		5,000	270.00
Tonseth, Didrick & Phebe		1,850	99.90
Torode, Herbert L. & Lorraine S.		2,750	148.50
Tracey, Elizabeth M.		8,300	448.20
Tracey, Joseph	500		27.00
Tracey, Joseph R. & Elizabeth M.		4,200	226.80
Tracy, John W. & Gertrude G.		3,000	162.00
Troisi, Ferdinand L. & Mary G.		1,900	102.60
Tucker, Gardner		500	27.00
Tunnell, Raymond W. & Suzanne D.		6,500	351.00
Turner, Charles F. & Winifred A.		4,400	237.60
Tyler, Ethel A., Admx.		2,700	145.80
Tyler, Watson, Heirs of		2,700	145.80
Umbrello, Francis	2,350		126.90
Umbrello, Francis & Virginia		8,950	483.30
Vance, Jane K.		18,700	1,009.80
Van Leer, Hans L.	2,420	900	179.28
Van Leer, Hans L. & Mary K.		11,000	594.00
Van Wart, Walter L. & Mary A.		1,600	86.40
Vitale, Joseph A. & M. Frances		7,100	383.40
Waible, Wendell J. & Florence E.		5,200	280.80
Walen, Roger S. & Constance M.		4,000	216.00
Wales, Andrew M. & Betty R.		11,500	621.00
Wales, Isabel G.		14,800	799.20
Waller, Ervin S.		500	27.00
Ward, Henry DeC. & Janet Clark		11,700	631.80
Ward, Walter B. & Sophie E.		5,000	270.00
Warner, Henrietta S.		9,500	513.00
Warner, Henry E.		19,650	1,061.10
Warner, John Burton & Barbara K.		10,500	567.00
Washburn, Mabel L. & Rachel W.		4,400	237.60
Washburn, Rachel W.		100	5.40
Webb, John F.		9,000	486.00
Webb, Rosella		5,500	297.00
Welch, Vernon F. & Leatrice June		5,250	283.50
Weld,Anne S. & Frederick C.		10,500	567.00
Wellman, Bertram & Cora B.		4,500	243.00
Wells, George and K. W.		8,300	448.20
Westcott, Charles W. C. & Mary		3,500	189.00
Westcott, Vernon C. & Mary Alice		6,500	351.00
Western Union Tel. & Tel. Co.	2,100		113.40

Name of Taxpayer	Aggregate Value of Personal Estate	Aggregate Value of Real Estate	Tax on Real and Personal Estate
Weston, Georgianna H.		$ 4,500	$ 243.00
Whalen, William B. & Mary E.		3,500	189.00
Wheeler, Elizabeth F., Ann H., Mary L. and Ruth A. Gale		17,150	926.10
White, Katharine S. & John W.		13,200	712.80
White, Robert E. & Marion S.		4,800	259.20
Whitney, Harold A. & Consuelo V.		4,600	248.40
Whittier, Charles F. & Calkins, Ramona		2,200	118.80
Wilbor, John S. & Anne F.		6,150	332.10
Wiley, G. Arnold & Helen		10,850	585.90
Wilfert, Walter A. & Eleanor A.		200	10.80
Wilfert, Fred J. & Eleanor M.		5,400	291.60
Wilfert, Walter A., Fred J., Elean or A., and Eleanor M.		600	32.40
Wilkie, Earl L. & Virginia A.		4,600	248.40
Willard, Henry L. & Helen S.		8,000	432.00
Willard, Leslie M. & Bernice L.		4,750	256.50
Williams, Edwin L., Jr.		4,900	264.60
Williamson, Elizabeth R.		1,300	70.20
Wilson, Elizabeth		6,100	329.40
Wilson, John Otis		9,100	491.40
Wilson, Montgomery S. & Mary Ann		6,750	364.50
Wilson, Melvin S. & Eleanor F.		5,250	283.50
Wilson, William A. & Eleanor L.		9,200	496.80
Winchell, Guilbert & Evelyn		26,650	1,439.10
Winchell, Guilbert S. & Amy Jane		3,200	172.80
Witham, Arthur R. & Margaret F.		3,200	172.80
Witherton, John R.		5,800	313.20
Wood, Frank H. & Jeanne R.		8,200	442.80
Wood, George A., Jr. & Nancy L.		5,000	270.00
Wood, James D. & Ruth E.		4,500	243.00
Wood, James & Lizzie		4,500	243.00
Wood, Robert C. & Margaret B.		3,000	162.00
Woodington, N. Gordon & Mary L.		7,600	410.40
Woodland Trust		420	22.68
Woods, Henry A. & Barbara R.		6,500	351.00
Woodward, Thomas M., Jr. & Barbara L.		6.050	326.70
Woodworth, Robert W. & Catharine S.		2,850	153.90
Worthington, Thomas K. & Elizabeth C.		6,000	324.00
Yagjian, Jacob & Inez		600	32.40
Young, Edward L.		2,350	126.90
Young, David B. & Cora S.		3,150	170.10
Zdanowski, John J. & Mary A.	300	4,530	260.82
Ziegler, Elmer H. & Hilda M.		5,100	275.40

REPORT OF COMMISSIONERS OF TRUST FUNDS

JOHN H. PIERCE LEGACY

Cash Account

Cash balance at January 1, 1955		$ 1,849.33
Income received in 1955:		
Bond interest	$ 512.39	
Savings bank interest	137.99	
Annuity u/w John H. Pierce	3,000.00	
Well-Child Clinic fees	19.00	
Dental Clinic fees	1,414.20	5,083.58
Withdrawn from savings bank		1,000.00
Bond interest used to amortize purchase premiums		1.37
2,000 St. Louis San Francisco 2 7/8% bond matured		2,000.00
Insurance claim, hurricane damage to property		31.83
Refund of overpayment of 1954 aid		41.66
		$10,007.77
Payments per order of Selectmen:		
Hospital and nursing home aid	$1,862.25	
Medicines	124.35	
Doctors' bills	277.00	
Well-Child Clinic	427.84	
Dental Clinic	2,238.63	
Repairs to Pierce house	81.83	
Care of grounds	989.58	
Ambulance	15.00	
	$6,016.48	
Savings bank interest allowed to accumulate	137.99	
Deposited in savings bank	1,000.00	
Accrued interest paid on bonds purchased	20.44	
2,000 Great Northern Rwy. Equip. Trust 2 7/8% 1960	1,990.62	9,165.53
Cash balance at December 31, 1955		$ 842.24

Cash and Securities at December 31, 1955

Cash on hand	$ 842.24
Middlesex Institution for Savings	2,423.41
Provident Institution for Savings	2,304.50
U S A bonds, at cost:	
11,000 Series "G" 2½% due Sept. 1, 1956	11,000.00
2,500 Series "G" 2½% due Nov. 1, 1959	2,500.00
8,500 Series "F" due April 1, 1958	6,290.00
2,000 Series "F" due March 1, 1960	1,480.00
2,700 Series "F" due Dec. 1, 1960	1,998.00
3,500 Series "F" due July 1, 1962	2,590.00
2,000 Baltimore & Ohio RR Eq. Trust "CC" 3% due 1961	1,995.72
2,000 Great Northern Rwy Equip. Trust 2 7/8% due 1960	1,990.62
1,000 Southern California Edison 3% due 1965	1,000.00
	$36,414.49

ABBIE J. STEARNS FUND FOR THE SILENT POOR

Cash Account

Cash balance at January 1, 1955		$ 95.00
USA bond and savings bank interest in 1955		96.59
USA Series "G" bond matured		1,200.00
		$ 1,391.59
Payments per order of Selectmen	$ 97.93	
Safe deposit box rent	3.00	
Savings bank interest allowed to accumulate	81.59	
Deposited in savings bank	1,200.00	1,382.52
Cash balance at December 31, 1955		$ 9.07

Cash and Securities at December 31, 1955

Cash on deposit	$ 9.07
Boston Five Cents Savings Bank	1,224.09
Middlesex Institution for Savings	1,883.12
	$ 3,116.28
Accumulated income	$ 1,891.23
Principal	1,225.05
	$ 3,116.28

GRAMMAR SCHOOL FUND

Cash Account

1955 savings bank interest paid to Town of Lincoln	$ 38.81

Savings bank deposits at December 31, 1955

Middlesex Institution for Savings	$ 722.00
Cambridge Savings Bank	495.52
	$ 1,217.52

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DeCORDOVA SCHOOL EQUIPMENT FUND

Cash Account

Cash balance at January 1, 1955	$ 2.17
Interest income received in 1955	699.08
Interest credited to book value of bonds to amortize purchase premiums	4.34
	$705.59
Net income for 1955 paid to Town of Lincoln	699.08
Cash balance at December 31, 1955	$ 6.51

Cash and Securities at December 31, 1955

Cash on deposit	$ 6.51
Cambridge Savings Bank	2,791.52
Middlesex Institution for Savings	2,247.48
USA bonds:	
$10,000 Series "G" 2½% due April 1, 1958	10,000.00
1,000 Series "G" 2½% due Nov. 1, 1959	1,000.00
1,000 U S Treasury 2½% due March 15, 1970-65	1,012.11
2,000 U S Treasury Reg'd 2 3/4% due April 1,1980-75	2,026.85
Corporate bonds:	
$ 1,000 Alabama Power Co. 3½% due Jan. 1, 1972	989.80
1,000 American Telephone & Telegraph Co. 2 3/4% due 1975	948.30
1,000 Baltimore & Ohio RR Eq. Trust "CC" 3% due Sept. 1, 1961	997.86
1,000 Northern Pacific RR Eq. Trust 2 3/4% due August 10, 1966	989.95
1,000 Southern California Edison Co. 3% due 1965	1,000.00
1,000 Western Maryland RR 4% due 1969	1,023.09
	$25,033.47

DONALD GORDON RECREATION FUND

Cash Account

Cash balance at January 1, 1955		$ 171.79
Interest income for 1955		166.50
$3,000 USA Series "G" 2½% bonds matured		3,000.00
		$3,338.29
Savings bank interest allowed to accumulate	$ 69.00	
Deposited in savings banks	3,000.00	3,069.00
Cash balance at December 31, 1955		$ 269.29

Cash and Securities at December 31, 1955

Cash on deposit	$ 269.29
Boston Five Cents Savings Bank	1,020.08
Middlesex Institution for Savings	1,266.07
Provident Institution for Savings	1,020.13
$1,000 Baltimore & Ohio RR Eq. Trust "CC" 3% due Sept. 1, 1961	997.86
1,000 Southern California Edison Co. 3% due 1965	1,000.00
	$ 5,573.43
Accumulated income	$ 378.68
Principal	5,194.75

CHARLES SUMNER SMITH SCHOOL AND PLAYGROUND FUND

Cash Account

Cash balance at January 1, 1955		$ 11,600.34
Interest income		
1954 income not previously recorded	$ 60.66	
1955 income	1,346.61	1,407.27
USA Series "F" bond matured		25,000.00
USA Series "F" bonds redeemed:		
$1,000 due Nov. 1, 1956		962.00
6,000 due May 1, 1957		5,670.00
700 due Oct. 1, 1957		650.30
1,200 due Dec. 1, 1958		1,080.00
9,000 due June 1, 1959		7,983.00
1,000 due Oct. 1, 1959		874.00
1,375 due Dec. 1, 1962		1,095.86
USA Series "G" bonds redeemed:		
$11,000 due Sept. 1, 1956		10,846.00
Corporate bonds sold:		
$1,000 Baltimore & Ohio Eq. Trust "CC" due 1961		969.50
2,000 Baltimore & Ohio Eq. Trust "FF" due 1967		1,939.00
2,000 Great Northern Rwy Eq. Trust "M" due 1960		1,984.62
Withdrawals from savings banks		32,312.96
		$104,374.85
Disbursements:		
Safe deposit box rent	3.00	
Paid to Town of Lincoln, to be applied to cost of Second Addition to the Smith School, as per court order	104,371.85	104,374.85

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BEMIS LECTURE FUND

Cash Account

Cash balance at January 1, 1955		$ 1,103.13
Interest income received in 1955		911.38
$3,000 Louisville & Nashville RR 4% bond matured		3,000.00
		$ 5,014.51
Payments per order Bemis Lecture Fund trustees:		
January 21 - Dr. J. Michael Hagopian	$ 150.00	
February 4 - Basil Milovsoroff	100.00	
March 4 - Mildred Capron	150.00	
April 1 - Nemone Balfour	150.00	
April 29 - Dr. Richard Howard	75.00	
Printing and postage	180.83	
Janitor services at lectures	16.58	
Taxi service for lecturer	4.00	
	$ 826.41	
Safe deposit box rent	3.00	
Deposited in savings banks	3,000.00	3,829.41
Cash balance at December 31, 1955		$ 1,185.10

Cash and Securities at December 31, 1955

Cash on deposit	$ 1,185.10
Cambridge Savings Bank	1,500.00
Middlesex Institution for Savings	2,028.04
Provident Institution for Savings	1,500.00
U S A bonds, at cost:	
$11,000 Series "G" 2½%, due Sept. 1, 1956	11,000.00
3,000 Series "G" 2½%, due April 1, 1957	3,000.00
4,800 Series "G" 2½%, due May 1, 1957	4,800.00
1,000 Series "G" 2½%, due Nov. 1, 1959	1,000.00
$3,000 Atchison Topeka & Santa Fe RR gen'l 4% 1995	3,000.00
3,000 New England Power Co. 3 1/4% due 1961	3,000.00
1,000 Southern California Edison Co. 3% due 1965	1,000.00
	$33,013.14
Accumulated income	$ 1,173.10
Principal	31,840.04
	$33,013.14

LINCOLN LIBRARY TRUST FUNDS

Cash Account

Cash balance at January 1, 1955		$ 86.66
Income received in 1955:		
Julia A. Bemis Fund	$ 22.18	
Elizabeth & Leland Burr Fund	2.39	
Codman Fund	10.65	
Robert L. DeNormandie Fund	12.39	
Hugh Anthony Gaskill Fund	4.94	
John H. Pierce Fund	33.52	
George Russell Fund	13.93	
Abbie J. Stearns Fund	64.25	
Abbie J. Stearns Special Fund	40.66	
George G. Tarbell Fund	103.88	
Constance Taylor Fund	2.30	
C. Edgar and Elizabeth S. Wheeler Fund	40.13	351.22
USA Series "G" bonds matured:		
John H. Pierce Fund		1,000.00
Abbie J. Stearns Fund		1,000.00
George G. Tarbell Fund		3,000.00
Codman Fund		400.00
Donations to establish Philip W. Place Fund		61.00
		$ 5,898.88
Paid per order Library Trustees to Town of Lincoln, for purchase of books	$ 200.00	
Edith B. Farrar, Librarian, income from John H. Pierce Library Fund	33.52	
Safe deposit box rent	3.00	
Savings bank interest allowed to accumulate	197.10	
Deposited in savings banks:		
John H. Pierce Fund	1,000.00	
George G. Tarbell Fund	3,000.00	
Abbie J. Stearns Fund	1,000.00	
Codman Fund	400.00	
Philip W. Place Fund	61.00	5,894.62
Cash balance at December 31, 1955		$ 4.26

Savings Bank Deposits at December 31, 1955

	Accumulated Income on Deposit	Principal	Total
Julia A. Bemis Fund			
Middlesex Inst. for Savings	$ 42.85	$ 684.05	$ 726.90
Elizabeth & Leland Burr Fund			
Middlesex Inst. for Savings	8.97	70.00	78.97

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	Accumulated Interest on Deposit	Principal	Total
Codman Fund			
Middlesex Inst. for Savings	$ 7.89	$ 474.59	$ 482.48
Robert L. DeNormandie Fund			
Warren Inst. for Savings	26.23	397.00	423.23
Hugh Anthony Gaskill Fund			
Middlesex Inst. for Savings	-	158.89	158.89
John H. Pierce Fund			
Cambridge Savings Bank	-	500.00	500.00
Middlesex Inst. for Savings	-	614.57	614.57
		1,114.57	1,114.57
Philip W. Place Fund			
Warren Inst. for Savings	-	61.00	61.00
George Russell Fund			
Middlesex Inst. for Savings	40.72	415.74	456.46
Abbie J. Stearns Fund			
Middlesex Inst. for Savings	106.38	930.00	1,036.38
Provident Inst. for Savings	20.13	1,000.00	1,020.13
		1,930.00	2,056.51
Abbie J. Stearns Special Fund			
Middlesex Inst. for Savings	-	1,301.03	1,301.03
George G. Tarbell Fund			
Middlesex Inst. for Savings	41.72	1,138.38	1,180.10
Provident Inst. for Savings	20.13	1,000.00	1,020.13
Warren Inst. for Savings	20.08	1,000.00	1,020.08
		3.138.38	3,220.31
Constance Taylor Fund			
Warren Inst. for Savings	5.45	73.00	78.45
C. Edgar & Elizabeth S. Wheeler Fund			
Middlesex Inst. for Savings	79.31	1,235.46	1.314.77
	$419.86	$11,053.71	$ 11,473.57
Accumulated income on deposit	4.26		4.26
	$424.12	$11,053.71	$ 11,477.83

DeCORDOVA AND DANA MUSEUM AND PARK
REPORT TO TOWN OF LINCOLN AND TO CORPORATION

OPERATING STATEMENT - 1955

Operating Income

From deCordova Trusts		$49,513.21
Dues of Associates		5,375.21
Contributions of Visitors		542.49
School Tuition		
Adults	$11,778.96	
Children	8,025.60	19,804.56
Sale of School Supplies and Books		2,510.69
Admissions (Concerts, dance, festival)		5,472.50
Miscellaneous (Sale of firewood, paintings, services)		1,967.08
Total Operating Income		$85,185.74

Operating Expense

Salaries		
Staff	$30,147.25	
School	19,960.32	$50,107.57
School Supplies		2,795.73
Supplies & Maintenance		4,396.51
Fuel, Utilities		4,438.31
Insurance, Taxes		2,409.95
Repayment of Loan		4,708.31
Exhibitions		3,321.90
Concerts, dance, festival		4,922.56
Subscriptions		209.01
Publications, Mailings, etc.		3,884.10
Cottage		580.92
Grounds Maintenance		768.53
Cost of school supplies & books sold		1,712.93
Cost of school supplies & books held for resale		1,524.00
Miscellaneous expense		363.36
Total Operating Expense		$86,143.69
Operating Loss for the Year		$ 957.95

This year it was necessary to make substantial repairs to the caretaker's cottage and to replace a worn-out utility jeep. Also some worthwhile works of art became available for purchase to add to the Museum's permanent collection. The costs of these major expenditures were:

Reroofing and equipment, caretaker's cottage and jeep	$ 7,482.53
Purchase of works of art	1,393.50
Total	$ 8,876.03

The Museum must plan for these unusual expenditures and has transferred these funds from savings accumulated for the purpose:

From Corporate Reserves	$5,095.00	
From Accessions Unrestricted	1,393.50	$ 6,488.50

The remainder of $2,387.53 was taken from current cash funds.

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Recommended Budget for 1956 for General Purposes and the Water Department

The Finance Committee recommends that the Town of Lincoln adopt the several separate appropriations for General Purposes (excluding Water Department) listed by number in the attached schedule aggregating $559,579. This compares with 1955 appropriations of $479,030. for similar items and represents an increase of $80,549. or approximately 17%. The several departments had for 1955 unexpended appropriations of $12,655. in total.

The following table shows the total dollars recommended for expenditure in 1956 and their relative percentages by major categories.

	1956	%
General Government	$27,283.	4.9
Protection of Persons & Property	55,193.	9.9
Health & Sanitation	7,326.	1.3
Highways	61,874.	11.1
Aid to Citizens	21,500.	3.8
Education	307,573.	55.0
Recreation	2,915.	.5
Cemeteries	3,395.	.6
Unclassified	15,674.	2.8
Debt Service	48,846.	8.7
Reserve	8,000.	1.4
	$559,579.	100.0

The Committee recommends for the Water Department the four separate appropriations numbered 93 through 96 aggregating $39,204. to be taken from the Water Department Treasury. The 1955 appropriation was $30,440.

Transfers from the Reserve Fund by this Committee for unforeseen departmental requirements totalled $5,350. out of the $8,000. appropriated from Overlay Surplus account for that purpose:

Elections & Registration	$135.00
Town House	958.23
Police	668.72
Board of Appeals	39.38
Civil Defense	300.00

LINCOLN FIRE ALARM CODE, 1956

Telephone connecting both South and North Stations, Clearwater 9-8111.

12 North Great Rd. at Virginia Rd.
13 Virginia Rd. at Old Bedford Rd.
14 Virginia Rd. near McHugh's
15 North Great Rd. near Cunnert's Mill
16 North Great Rd. at Brooks Rd.
17 North Great Rd. near Concord Line
112 North Great Rd. at Mill Street
113 Mill Street
121 Old Bedford Rd. - Bedford Line
123 Virginia Rd. - Concord Line
132 Town House
21 North Lincoln Fire Station
23 Cambridge Tpke. - Brooks Rd.
24 Cambridge Tpke - Concord Line
25 Bedford Rd. - Morningside
26 Morningside - Sunnyside
212 Cambridge Tpke. - Lexington Rd.
213 Cambridge Tpke. - Lexington Line
214 Mill St. - Lexington Road
215 Lexington Rd. - Old Farm Rd.
216 Blueberry & Grasshopper Lanes
231 Oak Knoll - Cambridge Tpke.
241 By Pass Tpke. to North Great Road
31 Bedford Rd. - Hilliard Road
32 Lincoln Center
34 Trapelo Rd. - Lexington Rd.
35 Trapelo Rd. - Page Road
36 Trapelo Rd. - Old County Rd.
37 Page Road
312 Sandy Pond Rd. - Baker Bridge Road
313 Baker Bridge Rd. - Storrow House
314 Woods End Road
315 Baker Bridge Rd. - Concord Rd.
316 Lake Walden Reservation - Concord Line
321 Sandy Pond Rd. - Concord Line
351 Tabor Hill Rd. at Circle
352 Huckleberry Hill near Adler
361 Old County Rd. near Hagmann
362 Old County Rd. near Flynn
41 Lincoln Rd. at MacIntosh Lane
42 Lincoln Rd. at Tower Road
43 Tower Rd. at Beaver Pond Rd.
45 Silver Hill Road
46 Weston Rd. - Conant Road
47 Conant Rd. - Weston Line
411 Old Winter Street
412 Winter St. near J. Coane
413 Winter St. - Waltham Line
421 Beaver Pond Road
422 Center School
431 Tower Rd. at Cunningham
432 Tower Rd. near Ryan
441 Smith School
51 Lincoln Rd. - South Great Rd.
52 South Great Rd. at R. R. Crossing
53 South Great Rd. - Tower Road
54 South Great Rd. - Weston Line
56 Weston Rd. - Weston Line
58 Tower Rd. - Weston Line
511 South Lincoln Fire Station
512 Codman Rd. - Lincoln Road
521 Sudbury Rd. near Boyce
523 Codman Rd. - South Great Rd.
561 Brown's Woods Road
61 Lincoln Rd. - Wayland Line
62 Concord Rd. - Giles Road
63 OxBow Rd. - Wayland Line
64 Concord Rd. - South Great Rd.
65 Concord Rd. - Codman Rd.
66 Hillside Road
67 Baker Bridge
68 Concord Rd. near C. F. Adams
612 South Great Rd. - Concord Line
618 Left Branch Adams Estate
628 Right Branch Adams Estate

1-1-1-1 Police Department
1-1-1 Water Department Emergency
1-1 Test Blow, Noon
1-1 After an alarm, all out
5-5-5-5 Mutual Aid
7-7-7 Boy Scout Call

3 rounds of box number, Building Fire
2 rounds of box number, Forest Fire

No School Signal at 7:00, 3-3-3
7:10, 3-3-3

AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE DRIVING OF VEHICLES OVER MUNICIPAL FIRE HOSE

1926, Chapter 278

Section 7A. Upon the approach of any fire apparatus which is going to a fire or responding to an alarm, every person driving a vehicle on a way shall immediately drive said vehicle as far as possible toward the right-hand curb or side of said way and shall keep the same at a standstill until such fire apparatus has passed. No person shall drive a vehicle over a hose of a fire department without the consent of a member of such department. No person shall drive a vehicle within three hundred feet of any fire apparatus going to a fire or responding to an alarm, nor drive said vehicle or park or leave the same unattended within six hundred feet of fire or within the fire lines established thereat by the fire department. Violation of any provision of this section shall be punished by a fine of not more than twenty-five dollars. (Approved April 28, 1926.)

CHAPTER 148 AS AMENDED TO 1949

Section 54

Whoever drops or throws from any vehicle while the same is upon a public or private way running along or near forest land, or, except as permitted by law, drops, throws, deposits, or otherwise places in or upon forest land, any lighted cigarette, cigar, match, live ashes or other flaming or glowing substance or thing which in and of itself is likely to cause a fire, shall be punished by a fine of not more than one hundred dollars or by imprisonment for not more than thirty days.

A PERMIT IS REQUIRED FOR ALL OPEN FIRES.

Inspect and clean oil burners annually.

Keep chimneys clean.

IN CASE OF FIRE: Speak clearly to telephone operator. Give your name, address, type of fire. Always call the Fire Department before attempting to extinguish a fire yourself.

False alarms are punishable by fine, imprisonment, or both.

AT SOUND OF TRAFFIC SIREN - PULL OVER TO RIGHT SIDE OF ROAD AND COME TO A FULL STOP.

Communications	390.00
Board of Health	433.50
Highways	216.11
Street Lights	36.53
Schools	1,000.00
Recreation	134.39
Dump	149.12
Insurance	484.43
Capital Requirements Comm.	400.00
Interest on Tax Notes	4.53
	$5,349.94

The Surplus available for appropriation (free cash), certified by the State as of January 1, 1956, as required by law, is $106,361. as compared with a similar figure for last year of $102,970. This committee recommends appropriations from free cash amounting to $53,660.50 as shown in our report.

On the basis of the assessed value of real estate and personal property, subject to local taxation on January 1, 1955, of $6,253,215., each $6,253. appropriated will have an effect of $1.00 on the tax rate.

We invite the attention of the Town to the report of the Long Term Capital Requirements Committee, which is issued in separate pamphlet form.

This comprehensive study brings out the fact that our Town is faced with a number of very substantial construction projects within the next 5 or 10 years, including a fire station, extensive road improvements, library addition, elementary and high school additions.

These increased capital requirements, when coupled with our rapidly expanding operating budgets for the various Departments of the Town, will produce increasing demands upon the Town's finances.

Therefore, cautious programming of all new projects, careful committee planning, and thrifty operation by all departments will be necessary to keep the tax burden within reasonable bounds as our Town develops.

Respectfully submitted,

Thomas L. Rouner, Secretary — William N. Page
Paul L. Norton — Charles K. Fitts
F. Winchester Denio, Chairman

FINANCE

SCHEDULE OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES OF 1955 AND RECOMMENDATIONS FOR 1956

	Appropriation 1955	Expenditures 1955	Recommendations 1956
GENERAL GOVERNMENT			
Selectmen.			
1. Salaries, Selectmen	$ 600.00	$ 600.00	$ 600.00
2. " Adm. Asst.	5,800.00	5,800.00	5,800.00
3. " Clerks	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
4. Supplies & Misc.	2,000.00	1,965.12	1,340.00
	$10,400.00	$10,365.12	$9,740.00
Treasurer.			
5. Salaries	$ 400.00	$ 400.00	$ 400.00
6. Clerical	500.00	500.00	1,000.00
7. Supplies & Misc.	400.00	355.84	500.00
8. Protectograph	-----	-----	250.00
	$1,300.00	$1,255.84	$2,150.00
Collector.			
9. Salary	$1,800.00	$1,800.00	$2,000.00
10. Supplies & Misc.	575.00	418.68	400.00
	$2,375.00	$2,218.68	$2,400.00
Town Clerk.			
11. Salary	$ 300.00	$ 300.00	$ 450.00
12. Supplies & Misc.	50.00	25.72	50.00
	$ 350.00	$ 325.72	$ 500.00
Assessors.			
13. Salaries	$ 550.00	$ 550.00	$ 550.00
14. Clerical	1,000.00	966.35	1,000.00
15. Supplies & Misc.	425.00	394.31	725.00
	$1,975.00	$1,910.66	$2,275.00
Auditor.			
16. Salary	$ 50.00	$ 50.00	$ 50.00
Legal.			
17. Counsel	$ 500.00	$ 448.20	$ 500.00
Election and Registration			
18. Salaries	$ 250.00	$ 248.00	$ 250.00
19. Supplies & Misc.	500.00	635.00	700.00
	$ 750.00	$ 883.00	$ 950.00
Town House.			
20. Salaries	$2,600.00	$2,650.00	$2,860.00
21. Fuel	700.00	823.23	750.00
22. Repairs & Maint.	1,235.00	1,542.73	3,227.00
23. Supplies & Misc.	2,020.00	911.57	966.00
	$6,555.00	$5,927.53	$7,803.00

	Appropriation 1955	Expenditures 1955	Recommendations 1956
Planning Board.			
24. Clerical & Technical	$ 300.00	$ 104.00	$ 300.00
25. Supplies & Misc.	150.00	122.68	600.00
	$ 450.00	$ 226.68	$ 900.00
Finance Committee.			
26. Dues	$ 15.00	$ 15.00	$ 15.00
TOTAL FOR GENERAL GOVERNMENT	$24,720.00	$23,626.43	$27,283.00
PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY			
Police.			
27. Salaries	$13,900.00	$14,568.72	$16,543.00
28. Supplies & Misc.	2,845.00	2,802.62	2,575.00
	$16,745.00	$17,371.34	$19,118.00
Fire.			
29. Salaries	$ 500.00	$ 500.00	$ 500.00
30. Labor at fires	4,000.00	3,193.00	4,000.00
31. Operation, Supplies & Equipment	3,100.00	2,900.23	4,500.00
	$ 7,600.00	$ 6,593.23	$ 9,000.00
Tree & Moth Department.			
32. Salary	$ 200.00	$ 200.00	$ 200.00
33. Insect Control	2,000.00	1,971.31	3,000.00
34. Poison Ivy, Chap. 40	500.00	497.47	600.00
35. Dutch Elm Disease, Ch. 761 & Elm Tree Removal	3,000.00	2,994.39	4,000.00
36. Brush Control	500.00	495.63	500.00
37. Pruning Public Trees	2,000.00	1,983.75	2,000.00
	$ 8,200.00	$ 8,142.55	$10,300.00
Board of Appeals.			
38. Clerical	$ 350.00	$ 306.00	$ 350.00
39. Supplies & Misc.	300.00	339.38	350.00
	$ 650.00	$ 645.38	$ 700.00
Inspectors of Building, Plumbing & Wiring.			
40. Salaries & Transp.	$ 1,000.00	$ 947.55	$ 1,500.00
Civil Defense.			
Telephone Rental	$ 350.00	$ 115.72	$ ----
41. Supplies & Misc.	400.00	550.00	450.00
	$ 750.00	$ 665.72	$ 450.00
Communications.			
42. Wages	$ 6,361.75	$ 3,989.74	$ 8,000.00

	Appropriation 1955	Expenditures 1955	Recommendations 1956	
43. Equipment Purchase	$ 4,887.84	$ 6,457.80	$ 1,375.00	*
44. Equipment Rental & Maint.	-----	----	3,000.00	
45. Supplies & Misc.	-----	---	1,750.00	**
	11,249.59	10,447.54	14,125.00	

* To be taken from Free Cash
** $500.00 to be taken from Water Works Treasury.

TOTAL FOR PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY	$46,194.59	$44,813.31	$55,193.00

HEALTH & SANITATION

Board of Health.

46. Salaries of Nurses	$ 2,340.00	$ 2,436.00	$ 2,500.50	*
47. Supplies & Misc.	950.00	1,172.46	975.00	**
48. Garbage Collection	3,750.00	2,925.75	3,750.00	***
	$ 7,040.00	$ 6,534.21	$ 7,225.50	

* $660.00 Add'l. to be paid by School Dept.
** $160.50 to be taken from Free Cash and returned when received from Town of Sudbury.
*** To be taken from Free Cash and returned thereto from garbage collection receipts.

Inspector of Animals.

49. Salary	$ 100.00	$ 100.00	$ 100.00

TOTAL FOR HEALTH & SANITATION	$ 7,140.00	$ 6,634.21	$ 7,325.50

HIGHWAYS

50. Chapter 90 Maint.	$ 4,500.00	$ 4,436.91	$ 4,500.00	*
51. Chapter 90 Const.	12,000.00	6.90	13,000.00	*

* State & County share of $3,000. for item 50 and $9,750. for item 51 to be taken from Free Cash and returned to Free Cash when received.

General Highways.

52. Wages	$14,500.00	$14,393.52	$16,150.00
53. General Expenses	700.00	916.11	772.00
54. Highway Maintenance	8,000.00	7,713.56	12,000.00
55. Snow Removal	3,500.00	2,602.23	3,500.00
56. Equip., Maint. & Suppl.	5,000.00	4,854.94	5,700.00
	$31,700.00	$30,480.36	$38,122.00

	Appropriation 1955	Expenditures 1955	Recommendations 1956	
57. Street Lights	$ 6,093.44	$ 6,129.97	$ 6,252.38	
TOTAL FOR HIGHWAYS	$54,293.44	$41,054.14	$61,874.38	
AID TO CITIZENS				
58. Public Welfare	$23,500.00	$23,334.20	$ 20,000.00	
59. Public Welfare Adm.	1,000.00	914.78	1,000.00	
60. Veterans' Aid	500.00	22.00	500.00	
TOTAL FOR AID TO CITIZENS	$25,000.00	$24,270.98	$21,500.00	
EDUCATION				
61. General Control	$15,900.00	$ 16,160.45	$ 13,030.00	
62. Out of State Travel	205.00	187.40	400.00	
63. Instruction	120,841.00	118,061.12	150,787.00	
64. Operation	21,475.00	21,803.33	23,190.00	
65. Maintenance	5,955.00	5,953.83	4,575.00	
66. Auxiliary Agencies	59,786.00	59,135.83	47,406.00	
67. Vocational	1,383.00	1,270.68	1,165.00	
68. New Equipment	1,438.00	1,285.12	1,466.00	*
	$226,983.00	$223,857.76	$242,019.00	
Regional High School.				
69. Lincoln-Sudbury Regional H. S. District	$ 10,692.00	$ 9,885.00	$ 57,164.47	
Library.				
70. Salaries	$ 4,300.00	$ 4,300.00	$ 5,086.00	
71. Books	1,375.00	1,214.97	1,475.00	
72. Supplies & Misc.	907.00	893.65	1,528.00	
73. Repairs	228.00	44.65	300.00	
	6,810.00	6,453.27	8,389.00	**
TOTAL FOR EDUCATION	$244,485.00	$240,196.03	$307,572.47	
RECREATION				
74. Salaries & Wages	$ 1,450.00	$ 1,250.00	$ 2,100.00	
75. Supplies & Misc.	1,020.00	1,150.49	815.00	
TOTAL FOR RECREATION	$ 2,470.00	$ 2,400.49	$ 2,915.00	

* $699.08 to be taken from deCordova School Equip. Fund.

** $879.52 to be taken from County dog tax receipts.

	Appropriation 1955	Expenditures 1955	Recommendations 1956	
CEMETERY				
76. Salaries	$ 150.00	$ 150.00	$ 150.00	
77. Interments	----	75.00	300.00	
78. Labor & Maint.	2,500.00	2,388.90	2,825.00	
79. Supplies & Misc.	100.00	90.48	120.00	
TOTAL FOR CEMETERIES	$ 2,750.00	$ 2,704.38	$ 3,395.00	
UNCLASSIFIED				
80. Middlesex County Pension Fund	$ 2,891.60	$ 2,891.60	$ 3,429.00	
81. Town Reports	1,040.00	988.50	1,000.00	
82. Rent & Maint. of Dump	1,575.00	1,724.12	1,750.00	
83. Insurance	5,700.00	6,184.43	6,000.00	
84. Rent of Hydrants	3,195.00	3,195.00	3,495.00	
TOTAL FOR UNCLASSIFIED	$ 14,401.60	$ 14,983.65	$ 15,674.00	
TOWN DEBT SERVICE				
85. School building bonds	$ 33,000.00	$ 33,000.00	$ 33,000.00	*
86. Interest on School Bonds	8,417.50	8,417.50	7,840.00	
87. Highway Equip. Bldg. Bonds	4,000.00	4,000.00	4,000.00	*
88. Interest on Highway Bldg. Bonds	280.00	280.00	210.00	
89. Water Works Bonds	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00	**
90. Interest on Water Works Bonds	178.75	178.76	96.25	**
91. Interest on Tax Notes	700.00	704.53	700.00	
	$ 49,576.25	$ 49,580.79	$ 48,846.25	

* To be taken from Free Cash.
** To be taken from Water Works Treasury.

RESERVE FUND				
92. Reserve Fund	$ 8,000.00	*	$ 8,000.00	**

* Transfers from 1955 Reserve Fund of $5,349.94 are included in expenditures listed above.
** To be taken from Overlay Surplus, any unexpended balance to be returned thereto.

TOTAL 1955 APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES	$479,030.88	$450,264.41	
TOTAL RECOMMENDED FOR 1956			$559,578.60

	Appropriation 1955	Expenditures 1955	Recommendations 1956
WATER WORKS (from Water Works Treasury)			
93. Salaries & Wages	$ 9,225.00	$ 8,995.97	$ 9,725.00
94. Supplies, Maint. & Rentals	9,200.00	9,654.98	10,450.00
95. Meters, Operating Exp. & Misc.	6,753.72	6,047.43	15,185.00
96. Bond Service	3,261.25	3,178.76	3,178.76
TOTAL FOR WATER WORKS	$28,439.97	$27,877.14	$39,203.76

WARRANT

1956

NOTICE

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Lincoln in said County:

GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify the legal voters of said Town of Lincoln qualified to vote in Town Meeting for the transaction of Town affairs, to meet in the Charles S. Smith School in said Lincoln, on Monday the nineteenth day of March next at 7:30 o'clock P. M., then and there to act on the following articles except Article 1 and also to meet at the Charles S. Smith School on Saturday, the 24th day of March next, at 12 o'clock Noon, then and there to act on the following Article 1, by posting a copy of this Warrant, by you attested, in each of the Post Offices, and in some other public place in said Town seven days at least before the nineteenth day of March next.

The polls for voting the Australian ballot on Saturday, March twenty-fourth, will be open at 12 o'clock Noon, and may be closed at 7 o'clock P. M.

ARTICLE 1. To bring in their votes for one member for each of the following offices:

Town Clerk for one year.
Selectman for three years.
Selectman for one year.
Assessor for three years.
Treasurer for one year.
Collector of Taxes for three years.
Auditor for one year.
School Committee for three years.
Regional District School Committee for three years.
Water Commissioner for three years.
Board of Health for three years.
Tree Warden for one year.

Commissioner of Trust Funds for three years.
Trustee of Bemis Fund for Free Public Lectures for three years.
Cemetery Commissioner for three years.
Planning Board for five years.
Director of Dana-deCordova Museum for four years.

Referendum. Shall Chapter thirty-two B. of the General Laws, authorizing any county, city, town or district to provide a plan of group life insurance, group accidental death and dismemberment insurance and group general or blanket hospital, surgical and medical insurance for certain persons in the service of such county, city, town or district and their dependents, be accepted by this town?

ARTICLE 2. To bring in their votes for any committees, commissioners, trustees, and other officers, required by law to be elected by ballot or otherwise.

Selectmen

ARTICLE 3. To hear and act upon the reports of Town Officers, Committees, Commissioners and Trustees.

Selectmen

ARTICLE 4. To fix the salaries and compensation of the several elective officers of the Town and to determine whether any Department, Board or Committee shall be authorized to employ for additional compensation any of its members and to fix additional compensation of such members.

Selectmen

ARTICLE 5. To raise and appropriate money for the necessary and expedient purposes of the Town and enact anything in relation to the same.

Selectmen

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1957, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year and to renew any note or notes as

may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Selectmen

ARTICLE 7. To see if the Town will vote to conduct services on Memorial Day, the thirtieth of May, appoint a committee, raise and appropriate money, or take any other action relative thereto.

Selectmen

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will vote to celebrate Independence Day, the 4th of July, appoint a committee, raise and appropriate money, or take any other action relative thereto.

Selectmen

ARTICLE 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $508.19 to pay the following unpaid 1955 bills:

Library	$ 6.95
Insurance	26.73
Board of Health	290.46
Highways	1.25
Cemetery	182.80

or take any other action relative thereto.

Selectmen

ARTICLE 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to purchase the following town vehicles to replace existing equipment:

Police Department, Police car;
Highway Department, Truck;

or take any other action relative thereto.

Selectmen

ARTICLE 11. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a gift from E. W. Giles, Inc. a parcel of land in Lincoln shown as lot 8 on a plan entitled "Subdivision of Land in Lincoln, Massachusetts owned by E. W. Giles, Inc." dated June 28, 1954, Snelling and Hilton, Registered Land Surveyors, and recorded in Middlesex South District Deeds, said land being bounded and described according to said plan Southwesterly by State Highway (Route 2A) thirty-seven and 15/100 (37.15) feet; Northwesterly by lot 7 on said plan forty and 78/100 (40.78) feet; Northeasterly by Virginia

Road fifty-one and 94/100 (51.94) feet; Southeasterly by the intersection of Virginia Road and State Highway sixteen and 76/100 (16.76) feet. Containing 1192 square feet of land more or less; or take any other action relative thereto.

Selectmen

ARTICLE 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $6,000.00 for the purpose of continuing the East Middlesex Mosquito Control project as provided under Chapter 252 of the General Laws, or take any other action relative thereto.

Mosquito Control Committee

ARTICLE 13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to extend the street lights, southerly on Old County Road, from Trapelo Road to property now owned by Willard Meiss, or take any other action relative thereto.

By Petition

ARTICLE 14. To see if the Town will provide for a Committee to prepare preliminary plans for an addition to the Library, appropriate the sum of $3,000.00 therefor, or take any action relative thereto.

Library Trustees

ARTICLE 15. To see if the Town will vote to accept Chapter 760 of the Acts of 1955 which provides for an increase in the annual amounts of certain pensions, retirement allowances, annuities and other benefits, payable by the Commonwealth and its political subdivisions to certain former employees and persons claiming under them, or take any other action relative thereto.

Treasurer

ARTICLE 16. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a committee and raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of adding dates to the Memorial on the Library grounds, also to provide a permanent honor roll for veterans of all wars, or take any other action relative thereto.

Selectmen

ARTICLE 17. To see if the Town will vote to change the name of that section of Upland Field Road, beginning at Lincoln Road and extending to Beaver Pond Road, to Beaver Pond Road, or take any other action relative thereto.

Selectmen

ARTICLE 18. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a public way the remaining portion of the private road known as Upland Field Road, or take any other action relative thereto.

Selectmen

ARTICLE 19. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to repair and widen Virginia Road, or take any other action relative thereto.

Selectmen

ARTICLE 20. To see if the Town will vote to continue a committee appointed by the Moderator as a Long Term Capital Requirements Committee, raise and appropriate the sum of $350.00 for the use of said committee, or take any other action relative thereto.

Selectmen

ARTICLE 21. To see if the Town will accept, as a public way, the private road known as Morningside Lane, as shown on Plan #525 of 1953, recorded with South Middlesex District Registry of Deeds at the end of Book 8057; approved by the Planning Board of the Town of Lincoln, October 22, 1952, or take any other action relative thereto.

By Petition

ARTICLE 22. To see if the Town will accept as a public way the private road known as Sunnyside Lane, as shown on Plan #524 of 1953, recorded with South Middlesex District Registry of Deeds at the end of Book 8057, approved by the Planning Board of the Town of Lincoln, January 21, 1953, or take any other action relative thereto.

By Petition

ARTICLE 23. To see if the Town will vote to accept the sum of $1,000.00 given to it by the Lincoln School Association and hold said sum together with such additional sums of money or such other property as may be added thereto in trust, as the Lincoln Permanent Scholarship Fund, for the purposes, in the manner and under the terms and conditions set forth in a certain Agreement and Declaration of Trust, a copy of which was deposited with the Town Clerk on February 16, 1956, and has, since that date, been available for inspection by registered voters of the Town, and the provisions of which may be fairly summarized as follows:

The Town agrees to hold the fund in trust in accordance with the terms of the trust instrument, and to act as trustee thereof. Since the instrument does not otherwise provide, the Fund is to be managed by the Lincoln Commissioners of Public Trust Funds, pursuant to Section 45, of Chapter 41 of the General Laws. Articles third and fourth of the Trust, however, specifically provide that the disbursement of the Fund shall be under the sole control and direction of a Scholarship Fund Committee, consisting of three Lincoln residents, one each to be appointed annually by the Moderator, the Chairman of the Lincoln School Committee and the senior member from Lincoln of the Lincoln-Sudbury Regional School Committee. The Scholarship Fund Committee is given absolute discretion to disburse the Fund as a majority of its members deems most appropriate to aid deserving Lincoln children continue their formal education beyond high school.

The Town as trustee is authorized to accept additions to the Fund and the instrument provides that both income and principal may be expended unless the donor specifically directs that only the income of his gift is to be expended. There is no such restriction on the donation hereby made.

The instrument gives the Trustees broad powers of investment and management of the type commonly found in modern trust instruments, and it contains a provision that it may be altered or amended upon recommendation of the Selectmen by majority vote at a Town Meeting, provided that the general purpose of aiding deserving Lincoln children continue

their education may not be changed. An annual report of receipts, expenditures and property remaining in trust is to be published in the Town Report. Finally, the Town by majority vote is authorized to terminate the trust at any time and distribute the Fund to a Massachusetts charitable or educational corporation for the purpose of carrying out the general purpose of the trust.

Lincoln School Association

ARTICLE 24. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a Committee to prepare plans for a Fire Station, appropriate the sum of $5,000.00 for the use of said Committee, or take any other action relative thereto.

Selectmen

ARTICLE 25. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of five thousand dollars ($5,000.00) to be used by a Committee appointed by the Moderator to study further the building needs of the Lincoln Schools, said sum to be taken from the unexpended balance to be returned to the Town by a similar committee appointed under Article 19 of the warrant for 1954, or take any other action relative thereto.

School Committee

ARTICLE 26. To see whether the Town will vote to amend the zoning by-law of the Town of Lincoln by the addition, at the end of Section 7, of the additional subsection k, to read as follows:

Section 7, k: All uses authorized by sub-sections (c) through (h) and (j) of this section, hereafter established or extended, shall provide on the lot a parking area equal to three times the ground floor area of all buildings on the premises, said parking area to have a treated surface and be located within a Commercial District except that after a public hearing with due notice given the Board of Appeals may grant a special exception to this provision and allow lesser but appropriate parking areas where it finds that conditions exist in relation to the specific use involved which render this regulation unduly strict.

Planning Board

ARTICLE 27. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of $8,000.00 for preliminary construction for two additional tennis courts at the Ballfield, appoint a committee with full authorization to carry out said construction, or take any other action relative thereto.

Recreation Committee

ARTICLE 28. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for extraordinary legal services not covered in the budget.

Selectmen

ARTICLE 29. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $2,800.00 to provide part of the cost of group life insurance, group accidental death and dismemberment insurance and group general or blanket hospital, surgical and medical insurance for certain persons in the service of the Town.

By Petition

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk, at or before the time for the meeting aforesaid. Given under our hands this 18th day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-six.

Edmund W. Giles
Henry DeC. Ward
William T. King

Selectmen of Lincoln

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Lincoln Fire Alarm Code, 1953

Telephone connecting both South and North Stations — 6-0195.

12	North Great Road at Virginia Road
13	Virginia Road at Old Bedford Road
14	Virginia Road near McHugh's
15	North Great Road near Cunnert's Mill
16	North Great Road at Brooks Road
17	North Great Road — Concord Line
112	North Great Road at Mill Street
113	Mill Street
121	Old Bedford Road — Bedford Line
123	Virginia Road — Concord Line
21	North Lincoln Fire Station
23	Cambridge Turnpike at Brooks Road
24	Cambridge Turnpike — Concord Line
212	Cambridge Turnpike at Lexington Road
213	Cambridge Turnpike — Lexington Line
214	Mill Street at Lexington Road
215	Lexington Road at Farm Road
216	Blueberry and Grasshopper Lane
31	Bedford Road at Hilliard Road
32	Lincoln Center
132	Town House
34	Trapelo Road at Lexington Road
35	Trapelo Road at Page Road
36	Trapelo Road at Old County Road
37	Page Road
312	Sandy Pond Road at Baker Bridge Road
313	Baker Bridge Road at Storrow House
314	Woods End Road
315	Baker Bridge Road at Concord Road
316	Lake Walden Reservation — Concord Line
321	Sandy Pond Road — Concord Line
41	Lincoln Road at MacIntosh Lane
441	New Elementary School
42	Lincoln Road at Tower Road
421	Beaver Pond Road
422	Center School
43	Tower Road at Beaver Pond Road
431	Tower Road at Calkins
45	Silver Hill Road
46	Weston Road at Conant Road
47	Conant Road — Weston Line
411	Old Winter Street
412	Winter Street near J. Coan
413	Winter Street — Waltham Line
511	South Lincoln Fire Station
51	Lincoln Road at South Great Road
52	South Great Road at B.&M. R.R. Crossing
53	South Great Road at Tower Road
54	South Great Road — Weston Line
56	Weston Road — Weston Line
58	Tower Road — Weston Line
512	Codman Road at Lincoln Road
521	Sudbury Road near Boyce's
61	Lincoln Road — Wayland Line
62	Concord Road — Wayland Line
63	Oxbow Road — Wayland Line
64	Concord Road at South Great Road
65	Concord Road at Codman Road
66	Hillside Road
67	Baker Bridge
68	Old Concord Road near C. F. Adams
612	South Great Road — Concord Line
618	L. Branch Adams Estate
628	R. Branch Adams Estate

1-1-1-1 Police Department — 3 rounds of box number, Building Fire
1-1 Test Blow, Noon — 2 rounds of box number, Forest Fire
1-1 After an [illegible] out
Mutual Aid. [illegible] — No school signal at 7:30, 3-3-3
Boy Scout [illegible] — 7:35, 3-3-3

AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE DRIVING OF VEHICLES OVER MUNICIPAL FIRE HOSE

Fire Hose
1926, Chapter 278

Section 7A. Upon the approach of any fire apparatus which is going to a fire or responding to an alarm, every person driving a vehicle on a way shall immediately drive said vehicle as far as possible toward the right-hand curb or side of said way and shall keep the same at a standstill until such fire apparatus has passed. No person shall drive a vehicle over a hose of a fire department without the consent of a member of such department. No person shall drive a vehicle **within three hundred feet of any fire apparatus going to a fire or responding to an alarm,** nor drive said vehicle or park or leave the same unattended within **six hundred feet of a fire or within the fire lines** established thereat by the fire department. Violation of any provision of this section shall be punished by a fine of not more than twenty-five dollars. (Approved April 28, 1926.)

CHAPTER 148 AS AMENDED TO 1949

Section 54

Whoever drops or throws from any vehicle while the same is upon a public or private way running along or near forest land, or, except as permitted by law, drops, throws, deposits or otherwise places in or upon forest land, any lighted cigarette, cigar, match, live ashes or other flaming or glowing substance or thing which in and of itself is likely to cause a fire, shall be punished by a fine of not more than one hundred dollars or by imprisonment for not more than thirty days.

- A PERMIT IS REQUIRED FOR ALL OPEN FIRES.
- Inspect and clean oil burners annually.
- Keep chimneys clean.
- IN CASE OF FIRE:

  Speak clearly to telephone operator. Give your name, address, type of fire. Always call the Fire Department before attempting to extinguish a fire yourself.
- False alarms are punishable by fine, imprisonment, or both.
- AT SOUND OF TRAFFIC SIREN — PULL OVER TO RIGHT SIDE OF ROAD AND COME TO A FULL STOP.